

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Fourth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 187.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in favor of the town of Somerville.

Resolved, That there be paid by the treasurer of
2 State, out of the school funds of the current year,
3 to the town of Somerville, the sum of sixty-six
4 dollars and thirty-six cents (\$66.36), it being the
5 balance in equity due said town to make good its
6 proportion of the school funds for the year 1883.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The supervisor of schools for the town of Somerville for 1883, Mr. Hosea Glidden, either through error or inadvertence, took the number of scholars from the registers of the teachers instead of from the agents' returns, in making his returns to State superintendent. The original returns of the agents (which the treasurer of Somerville presented to the Committee on Education) and the statements of the assessors for 1883 showed that there were 202 pupils in Somerville in 1883, whereas the town supervisor returned only 160.

The report of the State superintendent of schools for 1882 shows a larger number of pupils than 202, as does also the report for 1884: so that 202 is smaller than the average for the preceding and succeeding years.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 18, 1889. }

Reported from Committee on Education by Mr. TURNER of Somerville; ordered printed under joint rule,

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, *Clerk.*