

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
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OF THE
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CHAP. 160

Section 3. When the commissioners of inland fisheries and game deem that a public exigency requires the taking of any land or rights for the purposes aforesaid, they shall cause the same to be surveyed, located, and so described that the same can be identified, and a plan thereof shall be filed in the office of the register of deeds in the county where the land or rights are located, and there recorded.

Land shall be surveyed, located and described.

—shall file plan.

The filing of such plan and description shall vest the title to the land and rights aforesaid, in the state of Maine, or their grantees, to be held during the pleasure of the state.

Approved March 27, 1907.

Chapter 160.

An Act in the interest of Humanity to Animals.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 1. Any person setting a trap in any incorporated place shall visit said trap, or cause the same to be visited, at least once in every twenty-four hours and remove therefrom, or cause to be removed, any animal found caught therein.

Trap shall be visited and animal removed.

Section 2. No person shall set traps on any cultivated lands without first obtaining the written consent of the owner or occupant of the land on which said traps are to be set.

Consent of owner of land to set traps.

Section 3. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than fifty dollars and costs, for each offense, to be paid to the state treasurer and credited to the fund for the protection of fish and game.

Penalty for violating provisions of this act.

Municipal and police courts and trial justices shall have original jurisdiction in all cases arising under this act.

Approved March 27, 1907.

Chapter 161.

An Act to amend Section fifteen of Chapter eighty of the Revised Statutes, relating to the employment of prisoners committed for crime.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section fifteen of chapter eighty of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the word "accommodation" in the fourth line, and inserting instead the words, "they may authorize the employment for the benefit of the county, or of dependent families, of prisoners com-

Section 15, chapter 80, R. S., amended.