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or help therein in this state shall provide chairs, stools or other contrivances for the comfortable use of such female employees for the preservation of their health and for rest when not actively employed in the discharge of their respective duties.

Penalty for violation of this act.

Section 2. Any proprietor, manager or other person violating the preceding section of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined in a sum not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Approved March 11, 1911.

Chapter 27.

An Act to amend Section ninety-one of Chapter twenty-three, of the Revised Statutes, relating to the liability of towns in not maintaining guide posts at Crossings of Ways.

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

Section 91, chapter 23, R. S., amended.

That section ninety-one of chapter twenty-three of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the words in the last part of said section, "and for any neglect herein, towns are subject to indictment and fine not exceeding fifty dollars" and substituting therefor the following: 'And for any neglect herein towns are subject to a fine of not less than ten and not exceeding fifty dollars, and such fines shall be recovered by complaint or indictment. Judges of municipal courts, and police courts and trial justices within their respective counties shall have original and concurrent jurisdiction with the superior and supreme judicial courts; and on all fines provided for by this act, and recovered on complaint, half shall go to the prosecutor and half to the county where the town committing the offense is situated,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

Towns required to maintain guide-posts at crossings of ways.

'Section 91. Towns shall erect and maintain at all crossings of highways, and where one public highway enters another, substantial guide-posts not less than eight feet high, and fasten to the upper end of each a board, on which shall be plainly printed in black letters on white ground, the name of the next town on the route, and of such other place as the municipal officers may direct, with the number of miles thereto, and a figure of a hand with the forefinger pointing thereto; and for any neglect herein towns are subject to a fine of not less than ten and not exceeding fifty dollars, and such fines shall be recovered by complaint or indictment. Judges of municipal courts, and police courts and trial justices within their respect-

--penalty.

--court jurisdiction.

ive counties shall have original and concurrent jurisdiction with the superior and supreme judicial courts; and on all fines provided for by this act, and recovered on complaint, half shall go to the prosecutor and half to the county where the town committing the offense is situated.'

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—fine how disposed of.

Approved March 11, 1911.

Chapter 28.

An Act to amend Section ten of Chapter seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment and fees of Masters in Chancery.

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

Section ten of chapter seventy-nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the following: 'The fees and necessary expenses of masters so appointed, and of masters who shall act in any cause by agreement of parties, shall be fixed and allowed by the court upon the coming in of the report, and, if the court in its discretion shall so order, shall be paid by the county on presentation of the proper certificate of the clerk of courts for that county.'

Section 10, chapter 79, R. S., amended.

—fees and expenses of masters in chancery, how fixed.

Approved March 11, 1911.

Chapter 29.

An Act to amend Section ninety-seven of Chapter fifteen of the Revised Statutes as amended relating to the Appropriation for the Schooling in Unorganized Townships.

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

Section ninety-seven of chapter fifteen of the revised statutes as amended by chapter forty-five of the public laws of nineteen hundred and five and by chapter eighty-seven of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nine is hereby amended by striking out the word "fifteen" in the second line thereof and substituting in place the word 'eighteen,' so that said section, when amended, shall read as follows:

Section 97, chapter 15, R. S., as amended by chapter 45, public laws 1905 and by chapter 87, public laws 1909, further amended.

'Section 97. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the three preceding sections, there is hereby appropriated the sum of eighteen thousand dollars annually, which sum shall be deducted and set aside therefor by the treasurer of state from the annual school funds of the state.'

Appropriation.

Approved March 11, 1911.