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No. 846 **Session of**
1919.

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION,
MARCH 11, 1919.

AN ACT

To amend section one thousand two hundred and ten of an act approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws three hundred and nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with the provisions by which it shall be administered and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue to establish and maintain the same and the method of collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general special or local or any parts thereof that are or may be inconsistent therewith" fixing the minimum salaries of teachers and making an appropriation

1 Section 1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-*
2 *sentatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly*
3 *met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That*
4 section one thousand two hundred and ten of an act
5 approved the eighteenth day of May one thousand nine

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2 nine) entitled "An act to establish a public school sys-
3 tem in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania together with
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5 scribing penalties for the violation thereof providing revenue
6 to establish and maintain the same and the method of
7 collecting such revenue and repealing all laws general spe-
8 cial or local or any parts thereof that are or may be
9 inconsistent therewith" which reads as follows

10 "Section 1210 The minimum salary of every teacher in
11 the public schools of this Commonwealth holding a pro-
12 fessional or a State certificate who has taught successfully
13 for two years and presents a certificate to that effect
14 from the proper superintendent shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00)
15 per school month The minimum salary of every other teacher
16 in the public schools of this Commonwealth shall be forty
17 dollars (\$40.00) per school month" is hereby amended to
18 read as follows

19 Section 1210 The minimum salary of every teacher in
20 the public schools who has successfully taught for a period
21 of two years and holding a certificate higher than a
22 provisional certificate shall be as follows

23 (a) In districts having a seven months term or more
24 but less than eight months five hundred dollars for the
25 school year

26 (b) In districts having an eight months or more but
27 less than nine months five hundred and fifty dollars for
28 the school year

29 (c) In districts having a nine months term or more

1 six hundred dollars for the school year

2 The minimum salary of every other teacher not herein-
3 before provided for shall be forty-five dollars per school
4 month

5 The sum of three million three hundred and fifty
6 thousand dollars (\$3,350,000) or so much thereof as may
7 be necessary is hereby specifically appropriated for the pay-
8 ment of the increase in teachers salaries made necessary
9 by the minimum salaries herein provided for over the
10 salaries paid for the school year one thousand nine hun-
11 dred eighteen and one thousand nine hundred nineteen for
12 the two fiscal years commencing June first one thousand
13 nine hundred nineteen

14 The provisions of this act shall not relieve the Com-
15 monwealth from the payment of all increases made neces-
16 sary by the minimum salaries heretofore fixed but such
17 payments shall be made as heretofore from moneys appro-
18 priated for the support of the common schools in ac-
19 cordance with the provisions of section twelve hundred thir-
20 teen of the act to which this is an amendment