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S. P. 401

In Senate, March 2, 1955

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Low of Knox.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Record of Prisoner and Warrant of Commitment Delivered to Warden of State Prison.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 27, § 32, amended. Section 32 of chapter 27 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 32. Transportation of prisoners. When any male person is convicted and sentenced to the State Prison from any county, the warden shall be notified immediately and the sheriff of said county, or a sufficient number of his appointed deputies, shall then transport the convict to the State Prison. The convict shall be delivered with a duly signed warrant of commitment **and record, as provided by the provisions of section 13 of chapter 149,** to the officer in charge of the prison before 4 P. M. on any day. The warden shall then file said warrant **and record, as provided by the provisions of section 13 of chapter 149,** with his return thereon in his office, and cause a copy **of the warrant of commitment** to be filed in the office of the clerk of the court from which it was issued.

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 149, § 13, amended. Section 13 of chapter 149 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 13. Record forwarded to warden. Whenever a person shall be convicted of a crime and sentenced to imprisonment ~~pursuant to the provisions of sections 11 to 22, inclusive,~~ the clerk of the court shall make and forward to the warden of the prison a record containing a copy of the information or complaint, the sentence pronounced by the court, the name and residence of the judge presiding at the trial, prosecuting attorney and sheriff, and the names and post-office addresses of the jurors and the witnesses sworn on the trial, together with a

statement of any fact or facts which the presiding judge may deem important or necessary for a full comprehension of the case, and a reference to the statute under which the sentence was imposed. Such record shall be delivered to the warden at the time the prisoner is received into the prison. **Prisoners shall not be received until a copy of the record forwarded to the warden and a warrant of commitment is given to the receiving officer at the State Prison.**