

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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CHAP. 235

Corporations now engaged in business may incorporate under this act.

—proviso.

Charters granted under this act, not valid unless completed within one year.

Penalty for violating act.

Act relating to formation of assessment insurance companies not applicable.

SECT. 11. Any fraternal beneficiary corporation existing under the laws of this state, and now engaged in transacting business as herein defined, may re-incorporate under the provisions of this act; provided, that nothing in this act contained shall be construed as requiring any such corporation to re-incorporate; and any such corporation may continue to exercise all the rights, powers and privileges conferred by this act, and its articles of incorporation not inconsistent herewith, and shall be subject to the requirements and penalties of this act the same as if re-incorporated hereunder.

SECT. 12. No charter granted under the provisions of this act shall be valid after one year from its date unless the organization has been completed and business begun thereunder.

SECT. 13. Any such corporation, association or society, neglecting to comply with, or violating the provisions of this act shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars, upon conviction thereof.

SECT. 14. The provisions of the act enacted by this legislature, relating to the formation of assessment insurance companies shall not apply to corporations, associations or societies organized under or transacting business in conformity to this act.

Approved February 23, 1889.

Chapter 235.

An Act restraining the sale of Tobacco and use of same by minors under sixteen years of age.

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

Sale of cigarettes to boys, prohibited.

SECT. 1. No person shall sell any cigarette to any person under the age of sixteen years.

Giving of cigarettes to minors, prohibited.

SECT. 2. No person, other than the minor's parent or guardian, shall give to any person under the age of sixteen years any cigarette, for such minor's personal use.

Penalty for violation.

SECT. 3. Any person violating any of the foregoing provisions, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars.

Approved February 28, 1889.