

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**EIGHTIETH LEGISLATURE**

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**HOUSE**

**NO. 96**

House of Representatives, February 11, 1921.

Reported by Mr. Crafts from Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game and ordered printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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**IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND  
NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE**

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AN ACT Establishing a Game Sanctuary in Range Three,  
East of the Kennebec River, in the City of Augusta and  
County of Kennebec.

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Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. No person shall, except as herein provided,  
2 at any time, hunt, pursue, shoot at or kill any wild animal  
3 or any game or other wild bird within the following de-  
4 scribed territory situated in the city of Augusta, in the  
5 county of Kennebec: Bounded on the north by the south  
6 line of Lot No. forty-two, Range three, east of the Kenne-  
7 bec river, on the east by the east line of said Range three,  
8 on the south by the North Belfast road and the south line

9 of Lot No. thirty-six, of said Range three, and on the west  
10 by the west line of said Range three, consisting of about  
11 six hundred acres.

Provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall  
2 not prohibit any person owning land within the limits of  
3 the territory described herein from shooting at or destroy-  
4 ing any wild animal when found destroying his property ;  
5 and provided, further, that the provisions of this section  
6 shall not be construed to prohibit the trapping of wild  
7 animals within the above described territory in accordance  
8 with the general laws of the state. Whoever violates any  
9 provision of this section shall be subject to a penalty of  
10 not less than ten nor more than three hundred dollars and  
11 costs for each offense or imprisonment for sixty days or  
12 both said fine and imprisonment.

Sect. 2. The commissioner of inland fisheries and game  
2 is empowered to enlarge the territory of this sanctuary  
3 upon the written consent of the owners of the land to be  
4 included.