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state, or which shall hereafter be enacted, for the purpose of regulating the reporting of contagious diseases, deaths, or births, to the proper authorities, and to which the registered practitioner of medicine is subject, shall apply equally to the practitioner of osteopathy, and all reports and health certificates made by osteopathic physicians shall be accepted by the officers of the departments to which the same are made equally with the reports and health certificates of doctors of medicine.'

Approved March 11, 1929.

## Chapter 37.

An Act to Repeal Section Thirty-four of Chapter One Hundred and Forty-two of the Revised Statutes Relating to the Employment of Convicts in the State Prison.

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

R. S., c. 142, sec. 34; relating to employment of convicts in the state prison, repealed. Section thirty-four of chapter one hundred and forty-two of the revised statutes is hereby repealed.

Approved March 11, 1929.

## Chapter 38.

An Act Relating to the Destruction of Fish in East Machias Waters.

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

**Sec. 1.** P. & S. L., 1833, c. 320, sec. 1; relating to fishing in East Machias waters, amended. To amend section one of chapter three hundred and twenty of the special laws of eighteen hundred and thirty-three, as follows: Strike out the words "under a penalty of twenty dollars for every barrel or less quantity of salmon" and insert in lieu thereof, the words 'under a penalty of five dollars for every salmon,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'**Sec. 1. Penalty amended.** That, from and after the passing of this act, no person shall be allowed to take any salmon, shad or alewives, in the waters of the Machias East river, with any large net, seine, spears or scoop-nets between sunrise on Friday of each week and sunrise on Tuesday of each succeeding week, under a penalty of five dollars for every salmon, of fifteen dollars for every barrel or less quantity of shad; and of five dollars for every barrel or less quantity of alewives, so taken.'

**Sec. 2.** P. & S., 1867, c. 186, sec. 8; relating to taking of fish near fish-ways, amended. Section eight as amended by chapter one hundred and eighty-six of the special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, is hereby amended to read as follows:

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**‘Sec. 8. Regulating location, time and method of fishing.** That no person shall take fish of either of the kinds aforesaid on that side of the center of the river on which any fish-way is or may be established within ten rods of the entrance of said fish-way. It shall be unlawful to take fish of either of the kinds aforesaid on the west side of the center of the said river within twelve rods of the Bangor Hydro-Electric Company’s dam. No person, between the fifteenth day of May and the fifteenth day of July, shall take any salmon, shad or alewives, in any manner, except by hook and line, in the spillway of the Bangor Hydro-Electric Company’s plant on said river within one hundred and thirty feet of the power house of said company, under a penalty of five dollars for every salmon, of fifteen dollars for every barrel or less quantity of shad; and of five dollars for every barrel or less quantity of alewives, so taken.’

Approved March 11, 1929.

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## Chapter 39.

An Act Relating to the Formation of Corporations Having Stock Without Par Value.

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

**P. L., 1921, c. 224, sec. 117; relating to how non-par shares may be disposed of, amended.** Section one hundred and seventeen of chapter two hundred and twenty-four of the public laws of Maine, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, is amended by inserting in the ninth line of said section after the word “non-assessable” and before the word “The” the words ‘The stockholders at a meeting duly called and held for the purpose or the board of directors when acting under any general or special authority granted by the stockholders may determine at the time of the issue thereof what part of the consideration received for issued shares without par or face value shall be capital stock, and what part of said consideration shall be paid-in surplus available for dividends and other corporate purposes,’ so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

**‘Sec. 117. Stockholders may determine how consideration shall be divided.** Corporations may issue and dispose of their authorized shares having no par or face value for such consideration as may be prescribed in the certificate of organization or in the certificate of amendment, or if no consideration is so prescribed then for such consideration as may be fixed by the stockholders at a meeting duly called and held for the purpose, or by the board of directors when acting under general or special authority granted by the stockholders. Any and all shares issued for the consideration prescribed or fixed in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be fully paid and non-assessable. The stockholders at a meeting duly