

HOUSE No. 1077

Bill accompanying the recommendations of the Board of Prison Commissioners (House, No. 1064). Public Service. January 20.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen.

AN ACT

To establish the Office of Assistant Physician and Surgeon at the State Prison.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter two hundred and twenty-three of
2 the Revised Laws is hereby amended by inserting in sec-
3 tion three thereof, after the word "surgeon", the
4 words: — assistant physician and surgeon, — so that the
5 said section, as amended, shall read as follows: — *Section*
6 *3.* The officers of the state prison shall be a warden, dep-
7 uty warden, chaplain, physician and surgeon, assistant
8 physician and surgeon, clerk, engineer, assistant engineer,
9 electrician, steward, who shall be employed in the kitchen
10 department of the prison; four turnkeys, as many watch-
11 men, not exceeding forty-nine, and as many assistant

12 watchmen, not exceeding five, as the warden, subject to
13 the approval of the prison commissioners, may find neces-
14 sary. In certifying the names of persons eligible to
15 appointment as assistant watchmen, the civil service com-
16 missioners shall certify the names of persons who are over
17 the age of twenty-five and under the age of forty years.

1 SECTION 2. The salary of the assistant physician and
2 surgeon shall be a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars
3 per annum, the same to be fixed by the warden, with the
4 approval of the prison commissioners.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.