

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

(NEW DRAFT)

EIGHTY - THIRD LEGISLATURE

House Document

No. 538

H. P. 1237

House of Representatives, Mar. 30, 1927.

Reported by Mr. Flint. Sent up for concurrence and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Create a Game Sanctuary in the Town of Kenne-
bunk, to Be Known as the Bragdon Wild Life Sanctuary.

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

Section 1. No person shall, except as herein provided, at
2 any time, hunt, pursue, shoot at or kill any wild animal or
3 any game or other wild bird within the following described
4 territory, situated in the town of Kennebunk, in the county
5 of York:

Beginning on the westerly side of the state highway lead-
2 ing from Kennebunk to Wells, at its junction with Branch
3 brook, so-called; thence up said Branch brook about three
4 miles to the Eastern Railroad, so-called; thence by said rail-
5 road easterly to the Mousam river; thence southeasterly by

6 said river to the above named state highway; thence by said
7 state highway to the point of beginning, containing four
8 thousand acres, more or less.

Provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall
2 not be construed to prohibit the trapping of fur-bearing ani-
3 mals within the above described territory in accordance with
4 the general laws of the state applying to the trapping of fur-
5 bearing animals.

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

Sect. 3. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall
2 be subject to a penalty of not less than ten dollars nor more
3 than 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. In all prosecutions arising under this act, municipi-
2 pal and police courts and trial justices, within their respect-
3 ive counties, shall have upon complaint, original and con-
4 current jurisdiction with the supreme judicial court and su-
5 perior courts.