

Section 1207. This act shall take effect on January 15, 1966, but the county treasurers may issue licenses for the year 1966 in accordance with the fee schedules in sections 201 and 208 of this act at any time after December 1, 1965.

APPROVED—The 22d day of December A. D. 1965, except for the appropriation to the Department of Agriculture for carrying out the provisions of this act which I approve in the sum of \$300,000 which is all the money required for this program in the remainder of this fiscal year. I withhold my approval from the remainder of said appropriation.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 438

AN ACT

SB 681

Amending the act of February 27, 1847 (P. L. 172), entitled "An act requiring the inspectors of prisons, sheriffs, prothonotaries and clerks of criminal courts and others, to make annual returns to the secretary of the commonwealth, and for other purposes," requiring the person in charge of a correctional facility to make certain reports and providing that reports are to be made to the Department of Justice.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 1, act of February 27, 1847 (P. L. 172), entitled "An act requiring the inspectors of prisons, sheriffs, prothonotaries and clerks of criminal courts and others, to make annual returns to the secretary of the commonwealth, and for other purposes," is amended to read:

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That it shall be the duty of the inspectors, sheriffs or other persons having charge of any penitentiary, correctional facility or jail within this commonwealth, to transmit to the [secretary] Department of Justice thereof, on or before the first day of February in each and every year, a full statement in detail of the condition of such penitentiary or jail, during the year ending on the thirty-first day of the previous December, shewing the number of prisoners committed to such penitentiary or jail during the year, distinguishing the convicts, the prisoners for trial, witnesses and other persons committed, and the offences of, or with which they have been

convicted or charged, and other causes of commitment; and the sex and color of the persons in every class so distinguished, and how many were insane at the time of their commitment; and further in relation to convicts, distinguishing persons sentenced to separate labor from persons otherwise sentenced, and of each class of persons sentenced, shewing the age, the place of nativity and of conviction, and the term of sentence, and whether they have been previously convicted, and how often, and where imprisoned; whether they could read or write, or had learned a trade at the time of commitment; whether they had been apprenticed, and served out the full term of their apprenticeship; whether married or single; and such statement shall further shew the length of imprisonment of witnesses, the average imprisonment of all other persons than witnesses, and persons sentenced; and how many of such other persons, received during the year, were returned to court, and how many of them were discharged, and in what manner discharged; distinguishing the prisoners for trial, persons committed as vagrants, as disorderly persons for breach of the peace and others, and of the whole number of prisoners in such penitentiary or jail during the year; how many were discharged by expiration of sentence, by pardon or otherwise; how many escaped; how many died, the cases of sickness, and the nature thereof; how the prisoners are classified, their different trades and occupations, if any, while in such penitentiary or jail; whether an opportunity is afforded to the prisoners for doing over work, or for receiving in any other manner the profits of their labor; whether any, and what provision is made to furnish such prisoners as need it, with clothing or pecuniary aid on their discharge; whether a physician is regularly employed to attend the sick; what provision is made for the instruction of prisoners, in such penitentiary or jail, at the end of the year, distinguishing sex and color in each class; the receipts of the prison, and the sources from which derived; the amount of expenditure, arranged under general heads, and so as to shew the cost per diem of each prisoner; the personal property belonging to such penitentiary and jail, and the cash value thereof, together with any information which the [said inspectors, sheriffs or other persons having charge of said penitentiaries or jails, may deem useful.] Department of Justice may require.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 22d day of December, A. D. 1965.

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