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Chapter 34.

AN ACT Relating to Taking of White Fish in Mattawamkeag Lake.

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

R. S., c. 38, § 28, relating to taking of white fish in Mattawamkeag lake, amended. Section 28 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby amended so that the last sentence thereof shall read as follows:

'Except that gill nets of not larger than 1¼ inch mesh may be used in the taking of white fish in Eastern Grand lake and Hot Brook lake in Aroostook and Washington counties and in Baskahegan lake in Washington county, and in Mattawamkeag lake in Aroostook county during the month of November of each year.'

Approved March 8, 1935.

Chapter 35.

AN ACT Relating to Persons Maintaining Licensed Homes for Children. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

P. L., 1933, c. 1, §§ 209, 210, amended. Sections 209 and 210 of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933 are hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 209. Persons maintaining children's homes to have license. No person, firm, corporation, or association shall conduct or maintain a boarding-house or home for $\frac{1}{3}$ or more children one or more children under 16 years of age, unattended by parents or guardian, excepting children related to such persons by blood or marriage, or who have been legally adopted by such persons, or engage in, or assist in conducting a business of placing out or finding homes or otherwise disposing of children under 16 years of age, without having in full force a written license therefor from the department; provided, that nothing in this section shall apply to any institution, which is or shall come under the supervision of the department under any other provisions of this chapter. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not more than 60 days.'

'Sec. 210. Definition of "boarding-house for children." The term "boarding-house for children" as used in the preceding section shall be held to mean a house or other place conducted or maintained by any one who advertises himself or holds himself out as conducting a boarding place for children under 16 years of age, or who receives illegitimate children under 16 years of age, or who has in his custody or control $\frac{1}{3}$ or more children one or more children under 16 years of age unattended by parents

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or guardians, for the purpose of providing such children with food or lodging, excepting children related to him by blood or marriage or who have been legally adopted by him.

The term "home for children" as used in said preceding section, shall be held to mean any children's home, orphanage, or other institution, association, organization, or individual engaged in receiving, caring for, and finding homes for orphaned, dependent, and neglected children.

Whoever advertises himself or holds himself out as placing or finding homes for, or otherwise disposing of children under 16 years of age, or whoever within a period of 6 menths actually places or assists in placing in homes of persons other than relatives or causes or assists in causing the adoption or disposal otherwise of **one or** more than = children under 16 years of age, shall be deemed as engaged or assisting in conducting a business of placing out or finding homes for children within the meaning of said section.'

Approved March 15, 1935.

Chapter 36.

AN ACT Relating to Clerk Hire in County Offices in Oxford County.

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

R. S., c. 125, § 46, ¶ 10, amended. Paragraph 10 of section 46 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Oxford county: for clerks in the office of the register of deeds, \$800, and such additional amount as may be authorized by the county commissioners; for clerks in the office of the register of probate, \$800; for clerks in the office of clerk of courts, six hundred dollars \$800.'

Approved March 15, 1935.

Chapter 37.

AN ACT Relating to Law Court Briefs.

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

R. S., c. 91, § **75, repealed.** Section 75 of chapter 91 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed.

Approved March 15, 1935.