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Bill accompanying the petition of the Wardens' and Matrons' Association of Massachusetts that the civil service law and rules be extended to superintendents of town almshouses, homes or farms. Public Service. January 17.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen.

### AN ACT

To extend the Civil Service Law and Rules to Superintendents of Town Almshouses, Homes or Farms.

*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. The position of superintendent of town  
2 almshouse, home, or farm is hereby classified under the  
3 civil service law and rules, whether or not the person  
4 holding the position, or appointed thereto, is the head  
5 of a principal department or the chief superintendent,  
6 and the laws relating to the removal, suspension or  
7 reduction of persons in the classified civil service shall  
8 apply.

1 SECTION 2. The present incumbents of these positions  
2 shall be recorded by the civil service commission as

3 properly in the classified civil service without examina-  
4 tion and the laws relating to the removal, suspension or  
5 reduction of persons in the classified civil service shall  
6 apply to said incumbents.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect when accepted  
2 by a vote of a majority of the voters in a town voting  
3 thereon at an annual or special town meeting and, upon  
4 such vote of acceptance, each incumbent shall continue  
5 to hold his office until death, resignation or removal.