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person other than the voter and the official taking his oath shall be present during the marking and sealing of said ballot. Before marking said ballot, the voter shall exhibit it to said official, who shall satisfy himself that it is unmarked, but he shall not allow said official to see how he marked it. Said official shall hold no communication with the voter, nor he with said official, as to how he is to vote. Thereafter the voter shall enclose and seal the ballot in the envelope provided for in clause (c) of section 2. He shall then execute before said official the affidavit on said envelope as set forth in said clause (c), said official shall endorse thereon the certificate provided for in said clause (c) and affix his official seal, if any, and said voter shall enclose and seal the envelope with the ballot in the envelope provided for in clause (d) of section 2, endorse thereon his name, address and voting place, and mail the same within the time prescribed in the following section, by registered mail requesting return receipt therefor postage prepaid, at any postoffice, or may deliver same in person as above provided.'

Approved April 18, 1939.

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## Chapter 235

### AN ACT Relating to Children of Women Committed to Reformatory for Women.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 359, amended. Section 359 of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 359. Care of children of women committed. If any woman committed to said reformatory is, at the time of her commitment, the mother of a nursing child in her care and under 1 year of age, or is pregnant with child which shall be born after such commitment, such woman may retain such child in said reformatory until it shall be 2 years of age, when it must be removed therefrom. The department may cause such child to be placed in any asylum for children in this state and pay for the care and maintenance of such child therein until the mother of such child shall have been discharged, or may commit such child to the care and custody of some relative or proper person willing to assume such care, or such child may be committed to the custody of the department under the provisions of section 204. If such woman, at the time of such commitment, shall be the mother of and have under her exclusive care, a child more than 1 year of age, which might be otherwise left without proper care or guardianship, the magistrate committing such woman shall cause such child to be committed to such asylum as may be provided by law for such purposes, or to

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the care and custody of some relative or proper person willing to assume such care or to the custody of the department. Any commitment of a child under the provisions of this section to the custody of any asylum for children or to any relative or other person, or to the department, shall be subject to the provisions of ~~section 207~~ sections 205, 206 and 207 of this chapter.'

Approved April 18, 1939.

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## Chapter 236

### AN ACT Relating to Beauty Culture.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 282, §§ 4, 5, 6, 12, amended. Sections 4, 5, 6 and 12 of chapter 282 of the public laws of 1933, as amended by chapter 112 of the public laws of 1935, are hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 4. **Requirements for registration.** Any person shall be eligible to obtain a certificate of registration under this act (a) who is at least 18 years of age, and (b) who is of good respectable character, (c) who has satisfactorily completed a course of instruction in a school of hairdressing and beauty culture approved by said board, or in lieu thereof has had a total experience in the practice of hairdressing and beauty culture or as an apprentice, of ~~720~~ 1000 hours distributed over a period of at least 6 months, and (d) who has satisfactorily passed an examination conducted by said board to determine his fitness to receive such certificate. Each applicant for such examination shall make written application therefor on a form prescribed and supplied by said board, which application shall contain satisfactory evidence of the qualifications required of the applicant under this act and shall be sworn to by the applicant. Said applications shall be filed with the secretary of said board and shall be accompanied by an examination fee of \$5 which shall include registration, if examination is satisfactory; if not successful applicant shall have the privilege of taking a 2nd examination without fee at any subsequent examination held by the board within a period of 1 year.'

'Sec. 5. **Approved schools; fees.** No school of hairdressing and beauty culture shall be approved by said board until it shall attach to its staff a physician duly licensed to practice medicine in the state where the school is located, and familiar with the installation and use of electrical appliances adapted to hairdressing and beauty culture, nor unless it has a minimum requirement of a continuous course of study of ~~720~~ 1000 hours distributed over a term of not less than 6 months, including practical demonstrations,