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fifty to one hundred dollars or imprisoment for a period not to exceed ninety days or both at the discretion of thecourt.

Section 22.—The Board shall prepare the annual program of examinations in the subjects of the groups.

Section 23.—All laws, orders or parts thereof in conflict with this Act, be and are hereby repealed.

Section 24.—This Act shall take effect and be in force on and after July 1, 1907.

Approved March 8, 1906.

AN ACT

TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ORGANIZATION OF A BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS," APPROVED MARCH 12, 1903.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Porto Rico:

Section 1.—That Section 5 of an act entitled "An Act providing for the organization of a Board of Medical Examiners," approved March 12, 1903, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Every person obtaining a certificate from the board shall, within sixty days from the date thereof, have the same recorded in the office of the Supervisor of Health. The Supervisor of Health shall endorse upon the certificate the date of the record, and charge and receive the usual fee for such service, which fee shall be paid by the applicant."

Section 2.—This Act shall take effect July 1, 1906.

Approved February 1, 1906.

AN ACT

TO AMEND SECTIONS 64, 72, 73, AND 74 OF THE POLITICAL CODE.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Porto Rico:

Section 1.—That Section 64 of the Political Code shall be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 64. The Attorney General shall represent The People of Porto Rico, either in person or through his assistants, or through any one of the district fiscals, in all suits and proceedings, civil and criminal, to which it is a party, and when requested by the Governor or any head of a department, he may also represent, in any of the courts, any officer, employee or agent of the Insular Government, suing or being sued in his official capacity: *Provided, however*, That public

prosecutions for crime, except as provided for in Section 74 of the Political Code, may be instituted and conducted by the fiscal of the proper court without special authority from the Attorney General, but in all such cases the Attorney General may intervene in the public interest.

"The Attorney General in special cases may require the fiscal of one district to exchange places with the fiscal of another district for such time as to the Attorney General may seem necessary."

Section 2.—That Section 72 of the Political Code shall be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 72. The Attorney General, with the consent of the Executive Council, in person or by some one authorized by him, may bid for The People of Porto Rico on any property offered for sale under execution issued upon judgment in suits prosecuted by him or under his direction, and he shall have authority to enter satisfaction in whole or in part of such judgment to the extent of the amounts realized from the sale."

Section 3.—That Section 73 of the Political Code shall be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 73. The Attorney General, upon the request of the Commissioner of the Interior, shall institute suits for the recovery of all immovable and movable property to which The People of Porto Rico may be entitled under the laws of escheat, or in and to which it has any other claim."

Section 4.—That section 74 of the Political Code shall be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 74. When criminal charges are made in any court against any officer or employee of the Insular Government, involving official misconduct, it shall be the duty of such court to notify the Attorney General of the filing of such charges and if the charge is a felony, the court may order the immediate arrest of the accused and admit him to bail in a proper case; and the Attorney General shall make due investigation of the charges, and he may prosecute the case before the court, in person or by his assistants, or by any of the fiscals. If in his judgment the case is one for administrative action only, he may move the court to dismiss the criminal charges pending therein."

Section 5.—All laws, orders or decrees, or parts thereof, in conflict with this Act, are hereby repealed.

Section 6.—This Act shall take effect from and after is passage. Approved March 8, 1906.