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Presented by Mr. Merrill of Stetson.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-NINE

RESOLVE, in Favor of Mrs. Josephine Scribner of Newport.

Mrs. Josephine Scribner of Newport; credit for teaching service. Resolved: That Mrs. Josephine Scribner of Newport be given credit for 10 years' teaching service at the Bucksport Seminary, so called, during the years 1923 to 1933 and that said prior service credit shall be added to any other teaching service in the state of Maine for purposes of determining her final retirement benefits under the provisions of chapter 60 of the revised statutes, as amended.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Mrs. Josephine C. Scribner taught in the public schools of Maine for 17½ years and at the Bucksport Seminary so-called in Bucksport, Maine for a period of 10 years. Under the existing Retirement Law credit cannot be granted for teaching service rendered at Bucksport Seminary since that school was considered in the nature of the so-called private academy. It is understood, however, that to all intents and purposes Bucksport Seminary served the surrounding area for many years as a high school and it is also understood that the Town of Bucksport contributed substantially toward the support of the school.