

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTIETH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 58

House of Representatives, February 8, 1921.

Referred to Committee on Education and 1000 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Brewster of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

**IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND
NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE**

AN ACT to Amend the Powers of Superintending School Committees in Relation to Vaccination of School Children.

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

Clause five of section thirty-eight of chapter sixteen of
2 the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto
3 the following words: 'unless a parent or guardian of such
4 person shall present a signed statement that such parent
5 or guardian is opposed to vaccination, in which event such
6 person may only be excluded in the event of an epidemic
7 of small-pox,' so that said clause as amended shall read as
8 follows:

'V. Exclude, if they deem it expedient, any person not vaccinated, although otherwise entitled to admission, unless a parent or guardian of such person shall present a signed statement that such parent or guardian is opposed to vaccination, in which event such person may only be excluded in the event of an epidemic of small-pox.'