

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 124

In Scnate, Jan. 30, 1913.

Came from the House referred to the Committee on Education, and on motion by Senator Murphy of Cumberland, laid on the table for printing pending reference in concurrence.

W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE in favor of Springfield Normal School.

Resolved, That there be and hereby is appropriated to the 2 Springfield Normal School, located at Springfield in the 3 county of Penobscot, the sum of five hundred and nine dol-4 lars for the purpose of purchasing laboratory equipment, 5 apparatus and fixtures for use in the agricultural course of 6 said Springfield Normal School. Said sum to be expended 7 for the benefit of said Normal School, under the direction 8 and supervision of the trustees of said school, and the ad-9 visory board of the agricultural course of said school.

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STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The Springfield Normal School was incorporated in 1901, and has been doing good work as an educational institution since that time. It is located in an agricultural section of the state, and it occurred to the trustees a few years ago that it might not only be proper but advisable to offer an agricultural course in connection with the regular curriculum. This course was adopted, and has proved a marked success since its institution. The advisory board referred to consists of five members, chosen by the North Penobscot Produce Exchange, and five members, chosen by Baskahegan Grange. The requested resolve is for the purpose of adding additional facilities for this course.