

Substituted by the House, on motion of Mr. McCarthy of Peabody, for a Bill authorizing the county of Essex to publish the Salem Witchcraft Papers for a consideration (House, No. 1663). May 10.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ESSEX TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE PUBLISHING OF THE SALEM WITCHCRAFT PAPERS.

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

1 The clerk of the superior court for Essex county may, with the
2 advice and consent of the county commissioners for Essex coun-
3 ty, enter into a contract on behalf of said county granting the
4 exclusive right to publish all or any portions of the Salem Witch-
5 craft Papers, so called, (official records of Essex County Superior
6 Court) for a consideration to be determined by said county com-
7 missioners. Any funds received under said contract shall be paid
8 into the county treasury and held in a separate fund which may
9 be expended solely for the purpose of advertising and properly
10 displaying said papers.

Committee on Education

Report on the Education of the Deaf

In the report of the committee on the education of the deaf, it is stated that the number of deaf children in the United States is about 100,000. It is estimated that about 25,000 of these children are in the public schools, and about 75,000 are in the deaf schools.

The committee has held many public hearings on this subject, and has received many suggestions from the public. It has also held many private hearings, and has received many suggestions from the deaf themselves.

The committee has found that the education of the deaf is a very important subject, and that it is one that should be given the highest priority. It has found that the deaf are a very intelligent and capable group of people, and that they are capable of making a valuable contribution to our society. It has found that the deaf are often discriminated against, and that they are often treated as inferior. It has found that the deaf are often isolated, and that they often have a very difficult time of it. It has found that the deaf are often in need of help, and that they often need help in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of education, and that they often need education in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of training, and that they often need training in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of employment, and that they often need employment in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of social services, and that they often need social services in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of legal services, and that they often need legal services in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of medical services, and that they often need medical services in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of all these services, and that they often need all these services in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of help, and that they often need help in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of education, and that they often need education in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of training, and that they often need training in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of employment, and that they often need employment in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of social services, and that they often need social services in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of legal services, and that they often need legal services in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of medical services, and that they often need medical services in many ways. It has found that the deaf are often in need of all these services, and that they often need all these services in many ways.