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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

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'XXXIII. Registered mail. The words "registered mail" when used in connection with any requirement for notice by mail shall mean either registered mail or certified mail.'

Effective September 16, 1961

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## Chapter 218

AN ACT Relating to Trapping Season on Muskrats in Washington County and by Members of Penobscot Tribe of Indians.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 113, sub-§ I, amended. The 4th paragraph of subsection I of section 113 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended to read as follows:

'The open season on mink and muskrat shall be during the month of November in each calendar year; except that the open season on muskrat in Washington County shall be from April 1st to April 30th of each year and in York Counties County shall be only from March 20th to April 20th in each year; and except that the open season on muskrat within the watershed of Saco River in Oxford County, and on all lakes, ponds, marshes and streams tributary thereto, and within said county, shall be only from the first day of November to the 25th day of April in the following year.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37, § 113, sub-§ VIII, additional. Section 113 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended by adding a new subsection VIII, to read as follows:

'VIII. Spring trapping by Penobscot Indians. In addition to any open trapping season provided by this section, there shall be an open season on muskrats from March 1st to May 1st on all lands and islands belonging to the Penobscot Tribe of Indians. It shall be unlawful for any person not a member of said Penobscot Tribe to trap muskrats during such open season.'

Effective September 16, 1961

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## Chapter 219

AN ACT Relating to Prices of Milk Sold by Producers to Dealers by Bulk Tank.

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

R. S., c. 33, § 4, amended. The last paragraph of section 4 of chapter 33 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 341 of the public laws of 1955, is amended to read as follows:

'The minimum prices established for sales of milk by producers to dealers ~~shall~~ may, if such sales are made by bulk tank, be increased by such amounts per hundredweight as may be determined by the Maine Milk Commission. Violation

of this paragraph shall be sufficient cause for the Maine Milk Commission to revoke or withhold a dealer's license.'

Effective September 16, 1961

## Chapter 220

AN ACT Relating to Open Season for Fishing on Brooks and Streams in Cumberland County.

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

R. S., c. 37, § 44, sub-§ I-A, additional. Section 44 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended by adding a new subsection to be numbered I-A, to read as follows:

'I-A. Open season for fishing in Cumberland County. There shall be an open season for fishing on brooks and streams in Cumberland County from the last Saturday of April to August 15th of each year.'

Effective September 16, 1961

## Chapter 221

AN ACT to Regulate Credit Life and Credit Accident and Health Insurance.

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

R. S., c. 60, §§ 170-A - 170-N, additional. Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding 14 new sections to be numbered 170-A to 170-N, to read as follows:

'Credit Life and Credit Accident and Health Insurance.

Sec. 170-A. Purpose. The purpose of sections 170-A to 170-N is to promote the public welfare by regulating credit life insurance and credit accident and health insurance. Nothing in sections 170-A to 170-N is intended to prohibit or discourage reasonable competition. Sections 170-A to 170-N shall be liberally construed.

Sec. 170-B. Scope and definitions:

I. Scope. All life insurance and all accident and health insurance in connection with loans or other credit transactions shall be subject to sections 170-A to 170-N, except such insurance in connection with a loan or other credit transaction of more than 5 years duration; nor shall insurance be subject to sections 170-A to 170-N where the issuance of such insurance is an isolated transaction on the part of the insurer not related to an agreement or a plan for insuring debtors of the creditor.

II. Definitions. For the purpose of sections 170-A to 170-N:

A. "Credit life insurance" means insurance on the life of a debtor pursuant to or in connection with a specific loan or other credit transaction.