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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-eighth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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## Chapter 243

### AN ACT Relating to Burial Expenses for Honorably Discharged Soldiers and Sailors.

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

R. S., c. 94, § 45, amended. Section 45 of chapter 94 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 45. State to pay burial expenses of destitute soldiers and sailors and their widows. Whenever any person who has served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States and was honorably discharged therefrom shall die, being at the time of his death a resident of this State and in destitute circumstances, the State shall pay the necessary expenses of his burial; or whenever the widow of any person who served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States and was honorably discharged therefrom shall die, being at the time of her death a resident of this State and being in destitute circumstances and having no kindred living within this State and of sufficient ability legally liable for her support, the State shall pay the necessary expenses of her burial; ~~such~~. Such expenses shall not exceed the sum of ~~\$100~~ \$200 in any case and the burial shall be in some cemetery not used exclusively for the burial of the pauper dead.'

Effective August 28, 1957

## Chapter 244

### AN ACT Relating to Signs on School Buses.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 48, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 48 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 85 and by chapter 132, both of the public laws of 1955, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'All school buses ~~as above defined~~ with a carrying capacity of over 20 passengers shall bear upon the front and rear thereof a plainly visible sign "School Bus" in letters not less than 8 inches in height which shall be removed or covered when the vehicle is not in use as a school bus, and all school buses with a carrying capacity of 20 passengers or less shall bear upon the front and rear thereof a plainly visible sign "School Bus" in letters not less than 4 inches in height which shall be removed or covered when the vehicle is not in use as a school bus; ~~but this provision~~ these provisions shall not apply to public buses while transporting school children together with regular passengers. Such standard "descriptive signs" shall be furnished at cost by the Department of Education.'

Effective August 28, 1957