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and twenty-one and by chapters twenty-one, one hundred and five, and one hundred and ninety-seven of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-three is hereby further amended by striking out in the twelfth line of said section the words "Knox, fifteen hundred dollars," and inserting in place thereof the words 'Knox, eighteen hundred dollars,' so that said twelfth line of said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Knox county increased. 'Knox, eighteen hundred dollars.'

Approved March 25, 1925.

Chapter 53.

An Act Relating to Police Regulations at Stations.

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

R. S., c. 57, sec. 9; P. L., 1917, c. 198; relating to loitering in cars, stations or grounds of railroad or steamboat corporations, amended. Section nine of chapter fifty-seven, of the revised statutes as amended by chapter one hundred and ninety-eight of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen is hereby further amended by striking out all of said section and substituting therefor the following:

'Sec. 9. Automobile drivers and other persons prohibited from soliciting passengers in competition with railroad or steamboat corporations. No person shall loiter or remain, without right, within any car, or station-house of a railroad corporation or steamboat, or upon the platform or grounds adjoining such station, after being requested to leave the same by any railroad officer, or officer or agent of such steamboat, and no person or driver or owner of any automobile or other vehicle shall solicit passengers in any station or on the station grounds or wharves of any railroad corporation or steamboat corporation in competition with such railroad corporation or steamboat corporation, without a written permit signed by an officer of such corporation authorized to issue the same. Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars.'

Approved March 25, 1925.

Chapter 54.

An Act Relating to Fishing in Sunday River, in Oxford County.

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

Sec. 1. Perpetual closed time for fishing in Sunday river established; exceptions. It shall be unlawful for any person to fish for, take, catch

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or kill any kind of fish at any time in Sunday river, so-called, which waters are situated in the town of Bethel and in the town of Newry, and in Riley Plantation, in the county of Oxford, or in any of the tributaries to said river, except it shall be lawful to fish in said Sunday river below "The Forks," so-called, in said Riley Plantation, in accordance with the general law of the state, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any kind of fish taken in violation of any provision of this act.

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 one dollar additional 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 courts and superior courts in all prosecutions arising under this act.

Approved March 25, 1925.

Chapter 55.

An Act Relating to the Trapping of Fur-bearing Animals.

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

P. L., 1917, c. 219, sec. 50; 1917, c. 244; 1919, c. 196; relating to licenses for trapping fur-bearing animals, amended. Section fifty of chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapter two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen and by chapter one hundred and ninety-six of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, is hereby further amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

'Sec. 50. License fee for organized territory \$5; minors under sixteen years trapping in organized territory exempt; trapping on own or leased land exempt; report to be made on or before Dec. 31; penalties decreased. Whoever hunts, captures or traps any fur-bearing animal, or animals, except bobcats, loupceviers or Canada Lynx, anywhere in the state, shall annually procure a license therefor from the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, paying therefor a fee of ten dollars for such hunting or trapping provided, however, that the annual fee for such hunting or trapping within the limits of the cities, towns and plantations of the state