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Referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Jennings of Strong.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-NINE

AN ACT Relative to Hatchery Employees in Classified Service.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows :

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 33, § 20, amended. Section 20 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 20. Civil Service Commission provided for. The advisory council of the department of inland fisheries and game shall select 3 of its members to act as a civil service commission. The deputy commissioner with the approval of the commissioner shall prepare a written code for examinations for applicants for permanent employment in the warden ~~and the hatchery~~ service of the department. Such code shall not become operative until reduced to writing and approved in writing by the commissioner.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 33, § 22, sub-§§ I, III, IV, amended. Subsections I, III and IV of section 22 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, are hereby amended to read as follows :

'I. The deputy commissioner, with the approval of the commissioner, shall prepare open and competitive examinations for testing the practical fitness of applicants for permanent employment in the warden ~~and the hatchery~~ service.'

III. The habitual use of intoxicating liquor or drugs shall disqualify any person from being appointed or retained in the warden ~~or the hatchery~~ service of the department.'

IV. The civil service commission is authorized to set the age limits within which original appointments to the warden ~~and the hatchery~~ service may be made.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 33, § 25, amended. The 1st sentence of section 25 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'No person in the game warden service ~~or the fish hatchery service~~ shall be dismissed or demoted except for such cause as would reduce the efficiency of the service.'

Sec. 4. R. S., c. 59, § 7, sub-§ X, amended. Subsection X of section 7 of chapter 59 of the revised statutes, is hereby amended to read as follows:

X. Wardens ~~and hatchery employees~~ of the department of inland fisheries and game.'