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Sec. 1. R. S., T. 21, § 1393-A, additional. Title 21 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 1393-A, to read as follows:

§ 1393-A. Registration of officers

In addition to the registration of its treasurer, a political committee shall submit to the office of the Secretary of State the names and addresses of all of its officers, whether or not said committee expends any money for the purposes set forth in section 1391.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 21, § 1575, amended. Section 1575 of Title 21 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end, 2 new paragraphs, as follows:

No person shall publish, or cause to be published, in a newspaper or other periodical, any paid matter which is designed or tends to promote or defeat any candidate for public office, party, principle, initiative or referendum question, unless the name of the person or chairman of the organization inserting the same, or the name of some voter who is responsible therefor, with his residence and the street and number thereof, if any, appear in the nature of a signature. No person or corporation within this State, operating a radio station, television station, or network of either, shall broadcast or telecast any such paid political matter without announcing the person or organization paying therefor.

Any person or chairman of any organization who sponsors or causes to be published, broadcast or telecast political advertising as set forth in this section through the submission or use of a false name, or who in any manner knowingly aids or abets the violation of any provision of this section, shall be fined not more than \$500 or imprisoned for not more than 90 days.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 21, § 1579, sub-§ 28, additional. Section 1579 of Title 21 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection 28, to read as follows:

28. Unofficial specimen ballot. A person, candidate or political committee who prepares or circulates a paper in the form of a ballot or a part thereof on which is imprinted the words SPECIMEN BALLOT or the instructions in section 701, subsection 2, paragraph A or section 702, subsection 2, paragraph C.

Effective October 1, 1969

Chapter 216

AN ACT Relating to Fall Trapping by Indians.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 12, § 2358, sub-§ 8, amended. Subsection 8 of section 2358 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

8. **Spring and fall 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~~ **November 1st to April 30th** 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~~ seasons on said Indian lands.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 12, § 2358, sub-§ 9, additional. Section 2358 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection 9, to read as follows:

9. **Spring and fall trapping by Passamaquoddy Indians.** In addition to any open trapping season provided by this section, there shall be an open season on muskrats from November 1st to April 30th on all lands and islands belonging to the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians. It shall be unlawful for any person not a member of said Passamaquoddy Tribe to trap muskrats during such open seasons on said Indian lands.

Effective October 1, 1969

Chapter 217

AN ACT to Improve the Management of the Indian Township Forest Resources and Passamaquoddy Trust Funds.

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

R. S., T. 22, § 4834, repealed and replaced. Section 4834 of Title 22 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

§ 4834. Indian Township forest resources; Passamaquoddy trust funds

The Forest Commissioner, with the consent of the 2 Passamaquoddy tribal governors and tribal councils may sell to the best advantage of the Passamaquoddy Tribe, at public or private sale, to a citizen of the State, the timber and grass from township numbered 2 on the St. Croix River, called Indian Township, expressly retaining in the written contract of sale a lien on the timber and grass cut, until the amount due for stumpage thereon is paid. Every surveyor appointed by said Forest Commissioner to scale or survey the lumber so sold, before entering on his duties, shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his trust, and shall file a certificate of his oath with the commissioner. From the gross income from the sale of timber and grass the Forest Commissioner shall make payment to the Treasurer of State to be allotted the Maine Forestry District for the prevention, control and extinguishment of forest fires, a sum equal to 6¢ per acre per year for all lands within Indian Township not already paying a Maine Forestry District tax for these purposes.

At the end of each fiscal year 40% of the net income from the sale of timber and grass from Indian Township for the preceeding 12 months shall be transmitted to each of the Indian Township tribal council's and Pleasant Point