Standard Time.

An act to provide for a standard time in the state of New Jersey.

Approved April 14, 1884.

1. That the standard time of the state of New Jersey shall be the time of the seventy-fifth meridian west from Greenwich, and that the time named in any of the statutes of this state and in public proclamations, in the rules and orders of the senate and general assembly, in the decrees and orders of the courts and in all notices and advertisements in any legal proceedings, shall be deemed and taken to be the standard time aforesaid.

2. That the time tables of all public conveyances within this state shall conform to the standard time aforesaid, and that the time named in any notice, advertisement or contract shall be deemed and taken to be the said standard time, unless it be otherwise expressed.

State Charities and Correction.

I. Council of charities and correction.

An act to create a council of state charities and correction.

Approved March 28, 1883.

1. That the governor of the state shall appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, six suitable persons, who shall constitute a council of state charities and correction, of which the governor of the state, for the time being, shall be president and a member ex officio.

2. That the persons first appointed shall serve for one, two, three, four, five, six years, respectively, and that all subsequent appointments shall be for six years, except to fill vacancies which occur through death, resignation or removal.

3. That the said council shall hold regular meetings quarterly at the state-house, Trenton, and there, or at such other places as it may designate, as often as may be necessary; it shall keep a book of minutes, and shall make such rules and regulations to its own proceedings as it may deem necessary; it may investigate the system of public charities and correctional institutions of the state, and examine into the condition and management of all prisons, penitentiaries, jails, reform schools or other places of correctional detention, whether state, county, township, city, town or borough, and the same as to all lunatic asylums, hospitals, infirmaries or other public institutions of charity or care, and persons therein detained, and recommend, in writing, such changes and additional provisions as it may deem necessary or desirable for the economical and efficient administration of any one or all of them, which recommendations shall be laid before the officers, directors and overseers of such institutions.