WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1935

ENROLLED

SENATE BILL No.

(By Mr. Swith)

PASSED Mucle 7, 1935

In Effect 90 dwp from Passage

ENROLLED Senate Bill No. 10

(By Mr. Smith)

[Passed March 7, 1935; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to provide educational opportunities for the children of soldiers, sailors and marines who were killed in action or died during the World War.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

Section 1. For the purpose of providing educational op2 portunities for the children of those who were killed in action
3 or died from other cause from April sixth, one thousand nine
4 hundred seventeen, to July second, one thousand nine hundred
5 twenty-one, while serving in the army, navy or marine corps
6 of the United States, or died as a result of such service, the
7 sum of eighteen hundred dollars, out of any moneys in the

8 treasury not otherwise appropriated, is hereby appropriated
9 out of the treasury for each of the fiscal years beginning June
10 first, one thousand nine hundred thirty-five to June first,
11 one thousand nine hundred forty-two inclusive, while such
12 children are attending a state educational or training insti13 tution.

Sec. 2. To be eligible for the benefits of this act, said 2 children must be at least sixteen and not more than twenty-3 two years of age and have had their domiciles in this state 4 for at least twelve months preceding their application for said 5 benefits. Such application shall be made to, and upon forms 6 provided by, the department of public welfare of West Vir-7 ginia, which department shall determine the elegibility of those 8 who make such application and the yearly amount to be 9 alloted each applicant, which amount in the discretion of the 10 department may vary from year to year, but shall not exceed 11 the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars in any one year. In 12 selecting those to receive the benefits of this act preference 13 shall be given those who are otherwise financially unable to 14 secure said educational opportunities and to those whose parent 15 was domiciled in this state during the period of such parent's 16 war service.

Sec. 3. No tuition fees shall be charged such applicants at-2 tending any state educational or training institution and the 3 funds herein appropriated shall be expended by said depart-4 ment of public welfare only for matriculation fees, board, 5 room rent, books, supplies and other necessary living expenses 6 of such children. Said department is charged with the duty 7 of disbursing the funds herein provided and shall draw its 8 requisitions upon the auditor for that purpose. In the discre-9 tion of said department, such requisitions may be made pay-10 able to said educational or training institutions or to those 11 furnishing to said children board, room rent, books, supplies 12 and other necessary living expenses, the department being first 13 satisfied as to the correctness and amounts of such expendi-14 tures. Should any child withdraw from any such institution 15 all allowances to such child shall cease. No member or em-16 ployee of said department shall receive any additional com-17 pensation for the services herein required.

Sec. 4. Balances in this fund remaining at the end of any 2 fiscal year, except the last herein appropriated for, shall not

3 revert to treasury. Any balance remaining at the end of the 4 fiscal year beginning June first, nineteen hundred forty-two, 5 shall revert to the treasury.

I certify that the foregoing act, having been presented to the Governor for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the House of the Legislature in which it originated within the time prescribed by the constitution of the state, has become a law without his approval.

This the 15th day of March,

1935.

SECRETARY OF STATE

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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of West Virginia. Wm. S. O'BRIEN,
Secretary of State