

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 516

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*House of Representatives, March 5, 1915.*

*Ordered, That five hundred copies be printed and that the same be referred to the Committee on Education.*

*Committee on Reference.*

*Presented by Mr. Ricker of Castine.*

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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 provide for professional supervision of schools of  
remotely situated plantations.

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

Section 1. Whenever the state superintendent of public  
2 schools shall find on investigation that any plantation is so  
3 situated that it is not practicable to form a union in accord-  
4 ance with the provisions of sections forty to forty-five, in-  
5 clusive, of chapter fifteen, the said state superintendent may  
6 upon the petition of the superintending school committee  
7 of said plantation place at the service of said superintending  
8 school committee the general agent for the schooling of  
9 children in unorganized townships who shall when so as-

10 signed serve as the superintendent of schools of said planta-  
11 tion and when the said agent shall so serve he shall have  
12 the same powers and shall perform the same service as su-  
13 perintendents of schools of towns, provided, however, that  
14 his visits to the schools of said plantation shall be at such  
15 intervals as may be directed by the state superintendent of  
16 public schools.

Sect. 2. Whenever the schools of any plantation shall  
2 be placed under the supervision of the general agent of un-  
3 organized township schools as provided by section one of  
4 this act, the treasurer of said plantation shall pay to the  
5 treasurer of state a sum which shall be at the rate of twen-  
6 ty-five dollars annually for each of the schools of said plan-  
7 tation and the amount so received by the treasurer of state  
8 shall be added by him to the appropriation for the schooling  
9 of children in unorganized townships.