

CHAPTER 95.

ADMISSION OF PATIENTS TO HOSPITAL FOR INEBRIATES.

S. F. 216.

AN ACT to amend chapter eighty (80) of the acts of the Thirtieth General Assembly in regard to the admission of patients in hospitals for inebriates.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Admissions. That section 5 of chapter 80 of the acts of the Thirtieth General Assembly is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"Provided, however, that whenever in the opinion of the board of control of state institutions it shall be necessary to restrict the number of admission for lack of room, said board may notify by mail each district judge and each clerk of the district court in the state of the fact, and that patients will not be admitted except on application approved by the superintendent, and after such notice is given it shall not be lawful for the clerk of any court to issue a warrant for the commitment of any patient to said hospital unless such clerk has been notified by the superintendent in writing that the patient can be received, and until such notice from the superintendent is received the order of commitment shall be suspended. The superintendent shall in such cases grant applications for admission in the order in which they are received. When the board of control is of the opinion that the necessity for such restriction has ceased to exist it may discontinue it and give notice thereof as was required to establish it, and when such notice is given the restriction shall cease."

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Daily Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 9, A. D. 1906.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Daily Capital, April 14, 1906.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 96.

EXPENSES OF PROSECUTING PATIENTS WHO WITHOUT AUTHORITY LEAVE THE STATE HOSPITAL FOR INEBRIATES.

H. F. 260.

AN ACT to amend section fifteen (15), of chapter eighty (80), acts of the Thirtieth (30) General Assembly relating to the state hospital for inebriates.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Costs and expenses of prosecutions—how paid. That section fifteen (15) of chapter eighty (80), acts of the Thirtieth (30) General Assembly, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"The board of supervisors of the county in which such prosecution is had shall certify to the board of control of state institutions an itemized statement of the costs of prosecution and maintenance incurred by the county wherein such prosecution is had, which certificate shall be indorsed by the trial judge, stating that the amount, as shown by said certificate is correct. On receipt of such certificate, the said board of control shall order a warrant issued in favor of the treasurer of the county wherein such prosecution is had, for the amount of the costs and expenses so incurred, which shall