

Saml. G. How—

For the Printer—

June 13. 1840.

Sec. of State. Augusta. Me.

A. J. Nichols Esq.

In Comm. June 18. 1840.

Ref. to Court. on ^{D.D. & W. H. H.} ~~Warrant~~

Attent.

A. C. Smith, Sec. State



Institution for the Blind
A. R. Nicolls, Boston June 13th 1840
Secretary of State.

Sir,

Enclosed, you will find the account of this Institution with the State of Maine, which I take the liberty to ask you to lay before the proper authorities.

I perceive by the wording of your last favor that the appropriations are made conditional of upon the continuance of the beneficiary through the year; but such condition may be sometimes inconsistent with a bye law of the Institution, which requires that no pupil shall be received for a less term than one year, unless in cases specially provided for.

Mr Doughty was discharged soon after the expiration of his appropriation; the other beneficiaries are in attendance, and doing well.

I have the honor to be

Respectfully Yours
Sam^l J^r Howe.

N. B. I forward 100 copies
of our last Annual Report.

Director.