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STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-Sixth
Legislature

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Chapter 161.

CHAP. 161

An Act for the Better Protection of Clams within the Town of York in the County of York.

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

Section 1. No clams shall be taken from any flats within the limits of the town of York in York county for the period of four years except by the actual bona fide residents of the town and for the consumption, within the limits of said town of York.

Close time for clams.

—exception.

Section 2. Any person taking clams contrary to the provisions of this act, shall be punished for each offense by a fine not exceeding ten dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both.

Penalty for violation of this act.

Approved March 25, 1913.

Chapter 162.

An Act to Amend the Act Establishing the Northern Aroostook Municipal Court.

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

Section 1. Section three of chapter one hundred seventy-eight of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and eleven is hereby amended by adding at the end of the section the words 'except the town of Stockholm, and the plantations of Caswell, Connor and Westmanland, and said town and said plantations shall be within the territorial jurisdiction of the Caribou municipal court as defined in section five of chapter three hundred fifty-two of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows :

Section 3 of chapter 178 of P. & S. laws of 1911, amended.

'Section 3. The territorial jurisdiction of said court in civil actions shall comprise all that portion of Aroostook county which is included and which composes the Northern Aroostook registry district except the town of Stockholm, and the plantations of Caswell, Connor and Westmanland, and said town and said plantations shall be within the territorial jurisdiction of the Caribou municipal court, as defined in section five of chapter three hundred fifty-two of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five.'

Territorial jurisdiction of said court.

Section 2. Section eighteen, of chapter one hundred seventy-eight of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and eleven is hereby amended by adding at the end of this section: 'but nothing in this section of the act shall be construed to affect the jurisdiction of the Caribou municipal court in suits where

Section 18 of chapter 178 of P. & S. laws of 1911, amended.

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the ad damnum does not exceed twenty dollars—nor in suits civil, or criminal, where a trial justice sitting at Caribou would have jurisdiction if there were no act establishing the Caribou municipal court,' so that section eighteen will read as follows :

Jurisdiction of Caribou Municipal Court within limits of this court repealed.—exceptions.

'Section 18. So much of the act establishing the Caribou municipal court as gives jurisdiction within the limits of the Northern Aroostook municipal court as established by this act is hereby repealed; but nothing in this section of the act shall be construed to affect the jurisdiction of the Caribou municipal court in suits where the ad damnum does not exceed twenty dollars—nor in suits civil or criminal where a trial justice sitting at Caribou would have jurisdiction if there were no act establishing the Caribou municipal court.'

Approved March 25, 1913.

Chapter 163.

An Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in the Waters of Jonesport and Addison, in Washington County.

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

Close time on lobsters in waters of Jonesport and Addison.

Section 1. No person shall take, catch, kill or destroy any lobsters between the first day of July and the first day of September in each year in any of the waters of Jonesport and Addison in Washington county, within the following points: Commencing at the spindle in Pleasant river and running southwest by south, three and three-fourths miles, abreast the buoy on Barton's ledge; thence south by west one-fourth west, five and one-third miles; thence east southeast, eight and one-fourth miles; thence east three fourths north to the whistling buoy off Moose-Peak; thence northeast, seven and three-fourths miles, to a point half the distance from Scabby Island ledge to the Brothers; thence north by west three-fourths west, one and one-half miles; thence northwest, two and two-thirds miles; thence northwest by west two miles; thence north by east, three-fourths miles; thence west by north one half north to the head of Mason's Bay; and no person shall set a trap within said waters for the purpose of taking, catching, killing or destroying any lobsters between said dates, under a penalty of one dollar for each lobster so taken, caught, killed or destroyed, and under a penalty of five dollars for each lobster trap so set for said purpose.

—closed waters specified.

—penalty for setting trap within said waters.

Section 2. All fines and penalties provided for by this act may be recovered as provided by section forty-eight of chapter two hundred and eighty-five of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

Fines and penalties, how recovered.

Approved March 25, 1913.