

HOUSE No. 3074

By Mr. Lappin of Springfield, petition of Peter H. Lappin that the counties of Middlesex, Essex and Hampden be authorized to transfer ownership and control of their county training schools to the Division of Youth Services. Counties.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE COUNTIES OF MIDDLESEX, ESSEX AND HAMPDEN TO TRANSFER OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL OF THEIR COUNTY TRAINING SCHOOLS TO THE DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES.

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 counties of Middlesex, Essex and Hampden are hereby
2 authorized and directed, through their respective county
3 commissioners, to transfer the ownership and control of all their
4 county training school property, including all buildings and
5 equipment, to the division of youth services which shall operate
6 such property as treatment centers for persons committed to
7 their custody.

The first part of the report is devoted to a description of the
 experimental apparatus and the method of observation. The
 results of the experiments are then presented in a series of
 tables and figures. The discussion of the results is given in
 the following sections.

The Experimental Apparatus

The experimental apparatus consists of the following parts:

1. A source of light of known wavelength. The light is
 directed through a slit and a lens onto the specimen.

2. A specimen of the material to be studied. The specimen
 is placed in a holder and is illuminated by the light.

3. A lens which focuses the light from the specimen onto
 the photographic plate.

4. A photographic plate which records the light from the
 specimen. The plate is developed and the resulting image is
 examined under a microscope.