

HOUSE....No. 368.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 26, 1862.

The Committee to whom was referred the Bill "concerning State Lunatic Hospitals and Insane and Idiotic Persons," have fully considered the same, together with the proposed changes, and report that the amendments hereto annexed should be adopted.

For the Committee,

A. NORCROSS.

AMENDMENTS.

Strike out section 1st, and *insert* the following—

1 The titles of the state lunatic hospitals shall be
2 severally: the Worcester Lunatic Hospital, the Taun-
3 ton Lunatic Hospital, and the Northampton Lunatic
4 Hospital.

Section 5, line 24, after the word "asylum," *insert* the following—"to be filed."

Section 8, line 11, *strike out* "and," and *insert*—"or."

Section 11, line 3, *strike out* "monthly," and *insert*—"quarterly."

Same section, line 8, before the word "kindred," *insert*—"person or."

Section 14, lines 16, 17 and 18, *strike out* the clause, "When request is made in writing for the purpose by any person interested in such discharge," and *insert*—

1 When application has been made to any judge for
2 the discharge of any insane person, any person inter-
3 ested in said discharge may request a trial upon said
4 application by a jury and

Section 18, line 1, *strike out* the word "first."