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by the town or city, maintain a kindergarten or kindergartens as a part of the common school course, and pupils shall be allowed to attend such a kindergarten or kindergartens upon reaching the age of four years; provided further, that unless the average daily attendance in any kindergarten shall be fifteen or more for any school year the superintending school committee, upon the recommendation of the superintendent of schools, may discontinue the school; provided further, that no person shall be allowed to teach in any kindergarten maintained under the provisions of this section who has not completed at least a two years' course in kindergarten training or its equivalent and received a certificate or diploma from a recognized kindergarten training school approved by the state superintendent of public schools.'

Approved April 3, 1925.

Chapter 128.

An Act Relating to Certain Internal Affairs of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

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

P. L., 1921, c. 176, sec. 1; relating to supervision of schools at Pleasant Point and Peter Dana's Point; reports and 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 textbooks used shall be the same as those used in the town in which said schools are located,' so that the section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 1. All teaching to be done in English language; textbooks to be same as those used in towns in which schools are located. The school at the Pleasant Point Reservation shall be under the care and supervision of the superintendent of schools of the town of Perry or of the school union of which Perry may be a member. The school at Peter Dana's Point shall be under the care and supervision of the superintendent of schools of the town of Princeton, or of the school union of which Princeton may be a member. All subjects shall be taught in the English language and the textbooks used shall be the same as those used in the town in which said schools are located. Said superintendents shall visit said schools at least four times during each school term; regulate the grades and courses of study; assist the teachers and scholars by counsel, or discipline; and make report once each year to the agent and to the governor and council, noting therein such facts and information as may seem of importance in the interest of education among the Indians of said reservation, or as may

be required by the governor and council. The governor and council are hereby authorized to pay said superintendents reasonable compensation for said services; but the compensation shall not be less than one hundred dollars in each case, and shall be paid out of the state fund for the superintendence of school unions.'

Approved April 3, 1925.

Chapter 129.

An Act Relating to the Purposes for Which Cities and Towns May Raise Money.

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

R. S., c. 4, sec. 58; P. L., 1923, c. 101; relating to certain purposes for which cities and towns may raise money, amended. Section fifty-eight of chapter four of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred and one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-three, is hereby further amended by adding after the word "monument" in the eighth line thereof, the words 'or memorial,' and by adding after the word "sixty-one" in the tenth line thereof, the words 'or in the world war,' and by adding after the word "monument" in the eleventh line thereof, the words 'or memorial,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 58. May raise money for erecting a memorial for soldiers and sailors of the war of 1861 or the world war. Cities and towns may raise money to procure the writing and publication of their histories, to celebrate any centennial or other anniversary of the settlement or incorporation of such city or town, and to publish the proceedings of any such celebration; to defray the expenses of the observance of memorial day, armistice day, or any other day set apart for patriotic commemoration, firemen's memorial Sunday, and of old home week; and a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars in any one town for erecting a suitable monument or memorial in memory of the soldiers and sailors who sacrificed their lives in defense of their country in the war of eighteen hundred and sixty-one or in the world war, and a reasonable sum to secure, grade and care for a lot appropriate for such a monument or memorial. They may also raise money to be expended for exterminating or controlling brown-tail and gipsy moths and other insect pests.'

Approved April 3, 1925.