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to be paid by the person so admitted to bail; but the person admitted to bail shall not be required to pay any other fees or charges to any officer for services connected with the giving of such bail.

No attorney at law who has acted as bail commissioner in any proceeding shall act as attorney for or in behalf of any respondent for whom he has taken taken bail in such proceeding; nor shall any attorney at law who has acted as such attorney for a respondent in any offense act as bail commissioner in any proceeding growing out of the offense with which the respondent is charged or for not finding sureties on a recognizance growing out of such proceeding.'

Approved April 4, 1923.

Chapter 184.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-five of Chapter Seventy-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-one, Relating to Adoption.

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

R. S., c. 72, sec. 35; P. L., 1921, c. 124; relating to adoption of children, amended. Section thirty-five of chapter seventy-two of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred and twenty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, is hereby further amended by adding the word 'minor' before the word "child" in the third line of said section, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 35. Minor children may be adopted on petition therefor. Any unmarried inhabitant of the state, or any husband and wife jointly, may petition the judge of probate for their county for leave to adopt a minor child and for a change of his name. Any unmarried inhabitant of another state, or any non-resident husband and wife jointly, may present such petition in the probate court of the county where such child lives.'

Approved April 4, 1923.

Chapter 185.

An Act Additional to Chapter Two Hundred and Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, as Amended, Fixing the legal Length of, and Also Daily Limit on, Trout and Landlocked Salmon Which May Be Taken in Certain Rangeley Waters, in Franklin and Oxford Counties.

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

Sec. 1. Taking of trout less than 10 inches in length and landlocked salmon less than 14 inches in length in certain waters in Franklin and Oxford counties prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person to take,

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catch and kill, at any time, any trout less than ten inches in length or any landlocked salmon less than fourteen inches in length, in Rangeley lake, in the county of Franklin, or in Cupsuptic lake, in the county of Oxford, or in Mooselucmaguntic lake, partly in the county of Oxford and partly in the county of Franklin, or in Upper Richardson lake, or in Lower Richardson lake, of the Rangeley chain of lakes, in the county of Oxford, or in the portions of Kennebago and Rangeley streams which are open to fishing.

It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any trout less than ten inches in length or any landlocked salmon less than fourteen inches in length taken in any of the above named waters.

Sec. 2. Catch limited to ten pounds. It shall also be unlawful for any person to take, catch and kill in any one day more than ten pounds of landlocked salmon and trout in all in any of the above named lakes.

It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time more than ten pounds of trout and landlocked salmon in all, taken in any one day in any of the above named lakes; except the taking, catching and killing, or having in one's possession one trout or salmon weighing more than ten pounds, or two such fish, each weighing less than ten pounds, shall not be considered a violation of this act.

Sec. 3. Penalty. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall pay a fine of not less than ten nor more than thirty dollars and costs for each offense, and one dollar additional for each fish taken, caught, killed or had in possession in violation hereof.

Approved April 4, 1923.

Chapter 186.

An Act Relating to Fishing in Certain Waters in Franklin and Oxford Counties.
Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. Perpetual close time for fishing in Rangeley stream in Franklin county; exceptions. It shall be unlawful for any person to fish for, take, catch or kill, any kind of fish at any time in Rangeley stream, the outlet of Rangeley lake, which lake is situated in the county of Franklin, except it shall be lawful to fish in said stream from the sign at the old wharf near the head of said stream down to the dam across said stream, and from the upper end of the dead water on said stream to Indian Rock, in the ordinary way of casting with artificial flies or fly fishing, so-called, from the time the ice is out of said stream in the spring until the thirtieth day of September following of each year, both days inclusive; provided, how-