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under the provisions of this chapter, unless specifically directed by statute, shall be made annually in December, except that whenever the commissioner of education is satisfied that a financial need exists, and with the approval of the treasurer of state, an amount not to exceed 2/3 of the estimated subsidy may be paid on or after September 15.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 49

AN ACT Relating to Duty of Superintendent of Schools Concerning Habitual Truants.

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

R. S., c. 37, § 86, amended. Section 86 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 86. Habitual truant; attendance officer to make complaint. If a child without sufficient excuse is habitually and wilfully absent from school or fails without such excuse to attend school for 5 day sessions or for 10 half-day sessions within any period of 6 months, he shall be deemed an habitual truant; and the superintendent of schools or the superintending school committee shall notify him and any person under whose control he may be that, unless he conforms to section 83, the provisions of the 2 following sections will be enforced against them; and if thereafter such child continues irregular in attendance, the attendance officers or any of them shall, when so directed by the superintending school committee or superintendent, in writing, enforce said provisions by complaint.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 50

AN ACT Relating to Clerk Hire in the Office of Register of Probate in Cumberland County.

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

R. S., c. 79, § 269, amended. That part of section 269 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes which relates to clerk hire in the office of register of

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probate in Cumberland county, as amended by chapter 226 of the public laws of 1945 and by chapter 204 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'for clerks in the office of register of probate, \$6,000 \$8,500;'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 51

AN ACT Relating to Compensation for State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation.

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

R. S., c. 25, § 10, amended. The 6th sentence of section 10 of chapter 25 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Members of the board shall each receive \$5 \$20 a day, for their services, for the time actually employed in the discharge of their official duties; they shall also receive their traveling and all other necessary expenses.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 52

AN ACT Relating to Analysis of Water.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 121, amended. Section 121 of chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following sentence:

'The department shall charge the average cost of the analysis for such examination to the person required to have such test made.'

Effective August 6, 1949