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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1899.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1899.

Chapter 124.

An Act to re-establish the salary of the Judge and Register of Probate for Somerset County.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 1. From and after the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the salary of the judge of probate for Somerset county, shall be four hundred dollars a year.

Salary of judge of probate, established.

Section 2. From and after the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the salary of the register of probate for Somerset county shall be five hundred dollars a year.

Salary of register, established.

Section 3. All acts and parts of acts, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts, repealed.

Section 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 17, 1899.

Chapter 125.

An Act to amend Chapter thirty-three, Section one, of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, relating to the Burial of Soldiers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section two of chapter thirty-three of the public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, is hereby amended by inserting in the ninth line of said section after the word "paid," the following: 'Provided, however, that the person whose burial expenses are paid in accordance with the provisions of this act shall not be constituted a pauper thereby,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 2, chapter 33, public laws 1887, amended.

'Section 2. The municipal officers of cities and towns in which such deceased had his residence at the time of his death, shall pay the expenses of his burial, and if he die in an unincorporated place, the town charged with the support of paupers in such unincorporated place, shall pay the expenses of his burial, and in either case upon satisfactory proof by such town or city to the governor and council of the fact of such death and payment he governor shall authorized the state treasurer to refund said town or city the amount so paid, provided, however, that the person whose burial expenses are paid in accordance with the provisions of this act shall not be constituted a pauper thereby; said proof shall contain a certificate from the post

Cities and towns shall be reimbursed such expenses.

—such soldier shall not be regarded a pauper.