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ACTS AND RESOLVES
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STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-first Legislature

1943

Chapter 30

AN ACT Relating to the Method of Financing the Jointly-Contributory Retirement System for State Employees, Except Teachers.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 227-M, sub-§ 6, amended. Subsection 6 of section 227-M of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933, as enacted by chapter 328 of the public laws of 1941, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'(6) The board of trustees shall submit budget estimates to the state budget officer in accordance with the provisions of chapter 216 of the public laws of 1931. These estimates shall show the total requirements for the pension accumulation fund and for the expense fund for the ensuing biennium. These amounts shall be broken down in such a way as to permit the proper allocation of costs among the general fund of the state, the general highway fund, and such other funds as it may be found practicable by the state budget officer to charge with their proportionate share of the cost. The amount determined as due from the general fund shall be included in the appropriation bill transmitted to the legislature by the governor with the budget document. Payments to the retirement system of the amounts appropriated for the pension accumulation fund and for the expense fund shall be made in quarterly installments on the 1st day of July, October, January, and April.'

Effective July 9, 1943

Chapter 31

AN ACT Relating to Trapping Season for Muskrats.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 38, § 72, amended. The 3rd paragraph of subsection (a) of section 72 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'April 1st to May 10th, inclusive, in the counties of Franklin, Hancock, Kennebec, Penobscot (except as prohibited in section 72-C), Piscataquis, Somerset, Oxford and Washington.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 38, § 72-C, amended. Section 72-C of chapter 38 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 72-C. Unlawful to trap and hunt fur-bearing animals. No person shall at any time hunt or trap any fur-bearing animal ~~except muskrats~~ on Number 3 pond located in the town of Lee and in township No. 3, range 1 north of the Bingham and Penobscot Purchase, nor on any stream flowing into said pond. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be subject to the same penalties provided under section 107 of this chapter.'

Effective July 9, 1943

Chapter 32

AN ACT Relating to Registration of Trucks.

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

R. S., c. 29, § 57, amended. Section 57 of chapter 29 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding before the last paragraph thereof the following paragraph:

'Provided, however, that trucks for the registration of which a fee of \$100 or more has been paid, may be operated on the highways during the month of December of the year in which such fee has been paid, and during the months of January and February of the year immediately following, with any overload; providing it is not in excess of the requirements of section 56.'

Effective July 9, 1943

Chapter 33

AN ACT Relating to Itinerant Vendors.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 46, §§ 11 to 27, repealed. Sections 11 to 27 of chapter 46 of the revised statutes are hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 46, additional. Chapter 46 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new sections to be numbered sections 11 to 27, and to read as follows:

'Sec. 11. Itinerant vendors not to sell without license; penalty. Any itinerant vendor who sells or exposes for sale, at public or private sale, any goods, wares, and merchandise without state and local licenses therefor, issued as hereinafter provided, shall be punished for each offense by a fine of not more than \$200 or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'