

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 61

In Senate, Feb. 7, 1919.

Reported by Mr. Ricker for printing and 1000 copies ordered printed.

P. F. CRANE, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Walker of Somerset.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND
NINE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN

AN ACT to amend section one hundred twenty-two of chapter sixteen of the Revised Statutes relating to the Duties of the State Superintendent of Public Schools.

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

Paragraph VII of section 122 of chapter 16 of the revised
2 statutes is hereby amended by striking out all of said para-
3 graph and substituting in place thereof the following:

Paragraph VII. To prescribe the studies to be taught in
2 the public schools and in private schools approved for at-
3 tendance and tuition purposes, reserving to superintending
4 school committees, trustees or other officers in charge of
5 such public or private schools the right to prescribe addition-

6 al studies, and the course of study prescribed by the state
7 superintendent of public schools shall be followed in all
8 public schools and in all private schools approved by the
9 state superintendent for attendance or tuition purposes;
10 provided, however, that upon the approval by the state su-
11 perintendent of any course arranged by the superintending
12 school committee of any town, or by the trustees or other of-
13 ficers of any private school, said course shall be the author-
14 ized course for said town or private school; provided,
15 further, that in all schools instruction in elementary school
16 subjects shall be entirely in the English language.'