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or careless manner that the same shall fall or be washed into said waters, or with the intent that the same shall fall or be washed into said waters. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of not less than five dollars and not exceeding one hundred dollars and costs for each offense.'

Approved February 27, 1919.

Chapter 22.

An Act Relating to the Education of Deaf or Dumb Children.

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

Deaf or dumb children between ages of six and eighteen to be sent to **Maine school for deaf for education.** Every parent, guardian or other person, having control of any mentally normal child between six and eighteen years of age, too deaf or too dumb to be materially benefited by the methods of instruction in vogue in the public schools, unless it can be shown that the child is receiving regular instruction during the same period in studies usually taught in the public schools, shall be required to send such child or youth to the Maine School for the Deaf in the city of Portland, during the scholastic year of that school. Such child or youth shall attend such school, year after year, until discharged by the superintendent upon approval of the board of trustees of said school.

Approved March 8, 1919.

Chapter 23.

An Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Fifty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Signing of Proxies.

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

R. S., c. 51, § 18; relating to proxies and powers of attorney granted by shareholders in corporations, amended. Section eighteen of chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out of the second line the word "thirty" and substituting in place thereof the word 'ninety,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'**Sec. 18. Proxies good for ninety days instead of thirty.** Shareholders may be represented by proxies granted not more than ninety days before the meeting which shall be named therein; they are not valid after a final adjournment thereof. They may be represented by a general power of attorney, produced at the meeting, until it is revoked. Shares hypothecated to the corporation shall not be represented. No person can give, by right of representation, a greater number of votes than is allowed to any one by the charter or by-laws.'

Approved March 8, 1919.