TO AMEND SECTION 10 OF ACT NO. 76, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO REGULATE SHARE-CROPPING CONTRACTS; TO REGULATE THE USE OF LAND VOLUNTARILY OR GRATUITOUSLY CEDED; TO AUTHORIZE TAX EXEMPTION ON LANDS CEDED UNDER SUCH CONDITIONS; TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE PROVISIONS HEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", APPROVED MAY 4, 1931, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Puerto Rico:

Section 1.—Section 10 of Act No. 76, entitled "An Act to regulate share-cropping contracts; to regulate the use of land voluntarily or gratuitously ceded; to authorize tax exemption on lands ceded under such conditions; to establish certain penalties for violations of the provisions hereof, and for other purposes", approved May 4, 1931, is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 10.—When a property subject to a share-cropping contract is sold, ceded, or leased to another person, or sold at public auction, the share-cropper may demand that he be permitted to harvest the crop corresponding to the current agricultural year, and the share-cropper may claim as his the work, planting, or other thing to which he may be entitled."

Section 2.—All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3.—This Act shall take effect ninety days after its approval.

Approved, April 23, 1936.

[No. 45] AN ACT

TO AMEND SECTION 1 OF ACT NO. 25, OF APRIL 28, 1927, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Puerto Rico:

Section 1.—The establishment of games of chance (picas) played by the drawing of balls and horse races operated by a crank are hereby prohibited except on the occasion of popular festivities in the different towns and subject to regulation by the respective municipal assemblies, which are hereby empowered to make such regulations.

[No. 46] AN ACT

TO AMEND SECTION 18A OF THE LAW NO. 25 OF APRIL 28, 1927, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Decrétese por la Asamblea Legislativa de Puerto Rico:

Sección 1.—Queda terminantemente prohibido el establecimiento de las llamadas "picas" mediante la extracción de bolos e hipódromos de caballitos manipulados por manivela, excepto durante las fiestas populares de los diversos pueblos y conforme a la reglamentación que dispongan las respectivas asambleas municipales, las cuales, por la presente, quedan facultadas para reglamentar la materia.
Section 2.—Persons violating the provisions of this Act shall be liable to a fine of not less than ten (10) dollars nor more than one hundred (100) dollars.

Section 3.—All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4.—This Act, being of an urgent character, shall take effect immediately after its approval.

Approved, April 28, 1936.

[No. 47]

AN ACT

TO GRANT A LIFE PENSION TO ALWINA RIGGS, WIDOW OF COLONEL E. FRANCIS RIGGS, EX-CHIEF OF THE INSULAR POLICE OF PUERTO RICO, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Puerto Rico:

Section 1.—The Treasurer of Puerto Rico is hereby authorized and directed to pay monthly, as a pension, to Alwina Riggs, widow of Colonel E. Francis Riggs, ex-Chief of the Insular Police of Puerto Rico, the sum of one hundred (100) dollars, from any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 2.—Said pension of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars a year shall be appropriated in each successive budgetary Act; Provided, That said pension is granted to the aforesaid Alwina Riggs while she remains a widow.

Section 3.—All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4.—This Act, being of an urgent and necessary character, shall take effect immediately after its approval.

Approved, April 28, 1936.

[No. 48]

AN ACT


Be it enacted by the Legislature of Puerto Rico:

Section 1.—The following items, appropriated in the current budget under the heading "Department of Education—Salaries, Office of