ENROLLED BILL

Senate Bill No. 133.

(By Mr. Davis of Lewis)

Passed March 13, 1931

In Effect from Passage
AN ACT to amend article one of chapter twenty-five of the official code of West Virginia, by adding thereto a new section to be designated as section twenty-four, relating to the payment of compensation to employees and inmates of benevolent, educational, correctional and penal institutions of the state, the fiscal affairs of which are under the control and management of the state board of control, who shall have received personal injuries in the course of and resulting from their employment, and to dependents of such employees and inmates in case death ensues by reason of such injuries.
Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article one of chapter twenty-five of the official code of West Virginia be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated as section twenty-four, reading as follows:

Section 24. The state board of control is authorized to award and to pay employees or inmates of the several state institutions enumerated in sections three and four of this article, who shall have received personal injuries in the course of and resulting from their employment or work to which they have been assigned, when such injuries are not self inflicted or caused by the wilful misconduct or the disobedience of such rules and regulations as may be adopted for the government of employees, or to dependents, if any, of such employee in case death ensues by reason of such injuries, compensation in the amount, and in the manner provided by the workmen's compensation law as contained in sections five, six, seven, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen and eighteen of article four of chapter forty-three of the code, and all the powers conferred upon the state compensation commissioner by said sections shall, so far as they may be made applicable, are hereby conferred upon, and may be exercised by the state board of control.
18 Compensation payable hereunder shall be paid out of the current general expense fund of the institution by which the injured or deceased employee was employed, and in case there is not, and will not become available, sufficient funds in the general expense fund of any institution for making payment of awards to its injured employees or their dependents hereunder, the state board of control shall certify such fact, together with the amount necessary to meet the payments under such awards to the board of public works and said board may include in the budget to be next thereafter transmitted by it to the legislature, an amount sufficient to meet the payments under such awards for the next two ensuing years.
CORRECTLY ENROLLED
Chairman Senate Committee.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Clerk of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.

Clerk of the Senate.

The within is
advised to reason
that all tests
this 21st day of March, 1931.

Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State
of West Virginia

GEORGE W. WHITE,
Secretary of State.