

prefers and to witnesses from without the Commonwealth in criminal proceedings before such courts or trial justices. The compensation so allowed shall be paid by the county in which such proceedings are had, in the same manner as is now provided by law for the payment of witness fees.

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wealth.

*Approved May 22, 1893.*

AN ACT CONSTITUTING TEN HOURS IN TWELVE CONSECUTIVE HOURS A DAY'S WORK FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF STREET RAILWAY COMPANIES.

*Chap. 386*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows :*

SECTION 1. A day's work for all conductors, drivers and motormen now employed or who may hereafter be employed by or on behalf of any street railway company in any city or town shall not exceed ten hours' work to be performed within twelve consecutive hours. No officer or agent of any street railway company shall exact from any of its said employees more than the said ten hours' work for a day's labor: *provided, however,* that on all legal holidays, on days when the corporation is required to provide for more than the ordinary travel, and in case of accident or unavoidable delay, extra labor may be performed for extra compensation, and that nothing herein contained shall affect existing written contracts.

A day's work  
for certain em-  
ployees of street  
railway com-  
panies.

Proviso.

SECTION 2. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be fined for each offence a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Penalty.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect on the first day of August in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

To take effect  
Aug. 1, 1893.

*Approved May 23, 1893.*

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL DISTRICT POLICE OFFICER FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE IN THE INSPECTION OF UNINSURED BOILERS.

*Chap. 387*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows :*

SECTION 1. The governor is hereby authorized to appoint one additional member of the district police force, who shall serve for the term of one year, shall receive a salary of fifteen hundred dollars, and shall, under the direction of the chief of said force, inspect uninsured stationary steam boilers and their appurtenances, in this Commonwealth, and inquire into the ability and com-

District police  
officer for the  
inspection of  
certain steam  
boilers.