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NINETY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 203

H. P. 344 House of Representatives, January 25, 1951 Referred to the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Jennings of Strong.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to the Military Law.

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

R. S., c. 12, § 50, amended. Section 50 of chapter 12 of the revised statutes, as amended by section 19 of chapter 326 of the public laws of 1949, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 50. Uniform of commissioned and warrant officers; uniform allowance; exemption from attachment and distress. All commissioned officers and warrant officers shall provide themselves with such uniforms, arms and equipment as are required of commissioned officers or warrant officers in their respective arms of service in the national military establishment, and the adjutant-general may purchase and issue as state property on memorandum receipt or sell for cash to commissioned officers and warrant officers such articles of arms, uniforms and equipment as he may deem necessary.

Each commissioned officer and warrant officer, upon original appointment and upon receipt of federal recognition, shall be allowed and paid the sum of \$50 upon the actual procurement by him of the prescribed uniforms, arms and equipment; and each commissioned officer and each warrant officer who in a 12-month period immediately preceding the 1st day of July

in each year shall have maintained and kept his prescribed uniforms, arms and equipment in proper order shall annually on the 1st day of July be allowed and paid the sum of \$35 or a proportionately less sum for any less period of time.

The clothes, arms, military outfit, and accourrements furnished by or through the state to a member of the active militia and the uniforms, arms and equipment required of a commissioned officers and warrant officers shall not be subject to any suit, distress, execution or sale for debt or payment of taxes.'