of Eleventh and G streets northwest between the building lines of
the said streets; nor on any public roadway, street, avenue, or alley
within said District outside of said fire limits at a greater rate of
speed than twenty miles an hour; and when meeting or passing any
other vehicle the speed shall not exceed twelve miles an hour, and
any automobile shall be brought to a full stop whenever the driver of
a horse-drawn vehicle shall signal by raising the hand, and said vehicles
shall at all times be under the control of the driver or operator; and
the driver or operator and the owner or proprietor riding thereon or
therein violating any of the provisions hereof shall, upon conviction
for the first offense, be fined not less than five dollars nor more than
fifty dollars, and shall, upon conviction for the second offense within
one year from the commission of the first offense, be fined not less
than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, or imprisoned for
not less than five days nor more than thirty days, at the discretion of
the court; and shall, upon conviction for the third offense within one
year from the commission of the first offense, and for any and all sub-
sequent offenses, be fined not less than fifty dollars nor more than two
hundred and fifty dollars, and be imprisoned in the workhouse for not
less than thirty days nor more than six months.

Prosecution

SEC. 2. That prosecutions for violation of the provisions of this Act
shall be on information filed in the police court of the District of
Columbia by the corporation counsel or any of his assistants.

Police regulations

SEC. 3. That this Act shall not be held to take away the authority
of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to make police regu-
lations not inconsistent herewith.

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CHAP. 3616.—An Act To amend section five hundred and fifty-eight of the

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That section five hundred
and fifty-eight of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia,
relating to notaries public, be amended by adding at the end of said
section the following: “Provided, That the appointment of any person
as such notary public, or the acceptance of his commission as such, or
the performance of the duties thereunder, shall not disqualify or pre-
vent such person from representing clients before any of the Depart-
ments of the United States Government in the District of Columbia or
elsewhere, provided such person so appointed as a notary public who
appears to practice or represent clients before any such Department is
not otherwise engaged in Government employ, and shall be admitted
by the heads of such Departments to practice therein in accordance
with the rules and regulations prescribed for other persons or attor-
neys who are admitted to practice therein: And provided further,
That no notary public shall be authorized to take acknowledgments,
administer oaths, certify papers, or perform any official acts in con-
nection with matters in which he is employed as counsel, attorney, or
agent or in which he may be in any way interested before any of the
Departments aforesaid.”

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