

ment in
certain
case.

president, the manager or other chief executive officer of such association of persons, shall be subject to the above imprisonment in default of payment of the fine and costs.

Fine to
belong to
Crown.

"3712d. Every fine imposed under the authority of this section shall belong to the crown for the use of the Province.

Recovery of
fines.

Every suit for the recovery of the fine imposed by this section may be instituted by any person of lawful age in his own individual name, in accordance with articles 7538 to 7541 or article 29'.

Coming into
force.

4. This act shall come into force thirty days after the day of its sanction.

C H A P. 48

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting moving pictures

[Assented to, 17th of March, 1919]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

R.S., 3713a,
am.

1. Article 3713a of the Revised Statutes, 1909, as enacted by the act 1 George V (2nd session), chapter 34, section 1, is amended:

a. By replacing the word: "fifteen", in the fifth line thereof, by the word: "sixteen";

b. By adding thereto the following paragraph:

Children
under
sixteen may
attend
certain
exhibitions
alone.

"Notwithstanding the above provision, children less than sixteen years old may attend exhibitions of moving pictures without being so accompanied, when the advertisement of the exhibition announces a programme only of pictures authorized for children by the board of censors of moving pictures according to the provisions of article 3713o, and of no other pictures."

Id., 3713c,
am.

2. Article 3713c of the Revised Statutes, 1909, as enacted by the act 1 George V (2nd session), chapter 34, section 1, and amended by the act 4 George V, chapter 40, section 1, is again amended by replacing the word: "fifteen", in the sixth line of the last paragraph thereof, by the word: "sixteen".

3. Article 3713o of the Revised Statutes, 1909, as Id., 3713o, enacted by the act 3 George V, chapter 36, section 1, is ^{am.} amended by adding thereto the following paragraph:

"In respect of films dealing with patriotic, instructive or ^{Certain} humorous subjects which, in the opinion of the commission, ^{films} may be shown to children, the authorization printed as ^{suitable for} aforesaid on such films must also mention that such films ^{be specially} may be shown to children, and the provisions of the second ^{marked.} paragraph of article 3713a shall apply to exhibitions of moving pictures during which no films other than those authorized for children are exhibited."

4. Article 3713q of the Revised Statutes, 1909, as Id., 3713q, enacted by the act 3 George V, chapter 36, section 1, and ^{am.} amended by the act 4 George V, chapter 40, section 4, is again amended by replacing the first paragraph thereof by the following:

"**3713q.** Every person making use of any film or ^{Penalties.} device in the province for exhibition purposes before the use thereof is permitted by the commission as aforesaid, or before the same is stamped as aforesaid, or before the payment of the fee as aforesaid, or who, after having advertised an exhibition of moving pictures at which children less than sixteen years old may be admitted alone, exhibits thereat any picture other than those stamped by the commission as authorized to be exhibited to such children as aforesaid, every proprietor and lessee thereof, and every person aiding or assisting in such use thereof, shall be liable to the penalty prescribed by article 3713c."

5. This act shall come into force on the day of its ^{Coming into} sanction. ^{force.}

CHAP. 49

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting the tax to be collected for the prevention of fires

[Assented to, 4th of March, 1919]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Article 3822l of the Revised Statutes, 1909, as R.S., 3822l, enacted by the act 3 George V, chapter 38, section 1, is ^{amended.} amended by inserting therein, after the word "assessments"