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#### NEW DRAFT

#### EIGHTY - SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 800

H. P. 1770 House of Representatives, March 20, 1935.
Reported by Mr. Hall from Committee on Education and laid on table to be printed under Joint Rules.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

NEW DRAFT H. P. 690, L. D. 231

#### STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE

### AN ACT to Amend the Law Relating to Teachers' Pensions.

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

R. S., c. 19, § 225, amended. Section 225 of chapter 19 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 225. Commissioner of education to formulate rules. The state commissioner of education shall formulate rules and regulations for carrying into effect the provisions of the 6 preceding sections; provided that in case of retirement, voluntary or compulsory, on the part of a teacher, who has reached the age of 55, is needy, dependent, has no other means of support, and has taught the minimum number of years as required by law the commissioner of education is authorized after due investigation to issue to such teacher a pension, the amount of which shall be ½ that to which such teacher would be entitled as determined by length of service set forth in this and the preceding 6 sections; provided further that in case of total disability on the part of a teacher, who has reached the age of fifty 55, and has no other means of support, the state commissioner of education is authorized after due investigation to issue to such teacher a pension, the amount of which shall be determined by the length of service as set forth in this

and the preceding 6 sections, said teacher having complied with the conditions of the law relative to length of experience and to service within the state.'