Requisition on State Treasurer.

any form of an approved consolidated school or approved joint consolidated school shall present to the Superintendent of Public Instruction in such form as he may prescribe and on blanks to be furnished by him a sworn statement of the amount expended during the previous school year for transporting pupils to and from said school, as herein provided. On the basis of such a statement the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall, by requisition upon the State Treasurer, pay during the month of September to such school district or districts and unions of school districts such reimbursement for the previous year as is provided for in this act.

Approved—The 13th day of May, A. D. 1925. GIFFORD PINCHOT.

No. 342.

AN ACT

To amend section one of an act, approved the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and sixteen), entitled "An act relating to husband and wife who are the parents of minor children, enlarging and extending the power, control and authority of the mother over their minor children, under certain circumstances," giving the mother under all circumstances the same and equal power and rights with the father.

Husband and wife.

Section 1 of act of June 26, 1805 (P. L. 316), amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of an act, approved the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and sixteen), entitled "An act relating to husband and wife who are the parents of minor children, enlarging and extending the power, control and authority of the mother over their minor children, under certain circumstances," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Mother shall have equal authority and right with father over minor child under certain

circumstances.

Proviso.

When either parent deserts child.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That hereafter a married woman, who is the mother of a minor child (and who contributes by the fruits of her own labor or otherwise toward the support, maintenance and education of her said minor child), shall have the same and equal power, control and authority over her said child and shall have the same and equal right to its custody and services and earnings as is now by law possessed by her husband, who is the father of such minor child: Provided, however, That the mother of such minor child is otherwise qualified as a fit and proper person to have the control and custody of said child. If either the father or the mother desert their child or fail to perform their parental duties the right to the custody, services, and earnings of the child shall be-

long to the other: Provided, however, That such remaining parent is otherwise qualified as a fit and proper person to have the control and custody of said child. The father and mother shall have a joint right of action for injuries to their minor child, for the loss of its services and expenses incidental thereto, and either the father or mother shall have the right to sue therefor in the name of both. In case the father and mother live apart the action shall be maintained by the parent having the custody of the child and the control of its services.

Section 2. The following acts or parts of acts Repeat.

of Assembly are hereby repealed absolutely:

Section three of an act, approved the fourth day of Section 5 of act of May 4, 1855 (P. May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five (Pam- L. 430). phlet Laws, four hundred and thirty), entitled "An act relating to certain duties of husband and wife, and parents and children."

Section one of an act, approved the fifth day of May, Section 1 of act of one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet L. 177). Laws, one hundred and seventy-seven), entitled "An act vesting in the mother, in certain cases, the right to the services of her child, and the right to be compensated for the loss of such service."

All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent here other acts inconwith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED—The 13th day of May, A. D. 1925.

GIFFORD PINCHOT.

No. 343.

AN ACT

To amend section eight of the act, approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred fifty-nine), entitled "An act for the better protection of fish; requiring citizens of the United States residing within this Commonwealth to procure a license from the county treasurer to fish or angle in the waters of this Commonwealth, or in the waters bounding or adjacent thereto, and regulating the issuance of such license; providing penaltics for the violation of this act, and the manner of proceeding to enforce compliance therewith; and providing for the disposition of the penaltics recovered and license fees received," appointing the county treasurer engage of the Commonwealth and are the county treasurer as agent of the Commonwealth, and authorizing him to retain certain fees for issuing said licenses, and providing for the disposition of said fees.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section eight of Resident fisherthe act, approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred fifty-nine), entitled "An act for the better section 8 of act protection of fish; requiring citizens of the United (P. L. 559), States residing within this Commonwealth to procure amended. a license from the county treasurer to fish or angle

Right of action for injuries to minor

sistent.