

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

S. P. No. 290

S. D. No. 111

In Senate, Feb. 19, 1925.

Referred to Committee on Indian Affairs and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Miner of Washington.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Seventy-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-one to Regulate Certain Internal Affairs of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

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

Supervision of schools at Pleasant Point and at Peter Dana's Point; report to be made to governor and council; compensation of superintendents, amended. Section one of chapter one hundred and seventy-six of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one is hereby amended by inserting after the word "member" in the sixth line thereof the words, 'All subjects shall be taught in the English language and the text-books used shall be the same as those

9 used in the town in which said schools are located,' so that
10 the section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 1. *Supervision of schools at Pleasant Point and
2 at Peter Dana's Point; report to be made to governor and
3 council; compensation of superintendents.* The school at
4 the Pleasant Point Reservation shall be under the care and
5 supervision of the superintendent of schools of the town
6 of Perry or of the school union of which Perry may be a
7 member. The school at Peter Dana's Point shall be under
8 the care and supervision of the superintendent of schools
9 of the town of Princeton, or of the school union of which
10 Princeton may be a member. All subjects shall be taught
11 in the English language and the text-books used shall be
12 the same as those used in the town in which said schools
13 are located. Said superintendents shall visit said schools
14 at least four times during each school term; regulate the
15 grades and courses of study; assist the teachers and schol-
16 ars by counsel, or discipline; and make report once each
17 year to the agent and to the governor and council, noting
18 therein such facts and information as may seem of im-
19 portance in the interest of education among the Indians of
20 said reservation, or as may be required by the governor
21 and council. The governor and council are hereby author-
22 ized to pay said superintendents reasonable compensation
23 for said services; but the compensation shall not be less than
24 one hundred dollars in each case, and shall be paid out of
25 the state fund for the superintendence of school unions.'