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indecent or immoral literature or representations; or in any manner hires, uses or employs any minor to sell or give away, or in any manner to distribute, or who, having the care, custody or control of any minor, permits such minor to sell or give away, or in any manner to distribute any book, magazine, pamphlet or newspaper as described in this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or by both.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 30

AN ACT Relating to Number of Catch of Fish in Aroostook County.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 45, amended. The first sentence of section 45 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended to read as follows:

'No person shall take, catch, kill or have in possession more than 10 12 fish of the salmon, trout, togue or black bass species during any one day of any open season, from any or all of the rivers, streams, brooks, lakes and ponds inland waters of the State except in the County of Aroostook and except as provided for by rules and regulations of the department under section 9.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37, § 45, amended. Section 45 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended by inserting after the first sentence a new sentence to read as follows:

'No person shall take, catch, kill or have in possession more than 15 fish of the salmon, trout, togue or black bass species during any one day of any open season, from any or all of the inland waters of Aroostook County except as provided for by rules and regulations of the department under section 9.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 31

AN ACT Relating to Penalty for Conveyance of Land in Plats without Approval.

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

R. S., c. 90-A, § **61, sub-**§ **V,** ¶ **A, sub-**¶ **7, amended.** Subparagraph 7 of paragraph A of subsection V of section 61 of chapter 90-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 405 of the public laws of 1957, is amended to read as follows:

7. A person who conveys or agrees to convey any land by reference to a plat which has not been approved as required by this subsection, and recorded by the proper register of deeds, shall be punished by a fine of not

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more than \$200 for each lot conveyed or agreed to be conveyed. A municipality may be enjoin enjoined by any municipality from the conveyance or agreement to convey.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 32

AN ACT Relating to Property Tax Appeals.

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

R. S., c. 91-A, § 53, amended. Section 53 of chapter 91-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 399 of the public laws of 1955, is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 53. Commissioner appointed to hear the parties and report. All appeals to the Superior Court under the provisions of sections 50 and 51 may be referred by the court to the State Tax Assessor, who shall hear the parties and report his findings to the court together with a transcript of the evidence. Such report shall be prima facio evidence of the facts thereby found; or the The court may in its discretion appoint a commissioner to hear the parties and to report to the court the facts or the facts with the evidence. Such report shall be prima facie evidence of the facts of the court report shall be prima facie evidence of the facts with the evidence. Such report shall be prima facie evidence of the facts thereby found. The fees of the commissioner shall be paid in the same manner as those of auditors appointed by the court.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 33

AN ACT Relating to Method of Taking Smelts in Fish River Chain of Lakes, Aroostook County.

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

R. S., c. 37, § 52, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 52 of the chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended to read as follows:

'It shall be lawful to angle or fish by use of the single-baited hook and line, artificial flies, artificial minnows, artificial insects, spoon hooks and spinners except that it shall be lawful to take smelts in Fish River Chain of Lakes, Aroostook County, by use of 3 single-baited hooks spaced a minimum of 4 inches apart.'