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Legislative Document

No. 875

S. P. 274

In Senate, January 26, 1961

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Sampson of Somerset.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-ONE

RESOLVE, Providing Funds for a Referral Center at Farmington State Teachers' College for Assistance to Teachers.

Referral Center at Farmington State Teachers' College; appropriation. Resolved: That there is appropriated in favor of the Department of Education the sum of \$14,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1962 and \$14,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963 for the purpose of establishing a referral center at Farmington State Teachers' College to provide assistance to teachers in dealing with children who present special problems for which normal teacher education does not prepare; said sums to be taken from the General Fund.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

This appropriation is needed to aid teachers of children with special problems. It will provide for professional examination and diagnosis of school-age children with mental handicaps, or with other intellectual or emotional problems which make it difficult or impossible for them to make satisfactory progress in the usual classroom situation.