

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Fifth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 14.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in favor of Foxcroft Academy.

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred dollars is
2 hereby appropriated annually for the term of ten
3 years, to Foxcroft Academy, an institution of
4 learning, located in the town of Foxcroft, in the
5 county of Piscataquis; provided however, that
6 this appropriation is made upon the express con-
7 dition that the trustees of said institution shall
8 maintain and keep in operation a school equal in
9 rank and grade of teaching with a first-class
10 academy, of not less than three terms of ten weeks
11 each, during each year; and provided further, that
12 the governor and council, and superintendent of
13 common schools shall have a right at all times to

14 visit said school, when the same shall be in opera-
15 tion; and if in the opinion of the governor and
16 council, said institution, at any time hereafter, shall
17 fail to fulfill the conditions of this resolve, they
18 may, in their discretion, withhold the appropriation
19 herein granted.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Foxcroft Academy was organized in 1823. First appropriation was one-half township of land from which was realized \$3100. The citizens subscribed and built the first building, and in 1859, the citizens again subscribed, and built the present building. In 1868, an income of \$60 per year was granted. Two terms per year have always been kept up, but for several years past a third term has been kept up by subscription of the citizens. It is designed to keep up three terms per year so as to make the Academy a fitting school for college.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
January 22, 1891. }

Reported from Committee on Education by Mr. SHAW of Bath;
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W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*