cultural purposes, shall bury the same at least twenty-four inches below the surface. If any line of pipe shall be laid over or through any waste or woodland, which shall afterwards be changed to farming land, then it shall be the duty of the pipe line company to immediately bury the pipe to the depth of at least twenty-four inches as aforesaid. All pipe lines shall be laid above the flood lines, or beneath the bed, in crossing creeks and rivulets within this Commonwealth.

Liability for damages.

(g) Any company laying a pipe line within this Commonwealth shall be liable for all damages occasioned by leakage, breaking of pipes or tanks, or any negligence in the construction, maintenance or operation thereof. All tanks erected within this Commonwealth for the storage or transportation or distribution of oil or any petroleum products, shall be protected and surrounded by proper ditches and embankments, so that, in case said tanks shall break or be broken, the oil or petroleum products stored cannot damage adjoining or adjacent property.

[The construction, maintenance and operation, or removal of every part of an interstate pipe line, or branches thereof, located within this Commonwealth, shall remain subject to the Public Utility Laws of the Commonwealth, notwithstanding any ownership or control of such property or franchises by any pipe line company incorporated under the laws of any other state.]

(h) The powers herein conferred shall be subject to approval of Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission whenever the same is required by the Public Utility Law.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

APPROVED—The 19th day of July, A. D. 1951.

JOHN S. FINE

Approval of Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Act effective immediately.

### No. 225

#### AN ACT

To further amend section 3 of the act, approved the nineteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred thirty-five (Pamphlet Laws 1356), entitled "An act to regulate the sale and delivery of solid fuel, as herein defined; providing for appointment of licensed weighmasters; prescribing their powers and duties; authorizing substitute licensed weighmasters; imposing certain duties on the Department of Internal Affairs; and providing penalties," by requiring different types of solid fuels in one vehicle to be separated and requiring separate weighmaster's certificates for each type.

Solid fuels.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 3 of the act, approved the nine-section 3, act of July 19, 1935, five (Pamphlet Laws 1356), entitled "An act to regulate the sale and delivery of solid final late the sale and delivery of solid fuel, as herein defined; providing for appointment of licensed weighmasters; prescribing their powers and duties; authorizing substitute licensed weightnesses. stitute licensed weighmasters; imposing certain duties tion (7). on the Department of Internal Affairs; and providing penalties," as amended by the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred forty-three (Pamphlet Laws 684), is hereby further amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new subsection to read as follows:

act of May 27, 1943, P. L. 684, further amended

Section 3.

(7) When more than one type of solid fuel is sold or delivered to a consumer, the vehicle making the delivery shall have a partition separating each type of solid fuel, and each type shall be accompanied by a weighmaster's accompanied certificate as otherwise provided for in this act.

Approved—The 19th day of July, A. D. 1951.

Different types of solid fuels in same vehicle to by separate weighmaster's certificate.

# JOHN S. FINE

## No. 226

### AN ACT

To amend clause (a) of section one thousand one hundred seventy-six of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," by further providing for military leaves for employes of school districts.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Clause (a) of section one thousand one hundred seventy-six of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1176. Leave of Absence.—(a) Any employe of any school district, who shall have been regularly employed by said school district for [a] any period [of not less than one year prior thereto], and who shall

"Public School Code of 1949."

Clause (a) of section 1176, act of March 10, 1949 P. L. 30, amended.