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## 1917

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jutant general of the state and the post commander of the post of the Grand Army of the Republic, located nearest the town or city which paid said burial expenses, stating that such person was an honorably discharged soldier or sailor and in destitute circumstances, or the widow of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor and in destitute circumstances, and having no kindred of sufficient ability, resident in this state legally liable for her burial expenses.'

Approved March 22, 1917.

### Chapter 60.

An Act to Amend Section One Hundred Ten of Chapter Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Teachers' Associations.

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

**R. S., c. 16, § 110, relating to formation of teachers' associations, amended.** Section one hundred ten of chapter sixteen of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting the words 'five hundred' after the word "thousand" in the tenth line thereof and by striking out all of said section following the word "state" in the twelfth line thereof so that said section when amended shall read as follows:

'Sec. 110. \$1,500 for expenses of county conventions. Prohibition as to number of conventions and associations in each county repealed. Whenever not less than thirty of the teachers and school officers of any county shall have formed an association under rules of government approved by the state superintendent of public schools, for the purpose of mutual improvement in the science and art of teaching, and of creating popular interest in, and diffusing a knowledge of the best methods of improving our public school system, by the holding of conventions at least once every year under the supervision of the state superintendent, the state shall defray the necessary expenses attending the holding of such conventions, for which purpose the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars is hereby annually appropriated to be deducted and set aside therefor by the treasurer of state from the annual school fund of the state.'

Approved March 22, 1917.

### Chapter 61.

An Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Local Sealers of Weights and Measures.

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

R. S., c. 48, § 8, relating to local sealers of weights and measures, amended. Section eight of chapter forty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended so that said section eight shall read as follows:

'Section 8. Municipal officers to elect for indefinite term. Removable only for neglect. State sealer to have jurisdiction. The municipal officers of each town shall elect a sealer of weights and measures, also a