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of township 5 range 9, township 4 range 9 and township 3 range 9, the same being the easterly line of the county of Piscataquis, 18 miles more or less to the southeast corner of township 3 range 9; thence westerly along the southerly line of township 3 range 9 and township 3 range 10, 12 miles more or less to the southwest corner of township 3 range 10; thence northerly along the westerly line of township 3 range 10, township 4 range 10 and township 5 range 10, 18 miles more or less to the northwest corner of township 5 range 10; thence easterly along the northerly line of township 5 range 10 and township 5 range 9, 12 miles more or less to the northeast corner of township 5 range 9, the point of beginning, including 141,397 acres more or less.'

Approved February 24, 1941

Chapter 27

AN ACT Enlarging the Powers and Duties of the State Auditor.

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

P. L., 1931, c. 216, Art. VI, § 3, amended. Section 3 of Article VI of chapter 216 of the public laws of 1931, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 3. General powers and duties. The department of audit shall have authority:

I. To perform a postaudit of all accounts and other financial records of the state government, or any department, or agency thereof, and to report annually on this audit, and at such other times as the legislature may require;

2. To install uniform accounting systems and perform postaudits of all accounts and other financial records of the several counties, or any departments, or agencies thereof, the expenses of such audits to be paid by the counties and reports of such audits shall accompany the county estimates submitted to the legislature as provided by section 67 of chapter 13 of the revised statutes, as amended, and shall be published in the county reports next following the completion of such audits;

 \Rightarrow . 3. To install uniform accounting systems and \Rightarrow perform audits for cities, towns, and villages as required by sections 97 to 106, inclusive, of chapter 5 of the revised statutes, as amended;

4. To install uniform accounting systems and perform postaudits for the clerks of superior courts, judges and recorders of municipal courts,

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trial justices and probation officers, the expenses of such audits to be paid as follows: 50% by the county where the audit is performed, 30% by the state highway department and 20% by the department of inland fisheries and game;

5. To perform a postaudit of all accounts and other financial records of the state normal schools and the Port of Portland Authority, the expenses of such audits to be paid respectively by the state normal schools and the Port of Portland Authority;

3. 6. To serve as a staff agency to the legislature, or any of its committees, or to the governor, in making investigations of any phase of the state's finances.'

Approved March 4, 1941

Chapter 28

AN ACT Relating to the State Boxing Commission.

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

P. L., 1939, c. 282, § 9, amended. Section 9 of chapter 282 of the public laws of 1939, is hereby amended by adding at the end of the 3rd paragraph thereof, the following:

', but when application, by a well reputed fraternal, charitable or patriotic organization, for holding amateur boxing contests, is made to the commission, it may grant such license and without the requirement of the payment of the fees hereinbefore enumerated.'

Approved March 8, 1941

Chapter 29

AN ACT Relative to Industrial Banks.

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

R. S., c. 57, § 139, ¶ II, amended. Paragraph II of section 139 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'II. Make any loan for a longer period than one year 2 years from the date thereof, except in the case of loans that are eligible for insurance under

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