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'V. License fee. The fee for a lobster and crab fishing license is \$5 \$10 which the applicant shall enclose with his application.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37-A, § 66, sub-§ V-A, additional. Section 66 of chapter 37-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 331 of the public laws of 1959, is amended by adding a new subsection V-A, to read as follows:

'V-A. Lobster Fund. Five dollars of the license fee received from each \$10 for lobster and crab fishing licenses shall be allocated to the Lobster Fund.

A. The commissioner may expend any and all of the money in the Lobster Fund from time to time for the purpose of propagation of lobsters, and for purchasing seed lobsters from Maine lobster pounds and female lobsters from Maine wholesale lobster dealers and liberating said lobsters in Maine coastal waters.

B. The Lobster Fund does not lapse. Fees so collected or allocated in any one year may be used in the same or any succeeding year.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 169

AN ACT Regulating Vaccine Dealers and Distributors.

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

R. S., c. 32, § 48-M, amended. Section 48-M of chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 239 of the public laws of 1959, is amended by adding at the end 4 new paragraphs to read as follows:

'No person, firm or corporation, except licensed veterinarians, shall offer for sale or distribution, within the State, any biological product containing living organisms or viruses offered for use in the treatment or prevention of diseases of poultry, without first obtaining a permit to act as salesman or distributor from the Division of Animal Industry.

The commissioner shall promulgate rules and regulations as to refrigeration, handling, shipping, disposing of out-dated material, and sale of such products.

Any person not complying with said rules and regulations shall have his permit revoked, after proper hearing before said commissioner or his agent.

This section shall not apply to registered pharmacies.'

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Chapter 170

AN ACT to Clarify the Employment Security Law.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 29, § 3, sub-§ XVI, amended. Subsection XVI of section 3 of chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'XVI. State. "State" includes, in addition to the states of the United States of America, ~~Alaska, Hawaii~~ Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 29, § 15, sub-§ V, amended. The last paragraph of subsection V of section 15 of chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 12 of chapter 381 of the public laws of 1957 and amended by chapter 334 of the public laws of 1959, is further amended to read as follows:

'If such remuneration under paragraphs A and C is less than the benefits which would otherwise be due under this chapter, he shall be entitled to receive for such week, if otherwise eligible, benefits reduced by the amount of such remuneration, provided that any fraction of a dollar included in the weekly remuneration received under paragraph C shall be disregarded;'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 171

AN ACT Providing for Emergency Interim Executive and Judicial Succession.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 1, §§ 21-A - 21-L, additional. Chapter 1 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding 12 new sections to be numbered 21-A to 21-L, to read as follows:

'Emergency Interim Executive and Judicial Succession.

Sec. 21-A. Short title. Sections 21-A to 21-L shall be known and may be cited as the "Emergency Interim Executive and Judicial Succession Act."

Sec. 21-B. Statement of policy. Because of the existing possibility of attack upon the United States of unprecedented size and destructiveness, and in order, in the event of such an attack, to assure continuity of government through legally constituted leadership, authority and responsibility in offices of the government of the State and its political subdivisions; to provide for the effective operation of government during an emergency; and to facilitate the early resumption of functions temporarily suspended, it is found and declared to be necessary to provide for additional officers who can exercise the powers and discharge the duties of governor; to provide for emergency interim succession to governmental offices of this State and its political subdivisions in the event the incumbents thereof, and their deputies, assistants or other subordinate officers authorized, pursuant to law, to exercise all of the powers and discharge the duties of such offices, hereinafter in sections 21-A to 21-L referred to as deputies, are unavailable to perform the duties and functions of such offices; and to provide for special emergency judges who can exercise the powers and discharge the duties of judicial offices in the event regular judges are unavailable.

Sec. 21-C. Definitions. Unless otherwise clearly required by the context, as used in sections 21-A to 21-L:

I. Attack. "Attack" means any attack or series of attacks by an enemy of the United States causing, or which may cause, substantial damage or injury