

## No. 94.

## AN ACT

To amend section two of an act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, eleven hundred eighty), entitled "An act providing for the joint acquisition and maintenance by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New York of certain toll-bridges over the Delaware River, and making an appropriation therefor."

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section two of the act, approved the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, eleven hundred eighty), entitled "An act providing for the joint acquisition and maintenance by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New York of certain toll-bridges over the Delaware River, and making an appropriation therefor," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 2. The [Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings] *Auditor General, State Treasurer, and Secretary of Highways* of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania [is] *are* hereby constituted a commission, to act, in conjunction with a similar commission of the State of New York, *or with any other governmental agency designated by the State of New York*, as a joint commission, for the acquisition of the various bridges over the Delaware River between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New York.

APPROVED—The 4th day of April, A. D. 1925.

GIFFORD PINCHOT.

## No. 95.

## AN ACT

To further amend section one thousand four hundred and fourteen of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith"; by granting full term school privilege to children in fourth class districts up to fourteen years of age.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one thousand four hundred and fourteen of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine

Delaware River  
toll bridges.

Section 2, act of  
July 25, 1917 (P.  
L. 1180), amended.

Auditor General,  
State Treasurer  
and Secretary of  
Highways consti-  
tuted a commis-  
sion.

Public schools.

hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended by an act, approved the eighteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws, fifty-eight), entitled "An act to amend section one thousand four hundred and fourteen of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and nine), entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith,'" and further amended by an act, approved the twenty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand and eighty-four), entitled "An act to amend section one thousand four hundred and fourteen of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and nine), entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith,'" be further amended to read as follows:

Compulsory  
attendance.

Responsibility of  
parents, &c.

Time of attend-  
ance.

Section 1414. Every child having a legal residence in this Commonwealth, as herein provided, between the ages of eight and sixteen years, is required to attend a day school in which the common English branches provided for in this act are taught in the English language; and every parent, guardian, or other person, in this Commonwealth, having control or charge of any child or children, between the ages of eight and sixteen years, is required to send such child or children to a day school in which the common English branches are taught in the English language; and such child or children shall attend such school continuously through the entire term, during which

the public elementary schools in their respective districts shall be in session: Provided, That the certificate of any principal or teacher of a private school, or of any institution for the education of children, in which the common English branches are taught if the English language, setting forth that the work of said school is in compliance with the provisions of this act, shall be sufficient and satisfactory evidence thereof. Regular daily instruction in the English language, for the time herein required, by a properly qualified private tutor, shall be considered as complying with the provisions of this section, if such instruction is satisfactory to the proper county or district superintendent of schools:

Provido.

Private School.

Private tutor.

Provided further, That the board of school directors in any district of the fourth class may, at a meeting held at any time before the opening of the school term, reduce the period of compulsory attendance for pupils [twelve] *fourteen* years of age or more to not less than seventy per centum of the school term as fixed in such district, in which case, however, the board of school directors must, at the same time, fix the period for the compulsory attendance to begin.

Provido.

APPROVED—The 4th day of April, A. D. 1925.

GIFFORD PINCHOT.

No. 96.

### AN ACT

To amend section two of an act, approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws, nine hundred twelve), entitled "An act providing for the payment of the costs incurred in the trial of convicts and prisoners escaping, or attempting to escape, from the several penitentiaries and reformatories of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, by the respective counties from whose courts the said escaping convicts or prisoners have been committed; and providing for the maintenance of such convicts under sentence for escape, et cetera," by providing that the cost of transporting escaped prisoners from the place of capture to the penitentiary or reformatory, and the cost of maintaining said prisoners in the county jail while awaiting trial for said escape shall be borne by the county from whose courts the said prisoners shall have been originally committed.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section two of an act, approved the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, (Pamphlet Laws, nine hundred and twelve), entitled "An act providing for the payment of the costs incurred in the trial of convicts and prisoners escaping, or attempting to escape, from the several penitentiaries and reformatories of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, by the respective counties from whose courts the said escap-

Escaped convicts  
or prisoners.

Section 2 of act  
of July 22, 1913  
(P. L. 912),  
amended.