

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT

EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 429

House of Representatives, March 19, 1923.

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

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Constitute Ganeston Park, in the Cities of Augusta
and Hallowell, in Kennebec County, a Game Sanctuary.

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

Section 1. *Ganeston Park, in the Cities of Augusta and
2 Hallowell, made a Game Sanctuary.* No person shall, ex-
3 cept as herein provided, at any time, hunt, pursue, shoot
4 at or kill any wild animal or any game or other wild bird
5 within the following described territory, known as Ganeston
6 Park, containing about four hundred and seventy-five acres
7 of land situate in the cities of Augusta and Hallowell, in
8 the county of Kennebec, and bounded: Beginning in the
9 south line of Western avenue in said Augusta, at a stone

10 bound marking the northwest corner of land of William
11 H. Gannett; thence running easterly in the south line of
12 said Western avenue two thousand and ninety feet to a
13 stone bound; thence southerly in east line of said Gannett's
14 land three hundred and ninety-eight feet to a stone bound;
15 thence westerly in south lines of said Gannett's land about
16 ninety-one feet to a stone bound; thence southerly, in east
17 line of said Gannett's land about two hundred and sixteen
18 feet to a stone bound; thence easterly in north line of
19 said Gannett's land, four hundred and sixty-two feet to a
20 stone bound; thence southerly in east line of said Gan-
21 nett's land, about three hundred and eighty-seven feet to a
22 stone bound; thence easterly in north line of said Gannett's
23 land fifteen hundred eighty-seven and one-half feet to a
24 stone bound; thence southerly in east line of said Gannett's
25 land, about six hundred and fifty-five feet to a stone bound;
26 thence easterly in north line of said Gannett's land fifty
27 feet to a stone bound; thence southerly in east line of said
28 Gannett's land, about one hundred and forty-seven feet to
29 a stone bound; thence easterly in north line of said Gan-
30 nett's land two hundred and ninety-seven feet to a stone
31 bound; thence northerly in the course of the west line of
32 Page street one hundred forty-six and seven-tenths feet;
33 thence easterly in north line of said Gannett's land forty
34 feet to the east line of said Page street; thence southerly
35 in east line of said Gannett's land two hundred and forty
36 feet to a stone bound; thence easterly in north line of said

37 Gannett's land one hundred and eleven feet to a stone
38 bound in the west line of Sewall street; thence southerly
39 in the west line of said Sewall street, three thousand four
40 hundred forty-two and one-half feet to the southerly line
41 of the city of Augusta; thence westerly in the south bound-
42 ary line of said city of Augusta twenty-three hundred and
43 nine feet to a stone bound; thence northerly in west line
44 of said Gannett's land ninety and three-quarters feet to a
45 stone bound; thence westerly in south line of said Gannett's
46 land sixteen hundred and sixty feet to a stone bound;
47 thence northerly in west line of said Gannett's land about
48 six hundred and sixty-seven feet to a stone bound; thence
49 westerly in south line of said Gannett's land about nineteen
50 hundred and fifty-eight feet to a stone bound in the east
51 line of the Whitten road, so-called; thence northerly in the
52 east line of said Whitten road about three hundred and
53 twenty feet to a stone bound; thence easterly in the south
54 line of the state rifle range lot about two thousand and
55 fifty-five feet to a stone bound; thence northerly in the
56 east line of said rifle range lot about two hundred and
57 ninety-seven feet to a stone bound; thence westerly in the
58 north line of said rifle range lot about twenty-one hundred
59 and forty-eight feet to a stone bound in the east line of
60 said Whitten road; thence northerly in the east line of said
61 Whitten road eight hundred and sixty-eight feet to a stone
62 bound; thence easterly in north line of said Gannett's land
63 eighteen hundred and ten feet to a stone bound; thence

64 northerly in west line of said Gannett's land thirty-two
65 hundred and thirty-seven feet to the first mentioned stone
66 bound in the south line of said Western avenue marking
67 the northwest corner of said Gannett's land. Provided,
68 however, that the provisions of this section shall not be
69 construed to prohibit the trapping of wild animals within
70 the above-described territory in accordance with the general
71 laws of the state.

Sect. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to have in
2 possession at any time any wild bird or wild animal or
3 part or parts thereof taken in violation of any provision of
4 this act.

Sect. 3. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall
2 be subject to a penalty of not less than ten nor more than
3 three hundred dollars and costs for each offense or im-
4 prisonment for sixty days or both said fine and imprison-
5 ment.

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