

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SENATE.

No. 11.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND
SIXTY-TWO.

AN ACT to amend chapter eleven of the revised statutes, relating to common schools.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECTION 1. Section nine of the eleventh chapter 2 of the revised statutes is amended by striking out said 3 section and inserting the following: "The superin- 4 tending school committee may appoint one of their 5 number, who shall have all the power, and perform all 6 of the duties specified in the *fifth* and *twelfth* items of 7 the forty-ninth section of said chapter."

SECT. 2. Section twenty-eight of said chapter is 2 amended by striking out the words "ten rods at least 3 from any dwelling-house."

SECT. 3. Section forty-nine of said chapter is
2 amended by striking out the first item and inserting
3 the following: "They shall employ teachers for the
4 several school districts, and appoint suitable times and
5 places for the examination of candidates proposing to
6 teach in town, and give notice thereof."

SECT. 4. Section fifty-three of said chapter is
2 amended by adding at the end of the first item the
3 words, "Which meeting shall be called by the agent
4 without the application mentioned in section seventeen
5 of this chapter." And the same section is further
6 amended by substituting for the second and third items
7 the following: "From the money placed at his dis-
8 posal to pay the teachers employed for his district, to
9 provide fuel and utensils necessary for the schools, and
10 make repairs upon the school-houses and out-buildings,
11 and insurance if the district so direct; but no more
12 than one-tenth of the money received from the town
13 shall be expended for such repairs for one year, exclu-
14 sive of fuel and insurance."

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when approved
2 by the governor.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, Feb. 14, 1862.

Ordered, That bill "An act to amend chapter eleven of the Revised Statutes, relating to common schools," reported from the Committee on Education, be laid on the table, and printed for the use of the Legislature.

JAMES M. LINCOLN, *Secretary*.