

**Revised Statutes of 1846 (EXCERPT)**  
**Chapter 148. General provisions relating to jails, and the confinement of prisoners therein.**

**801.103 Separation of prisoners; prisoners arrested on civil process and criminal process.**

Sec. 3.

Prisoners arrested on civil process, other than for civil contempt, shall be kept in rooms separate and distinct from those in which prisoners detained on a criminal charge or conviction are confined. Prisoners arrested for civil contempt shall not be housed with other prisoners detained on criminal charges, except those detained on a misdemeanor charge. Except as otherwise provided in this section, prisoners arrested on civil and criminal process shall not be put or kept in the same room.

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