

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 98th LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 855, L. D. 1218, Bill, "An Act Relating

to Employment of Minors."

Amend said Bill by striking out the 2nd paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 23. Employment of minors under 16 years of age prohibited in certain establishments. No minor under 16 years of age shall be employed, permitted or suffered to work in, about or in connection with any manufacturing or mechanical establishment, hotel, rooming house, laundry, dry cleaning establishment, bakery, bowling alley, poolroom, commercial places of amusement, including traveling shows and circuses, or in any theater or moving picture house. The provisions of this section pertaining to theaters shall not apply to minors under 16 years of age who are employed or in training as theatrical actors or to minors between the ages of 14 and 16 years who are serving as ushers between 12 noon and 9 P.M. in the legitimate summer theaters.

<u>R. S., c. 30 §25-C, additional.</u> Chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 25-C, to read as follows:

'Sec. 25-C. Employment of minors under the age of 16 years; exemptions. The provisions of section 23 pertaining to hotels and the provisions of section 25 shall not apply to minors between the ages of 14 and 16 years, during the summer school vacation, when the commissioner of labor and industry determines that the welfare of any such minor will be better served through such employment.

Filed by Mr. Carville of Eustis.

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