

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 12.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND
EIGHTY-ONE.

AN ACT to incorporate the Piscataquis Game and
Fish Protective Society.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECTION 1. John F. Sprague, Edwin R. Haynes,
2 John C. Tripp, Fred J. Wilkins, Albert W. Cha-
3 pin, Albert D. Sherman, W. T. Macomber, J. D.
4 Cushman, C. S. Pullen, C. M. Coombs, Eben M.
5 Bray, Geo. F. Jackson of Monson, in the county
6 of Piscataquis, and George A. Mathews of Ando-
7 ver, Massachusetts, and E. T. Rowell and H. A.
8 Hildreth of Lowell, Massachusetts, with their as-
9 sociates and successors, are hereby incorporated
10 into a body politic, by the name of the Piscataquis
11 Game and Fish Protective Society.

SECT. 2. This corporation, for the purpose of

2 protecting game and fish, by aiding in the enforce-
3 ment of the laws of the state relating thereto, and
4 encouraging the propagation of game and fish, is
5 hereby empowered, for such purposes, to take by
6 purchase, bequest, or otherwise, and to hold, trans-
7 fer and convey real and personal property to the
8 amount of twenty thousand dollars.

SECT. 3. Said corporation shall have power to
2 prosecute and defend suits at law and in equity,
3 to enter and prosecute complaints against any per-
4 son or persons for violation of any of the laws of
5 the state for the protection of game or fish, and to
6 recover and to receive all penalties and forfeitures
7 that would be recoverable by any person or any
8 game or fish warden making such complaints, to
9 have and use a common seal, and to be governed
10 by a code of by-laws not inconsistent with the
11 laws of the state.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation
2 may be called by any three of the corporators, by
3 a notice specifying the time and place of such
4 meeting, published in the Piscataquis Observer,
5 a paper published at Dover, at least one week
6 prior to the time fixed for said meeting.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when ap-
2 proved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, January 27, 1881.

Reported by Mr. WAKEFIELD, from the Committee on Fisheries and Game, laid on the table and ordered to be printed under the Joint Rule.

C. W. TILDEN, *Secretary.*