

water only may be acquired. (Secs. 7-47.) Defines how licenses shall be granted.

## 464—PRESERVATION OF GAME.

*Chapter 31, 23rd July,*

Provides (Sec. 1.) That the Act may be cited as the Unorganized Territories' Game Preservation Act. (Sec. 2.) That it applies to the District of Keewatin and such other portions of the North-west as are outside of the provisional districts of Assiniboia, Alberta and Saskatchewan. (Sec. 4.) That buffalo and bison are not to be killed or molested until 1st January, 1900. (Sec. 5.) That musk oxen, elk, wapiti, moose, cariboo deer, mountain sheep and goats, minks, fishers and martens, otters and beavers, muskrats, grouse, partridges, pheasants and prairie chickens, and wild swans, wild ducks and wild geese are to have a close season in each year, alterable from time to time by the Governor-in-Council. (Sec. 8.) That Indians, inhabitants of the regions to which the Act applies, explorers, surveyors and travellers reduced to actual need, and persons having a permit may kill any of these animals at any time, excepting buffalo, bison and musk ox, in their close seasons. (Secs. 9-10-12.) Prohibit the use of batteries, swivel guns, poison, dogs or Indians, in killing the beasts and birds. (Sec. 13-18.) Provides for penalties. (Secs. 19-24.) Provides for appointment of game constables and duties of game guardians.

## 465. INDIAN ACT.

*Chapter 32, 23rd July,*

Repeals Sec. 20 of Indian Act, Chap. 43, R.S.C., and provides : (Sec. 1.) That Indians may devise and bequeath all property by will, said will to have approval of the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs, and for distribution and descent of property of intestate Indians. (Sec. 2.) Repeals Sec. 21 of said Indian Act, and provides that only Indians of the band shall reside on or use the reserve. (Sec. 3.) For sale or lease of reserve. (Sec. 4.) That Superintendent-General shall have power to deal with annuity, &c., of any Indian guilty of deserting his family. (Secs. 5-12.) Provide means for fuller protection of Indians.

## 466. DUTIES OF CUSTOMS.

*Chapter 33, 23rd July,*

Provides (Sec. 7.) That duties on fish and other products of the fisheries coming from Newfoundland or the United States may be remitted in either case, on their being remitted on similar articles entering Canada. (Sec. 8.) That eggs from the United States may be admitted duty free when eggs from Canada are admitted duty free by United States. (Sec. 9.) That duties on wines from Spain or France shall be reduced or repealed when those countries reduce or repeal their duties on Canadian articles. (Sec. 10.) That shingles or pulp wood, may be imported into Canada free when United States permit Canadian shingles and pulpwood to enter free. (Sec. 11.) That green or ripe apples, beans, buckwheat, pease, potatoes, rye,