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EIGHTY - SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 59

H. P. 192 House of Representatives, January 17, 1935. Referred to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Ellis of Rangeley.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relative to Game Preserve in Franklin County.

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

Sec. 1. Game preserve established in Township "E" and in the town of Madrid. No person shall, except as herein provided, at any time, hunt, pursue, shoot at, molest or kill any wild animal or any game or wild bird within the following described territory situated in Township "E" and in the town of Madrid, in the county of Franklin; beginning at a post set at the northeast corner of Township "E" thence south 9° west, 73.67 chains to a corner post, thence north 82° and 34' west, 51.45 chains, thence north 9°, 08' east, 76.82 chains to a post, thence south 79° east, 50.83 chains to the point of beginning; also another lot of land adjacent thereto situated in that part of the town of Madrid, in the county of Franklin, which was formerly Letter "E" Plantation, and being lot numbered three in the third range of lots in said Letter "E" Plantation, as lotted, and containing 94.25 acres, more or less, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of said Lot 3, Range 3, at a hemlock post and stones on the line between the town of Madrid and Township "E": thence south 83°, 5' east, 39.21 chains to a point in Harvey Pond, so-called; thence north 8°, 10' east, 22.48 chains to a stone monument and post marked "1917"; thence north 79°, 45' west, 38.83 chains to a point in the center of the highway from Farmington to Rangeley and said town line;

thence south 9° west, along said town line, 25.18 chains to place of beginning.

Excepting and reserving, however, from the second described lot of land, a parcel of about 3 acres, as sold and conveyed to Joseph Small, being that lot or portion of the W. H. H. Small farm, so-called, upon which the dwelling house formerly occupied by said W. H. H. Small was situated in 1916. Also excepting about one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) acre and right of way thereto, the same heretofore conveyed to John C. Terrell, Elmer Gray, Wm. H. Luce and Calvin Gray.

- Sec. 2. Unlawful possession. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any wild bird or wild animal taken in violation of any provision of this act.
- Sec. 3. Provisions defined. The provisions of this act shall not prohibit the commissioner of inland fisheries and game from regulating the taking of fur-bearing animals and vermin thereon.
- Sec. 4. Penalty for violation. Whoever violates any provisions of this act shall be subject to the penalty of section 107 of chapter 38 as amended.