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EIGHTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 62

In Senate, January 19, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Deering of York.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to the Acquisition of Certain Lands in the State by the United States of America.

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

Sec. 1. Consent of state to acquisition of certain lands by United States of America granted. The consent of the state of Maine is hereby given to the acquisition by the United States of America of such lands in the towns of Alfred, Hollis, Lyman, and Dayton, in the state of Maine, as in the opinion of the United States may be needed for the establishment, consolidation, and extension of an experimental forest; provided, that the aggregate area acquired under this act in the aforesaid towns shall not exceed 6,000 acres; and provided further, that the state of Maine shall retain a concurrent jurisdiction with the United States in and over lands so acquired so far that civil process in all cases and such criminal process as may issue under the authority of the state of Maine against any person charged with the commission of any crime without or within said jurisdiction, may be executed thereon in like manner as if this act had not been passed.

Sec. 2. Further powers granted. Power is hereby conferred upon the

congress of the United States to pass such laws and to make or provide for the making of such rules and regulations of both a civil and criminal nature, and provide punishment therefor, as in its judgment may be necessary for the administration, control, and protection of national forests and forest lands as are acquired by the United States.