

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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CHAP. 213

ment for a term of not more than 3 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and whoever is convicted the 2nd time for a violation of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$200 and not more than \$500, or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'

Approved April 20, 1937.

Chapter 212**AN ACT Relating to Indians.**

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

Sec. 1. P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 295-A, additional. Chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 295-A, and to read as follows:

'Sec. 295-A. Indians to have free hunting and fishing. All Indians of over 18 years of age of both the Passamaquoddy and the Penobscot tribes may procure from the commissioner of inland fisheries and game a license to hunt and fish free of charge upon presentation to the commissioner of a certificate from the Indian agent of their respective tribe stating that the person described therein is an Indian and a member of that tribe. Holders of such licenses shall be subject to all the laws of the state and rules and regulations of the commissioner relative to fishing and hunting, and for violation of said laws of the state or rules and regulations of the commissioner said licenses shall be revoked as provided in chapter 38 of the revised statutes as revised. For the purposes of this section, no person shall be considered an Indian unless his father and mother were Indians.'

Sec. 2. Inconsistent acts repealed. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved April 20, 1937.

Chapter 213**AN ACT Relating to Vital Statistics.**

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

R. S., c. 4, § 9, amended. Section 9 of chapter 4 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

and provided further that on and after August 1st, 1937, all projects to be undertaken within the provisions of this section shall first be listed with and approved in writing by the state librarian.'

Approved April 20, 1937.

Chapter 214

AN ACT to Permit Loan and Building Associations to Consolidate or Transfer Assets.

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

R. S., c. 57, additional. Chapter 57 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 120-A, and to read as follows:

'Sec. 120-A. May consolidate or transfer assets; requirements. Any 2 or more loan and building associations organized under the laws of this state may consolidate into 1 association, or any loan and building association may transfer its engagements, funds and property to any other such association, under such terms as shall be mutually agreed upon by the directors of such associations when approved by $\frac{2}{3}$ of all the shareholders of each association, after notice of such intention shall have been sent by mail to each shareholder of the associations involved, at his, her or its last known address, as shown on the books of each association, and after such notice shall have been published once a week for 3 successive weeks in 1 of the newspapers published in the county where each association has its principal place of business, the last notice published and the notices by mail to be sent at least 14 days prior to the date of the meeting named in the call. Any shareholder not present at the meeting in person shall be regarded as having voted for the transfer or consolidation and shall be counted as being among the required $\frac{2}{3}$ affirmative vote, provided notice of this fact shall be contained in the notices so mailed and in the publication so published; but such transfer or consolidation shall not prejudice the right of any creditor of any association to have payment of his debt out of the assets thereof, nor shall any creditor be thereby deprived of, or prejudiced in any right of action then existing against the officers or directors of said association for any neglect or misconduct; providing that the reorganized association shall be liable for all obligations of the association existing prior to such consolidation, and providing, further, that no consolidation or transfer as provided herein shall take effect until the terms and conditions have been approved by the bank com-