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line thereof the word "other" and by adding at the end of said section the following words, 'Authority to make all reasonable rules and regulations hereunder is hereby given the commissioner of agriculture,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 2. Commissioner of agriculture authorized to make rules and regulations, relating to. Any grower of potatoes or vegetable seeds may make application to the commissioner of agriculture for inspection and certification of this crop growing or to be grown in this state, giving description of his land and such information as the commissioner may require. He shall also enter into an agreement to pay such fee into the treasury of state for said inspection and certification as the commissioner shall deem necessary to cover the cost of inspection and certification. Thereupon his crops shall be listed for inspection and inspected and certified by the commissioner or his agents under such rules and regulations as the commissioner may provide. Authority to make all reasonable rules and regulations hereunder is hereby given the commissioner of agriculture.'

Sec. 3. New section added. And the said chapter sixty-two is hereby further amended by adding thereto after section five the following section,

'Sec. 6. Persons in arrears of payments not entitled to further services. No person who is in arrears as to payment for past services of the department of agriculture hereunder shall be entitled to further services until payment of all such arrears shall have been made.'

Sec. 4. P. L., 1923, c. 62, sec. 6; renumbered sec. 7. Section six of said chapter sixty-two is hereby renumbered to become section seven.

Approved March 14, 1925.

Chapter 22.

An Act to Regulate Fishing in Miller Brook, a Tributary to Moose Pond, in the Town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland.

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

Sec. 1. Perpetual closed time for fishing in Miller brook established. It shall be unlawful for any person to fish for, take, catch or kill any kind of fish at any time in Miller brook, so-called, a tributary to Moose pond, which pond is situated in the town of Bridgton, in the county of Cumberland.

It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any kind of fish taken in said Miller brook.

Sec. 2. Penalties. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten nor more than thirty dollars and costs for each offense, and an additional penalty of one dollar for each fish taken, caught, killed or had in possession, in violation of any provision of this act.

Sec. 3. Jurisdiction granted to trial justices, police and municipal courts. Trial justices, police and municipal courts, within their respective counties shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent jurisdiction with the supreme judicial court and superior courts in all prosecutions arising under this act.

Approved March 14, 1925.

Chapter 23.

An Act to Regulate the Appointment of Guardians for Adults and the Appointment of Conservators when the Judge of Probate is Interested and to Amend Sections Four and Ten of Chapter Seventy-two of the Revised Statutes.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 72, sec. 4; relating to appointment of guardians for adults, amended. Section four of chapter seventy-two of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding the following after the word "reside" at the end of the first paragraph:

'But when any judge is interested, either in his own right, in trust, or in any other manner, or is within the sixth degree of kindred, said application shall be made to, and such appointment shall be made by, the judge in any adjoining county and the record of said appointment shall show why it was so made,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'**Sec. 4. When judge is interested jurisdiction granted to judge in any adjoining county.** The judge of probate may appoint guardians to the following persons belonging to his county, although over twenty-one years of age, on written application of any of their friends, relatives or creditors, or of the municipal officers or overseers of the poor of the town where they reside; but when the judge is interested, either in his own right, in trust, or in any other manner, or is within the sixth degree of kindred, said application shall be made to, and such appointment shall be made by, the judge in any adjoining county and the record of said appointment shall show why it was so made:

I. All persons, including those insane or of unsound mind, and married women, who, by reason of infirmity or mental incapacity, are incompetent to manage their own estates, or to protect their rights.