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S. P. 215

In Senate, February 2, 1939.

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

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Burns of Aroostook.

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S T A T E   O F   M A I N E

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
THIRTY-NINE

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**AN ACT Relative to Court Proceedings in Relation to the Enforcement  
of the Inland Fish and Game Laws.**

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

**R. S., c. 38, § 100, amended.** Section 100 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

**‘Sec. 100. Officers may arrest without process; impersonating game wardens; jurisdiction.** Any officer authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws may, without process, arrest any violator of said laws, and shall with reasonable diligence cause him to be taken before ~~any trial justice or any municipal court, in the county where the offense was committed, or in any adjoining county,~~ the nearest trial justice or the nearest municipal court in the county where the offense was committed, for a warrant and trial. Any game warden or deputy game warden may arrest with or without warrant any person who impersonates or represents himself as being a game warden or deputy game warden. ~~Jurisdiction in such cases is hereby granted to all trial justices and all other courts to be exercised in the same manner as if the offense had been committed in that county.~~’