

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE NO. 420

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*House of Representatives, Feb. 26, 1915.*  
*Reported by Mr. Ricker from Committee on Education, and*  
*ordered printed under joint rules.*

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT to further amend section sixty-two of chapter fifteen of the Revised Statutes as amended by chapter forty-eight of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and five, and by chapter eighty-eight of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and eleven, relating to High Schools.

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*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

Section sixty-two of chapter fifteen of the revised statutes  
2 as amended by chapter forty-eight of the public laws of  
3 nineteen hundred and five, and by chapter eighty-eight of  
4 the public laws of nineteen hundred and eleven, is hereby  
5 further amended by striking out the words "ten thousand"  
6 in the thirteenth and fourteenth lines of said section as last

7 amended, and substituting in place thereof the words 'twen-  
8 ty-five thousand,' so that said section as amended shall read  
9 as follows:

'Sect. 62. Any town which does not maintain a free high  
11 school of standard grade may, from year to year, authorize  
12 its superintending school committee to contract with and  
13 pay the superintending school committee of any adjoining  
14 town or the trustees of any academy located within such  
15 town or in an adjoining town, for the tuition of scholars  
16 within said town in the studies contemplated by the seven  
17 preceding sections. When such contract has been made with  
18 the trustees of an academy a joint committee for the selec-  
19 tion of teachers and the arrangement for the course of study  
20 in such academy shall include the superintending school  
21 committees of the contracting towns with an equal number  
22 of the members of the board of trustees of such academy  
23 when such academy has less than twenty-five thousand dol-  
24 lars endowment. The expenditure of any town for tuition  
25 as provided in this section shall be subject to the same con-  
26 ditions and shall entitle such town to the same state aid as  
27 if it had made such expenditure for a free high school.'