

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Seventieth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 299

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND ONE.

AN ACT to legalize certain days as school holidays.

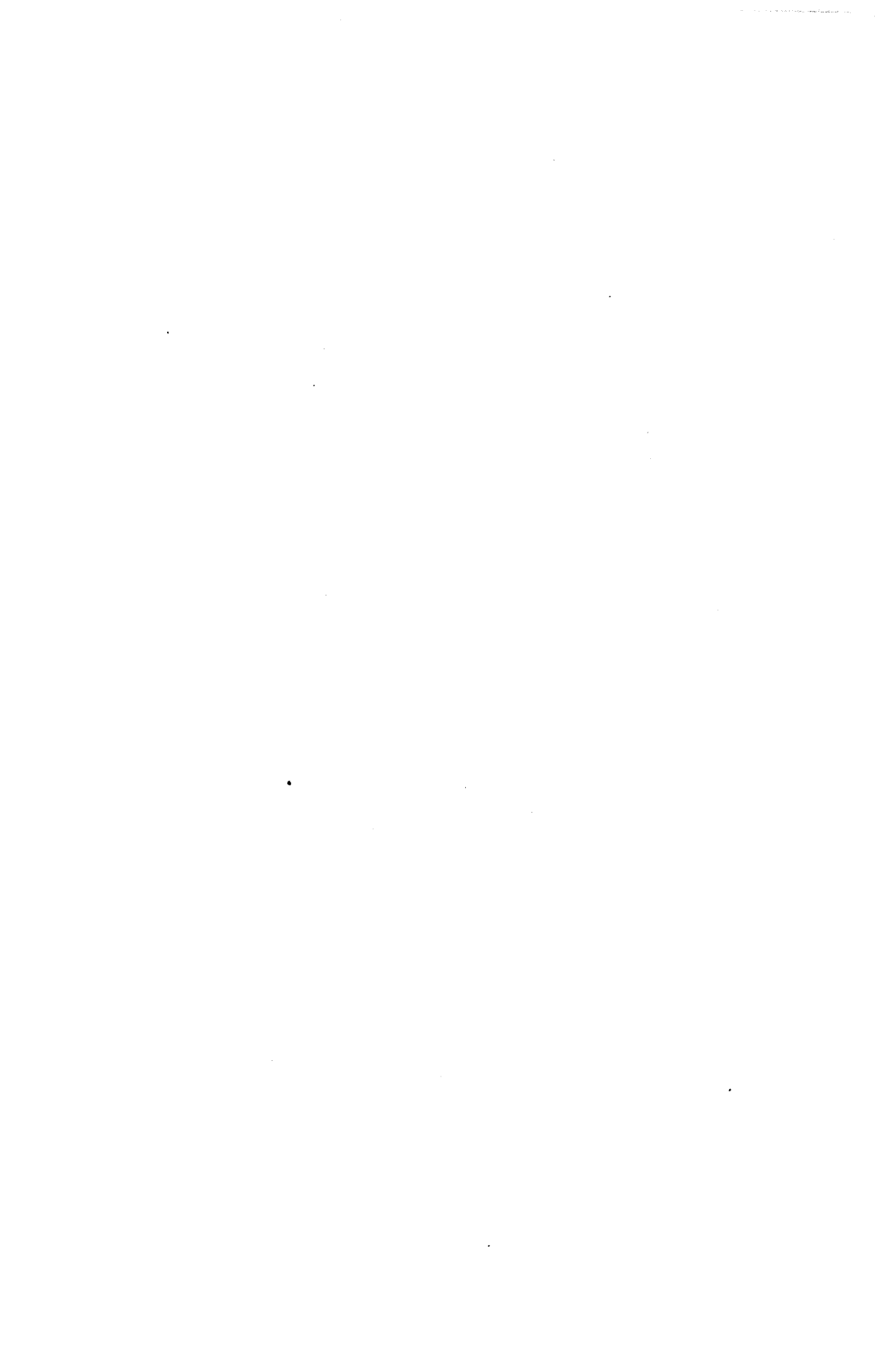
*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in
Legislature assembled, as follows:*

From and after the passage of this act the following
2 days, recognized as legal holidays by the laws of the state
3 of Maine, shall be observed as school holidays, viz: New
4 Year's day, January 1; Washington's Birthday, February
5 22; Memorial day, May 30; Independence day, July 4;
6 Labor holiday, first Monday in September; Christmas
7 day, December 25; Thanksgiving, Fast and Arbor days,
8 as appointed by the governor and council.

Provided, however, that Arbor day shall not be recog-
10 nized as a school holiday, unless observed by teacher and

11 pupils for the purpose for which it is designated by the
12 governor and council.

All teachers of public schools in this state may close
14 their schools on the days mentioned in this act and draw
15 pay the same as if their schools had been in session upon
16 those days.



STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
AUGUSTA, March 6, 1901.

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

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*