

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 51

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*In Senate, Feb. 1, 1911.*

*Laid on table for printing on motion by Mr. Mayo of Hancock pending reference to a committee.*

*W. C. HANSON, Secretary.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND ELEVEN.

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AN ACT to change the method of electing Superintendents  
of Schools.

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*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

Section 1. Section 34 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding after the word "committee" in the sixth line of said section the words 'or if a majority of the voters present shall so direct the superintendent of schools shall be elected at the annual town meeting', so that said section when amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 34. The management of schools and the custody and care, including repairs and insurance on school buildings, of all school property in every town, shall devolve upon the superintending school committee which shall annually,

11 and as often as a vacancy shall occur, elect a superintendent,  
12 of schools who shall not be a member of the committee, or  
13 if a majority of the voters present so direct, the superin-  
14 tendent of schools shall be elected at the annual town meet-  
15 ing. This section shall not apply to cities, nor to towns au-  
16 thorized by special laws to employ or choose superintendents  
17 in a manner otherwise than as herein provided.