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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-fifth Legislature

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discovery in the manner provided in section 5 for recording claims in the registry of deeds in the county where the discovery was made. After giving such notices and making the recording the prospector shall notify the owner of the land.

Sec. 14. Prospector to have vested interest. The discovery of a deposit, and the filing and recording and giving notice, as required by section 13, shall vest in the prospector, his heirs and assigns an interest in the deposits to the extent of 5%, unless otherwise agreed, of the net profits derived by any person, firm or corporation who shall mine the deposit. This claim shall expire in 20 years from date of filing of claim unless a new agreement is made.'

Effective August 20, 1951

## Chapter 299

AN ACT Relating to Fees for Boiler Inspection and Certificates.

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

R. S., c. 25, § 59, amended. The 1st sentence of section 59 of chapter 25 of the revised statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 277 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Each steam boiler used or proposed to be used within this state, except boilers exempt under the provisions of section 64, shall be thoroughly inspected internally and externally while not under pressure by the chief inspector or by one of the deputy inspectors or special inspectors provided for herein, as to its design, construction, installation, condition and operation; and if it shall be found to be suitable and to conform to the rules of the board of boiler rules, upon payment by the owner or user of such a boiler of the sum of ~~\$1~~ \$2 to the chief inspector, the latter shall issue to such owner or user an inspection certificate for each such boiler.'

Effective August 20, 1951

## Chapter 300

AN ACT Relating to Guides' Qualifications, License and License Revocation.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 33, § 27, amended. Section 27 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 27. Guides shall be licensed by commissioner; must furnish such

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information as commissioner requires. No person shall engage in the business of guiding, either for inland fishing or forest or shore hunting, until he has procured a ~~certificate~~ license so to do from the commissioner. Each ~~registered~~ licensed guide shall, from time to time, as often as requested by said commissioner, forward, on blanks furnished him by said commissioner, a statement of the number of persons he has guided during the time called for in said statement, the number of days he has been employed as a guide, and such other information relative to inland fish and game, forest fires and the preservation of the forests in the localities where he has guided, as the commissioner may deem of importance to the state.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 33, § 29, amended. Section 29 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 29. Applications for guide's license shall be made to the commissioner in writing; fees; revocation of license. An applicant for ~~registration as a guide~~ a guide's license shall apply in writing to the commissioner, setting forth ~~in his application~~ qualifications ~~whether he desires to be registered as a Class A or Class B guide; and the~~. The commissioner may, upon sufficient proof as to his competency, ~~register such persons as a Class A or Class B guide~~ issue the license. No person shall be issued a ~~Class A~~ guide's ~~certificate~~ license unless he is physically, mentally and morally capable of guiding and caring for a party ~~anywhere~~ in the forests or on the waters of the state and said commissioner may, at his discretion, ~~promote or demote guides from one class to another~~ cancel the license of any guide for incompetency.

A fee of \$7.50 shall be paid annually for ~~the registration of a Class A guide and a fee of \$6 shall be paid annually for a Class B guide~~ a resident guide's license. Non-residents may be so licensed upon payment of a fee of \$50. Persons licensed under this section may hunt and fish by virtue of their guide's license.

Whenever a guide ~~registered~~ licensed, 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~~ license. Whenever a licensed guide is convicted of having violated any of the inland fish and game laws in the conduct of his guiding activities, the commissioner shall suspend his license as provided in section 64.'