

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 237.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED
AND NINETY-SEVEN

AN ACT to amend Section 8, Chapter 11 of the Revised Statutes of 1883, as now amended, relating to Text-books, School Apparatus and repairs on School Buildings.

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

Section 1. Section 8 of chapter 11 of the Revised Statutes, 2 as amended by chapter 268 of the Public Laws of 1889, is 3 hereby amended by inserting after the word "books" in the 4 first line the words 'apparatus and appliances' and is further 5 amended by inserting after the word "schools" in the second 6 line the words 'including all free high schools,' also by 7 striking out the words "and all" in the third line and insert-

8 ing in place thereof the words 'and shall also pay for the
9 necessary repairs of school buildings and insurance on
10 same, if any, improvement and maintenance of school yards
11 and play grounds out of a sum or sums of,' and also by
12 inserting the word 'which' after the word "purpose" in the
13 fourth line thereof, so that said section as amended shall
14 read as follows:

'Section 8. Towns shall provide school books, apparatus
16 and appliances for the use of the pupils in the public schools,
17 including all free high schools, at the expense of said town;
18 and shall also pay for the necessary repairs of school build-
19 ings and insurance on same, if any, improvement and main-
20 tenance of school yards and play grounds out of a sum or
21 sums of money raised and appropriated for that purpose
22 which shall be assessed like other moneys; provided, how-
23 ever, that any parent or guardian of any pupil in the public
24 schools may, at his own expense, procure for the separate
25 and exclusive use of such pupil, the text books required
26 to be used in such schools.'

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this
2 act are hereby repealed.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
March 5, 1897.

Reported by Mr. PATTANGALL of Machias, from Committee on
Education, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*