

HOUSE No. 1861

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 1, 1945.

The committee on Public Welfare, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 433) of Albert L. McHowell and others relative to the wearing of uniforms by certain officers and employees in state and county penal institutions, report the accompanying bill (House, No. 1861).

For the committee,

PHILIP McMORROW.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO UNIFORMS FOR CERTAIN OFFICERS
AND EMPLOYEES OF STATE PENAL INSTITUTIONS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the
same, as follows:*

1 Chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the General
2 Laws is hereby amended by striking out section eight,
3 as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition, and insert-
4 ing in place thereof the following: —
5 *Section 8.* Officers and employees of each state
6 penal institution who are required to wear uniforms
7 shall wear uniforms prescribed by the warden or
8 superintendent, and one uniform, made in a state
9 institution, shall be furnished, at the expense of the
10 commonwealth, every two years to each of said officers
11 and employees.