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of inland fisheries and game may issue as many extra copies of the said chapter thirty-eight in whatever size pamphlet seems best to him as he deems necessary or helpful to inform the people as to the fish and game laws.'

Approved March 30, 1931.

Chapter 105.

AN ACT to Prevent the Pollution of the Waters of Chase's Pond in the County of York.

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

To prevent pollution of waters of Chase's Pond. No person shall use any boat upon the waters of Chase's Pond in the county of York, or fish therein, or in any way defile or pollute the waters thereof; provided, however, that nothing in this act shall prevent the necessary uses of said pond by the York Water District. Whoever violates the provisions of this act, shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than sixty days.

Approved March 30, 1931.

Chapter 106.

AN ACT Relating to Classification of Registered Guides.

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

- Sec. 1. R. S., c. 38, sec. 16; relating to classification of registered guides, amended. Section sixteen of chapter thirty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section, and by inserting in place thereof the following:
- Sec. 16. Applications for registration shall be made to the commissioner in writing; fees; revocation of registration. An applicant for registration as a guide shall apply in writing to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, setting forth in his application whether he desires to be registered as a Class A or Class B guide; and the commissioner may, upon sufficient proof as to his competency, register such person as a Class A or Class B guide, a Class A rating to carry a higher rank as to proficiency and experience than a Class B rating; and said commissioner may, at his discretion, promote or demote guides from one class to another, and may, for cause shown, after due notice and hearing, cancel any registration by

him made. A fee of one dollar shall be paid annually for the registration as herein provided. Non-residents may be so licensed for restricted areas upon payment of a fee of twenty dollars.

Whenever a guide registered, as provided in this section, is charged with having violated any of the inland fish and game laws, the commissioner may suspend his certificate of registration; and whenever a guide so registered is convicted of a violation of the inland fish and game laws, said commissioner may cancel his registration; but such person may thereafter be registered again at the discretion of the commissioner. Any certificate canceled or suspended by virtue of this section shall be immediately returned to the commissioner.

Sec. 2. When act shall take effect. This act shall take effect on January one, nineteen hundred thirty-two.

Approved March 30, 1931.

Chapter 107.

AN ACT Repealing Obsolete Appropriation Law.

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

R. S., c. 2, secs. 114 and 115, repealed. Sections one hundred fourteen and one hundred fifteen of chapter two of the revised statutes are hereby repealed.

Approved March 30, 1931.

Chapter 108.

AN ACT Relative to the Issuing of Hunting Licenses.

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

Regulation of issuance of hunting licenses. Any person who, while in pursuit of wild game, shoots and kills a human being, through mistaking a human being for wild game, shall thereafter not be eligible to procure a hunting license nor shall any town clerk or other person authorized by law to issue such license, issue such license to such persons.

Approved March 30, 1931.