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OF THE

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Chapter 282.

An Act to amend Chapter one hundred and eighteen, Public Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, relating to the Registration of Vital Statistics.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Sect. 1. Paragraph II of section one of chapter one hundred and eighteen, public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "color" in the fourth line thereof the word 'birthplace,' so that said paragraph, as amended, shall read as follows:

Paragraph II, section 1, chapter 118, public laws, 1891, amended.

'II. The record of marriage shall state its date and place of occurrence, the name, residence, and official character of the person by whom solemnized, the full christian and surnames of the parties, the age, color, birthplace, occupation, and residence of each, the condition, whether single or widowed, whether first, second or other marriage; and the full christian and surnames, residence, color, occupation, and birthplace of their parents.'

What record of marriages, shall state.

Sect. 2. Section three of chapter one hundred and eighteen, public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "recorded" in the sixth line thereof the words, 'and to the clerk of the town in which the marriage was solemnized,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 3, amended.

'Sect. 3. Every person authorized to unite persons in marriage shall make a record of every marriage solemnized before him, in conformity with the requisitions prescribed for blank records of marriages in section one of this act, and shall within six days thereafter, deliver or forward to the clerk of each town in which the marriage intention was recorded, and to the clerk of the town in which the marriage was solemnized, a copy of such record of marriage.'

Copy of record of marriages shall be forwarded to town clerks.