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Chapter 230.

Снар. 230

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-one of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Non-resident Hunting Licenses.

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

Section fifty-one of chapter thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred six of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred thirteen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

Ch. 32, Sec. 51, R. S., as amended by Ch. 206, P. L., 1913, further amended.

'Section 51. Persons not bona fide residents of the State, and actually domiciled therein, shall not hunt, pursue, take or kill any deer, ducks, partridges, woodcock, or other wild birds or wild animals, or have the same or any part thereof, in possession, at any time without first having procured a license therefor as hereinafter provided.

Non-resident hunters shall procure licenses.

—licenses, fees and privileges.

Such licenses shall be issued by the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game, upon application in writing and payment of fifteen dollars to hunt deer, ducks, partridges, woodcock and other birds and wild animals during their respective open seasons, and in the manner provided by law, in October, November and December. But to hunt ducks, and other birds and wild animals in their respective open seasons, and in the manner provided by law, in the counties of Aroostook, Washington, Hancock, Penobscot, Piscataguis, Somerset, Franklin and Oxford up to October first of each year a license fee of five dollars shall be paid annually, provided, further, that in the counties of Androscoggin, Cumberland, Knox, Kennebec, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, Waldo and York such person may procure a license for five dollars to hunt, in the respective open seasons and in the manner provided by law, ducks, partridges, woodcock and other birds and wild animals except during the month of November, during which month a fifteen dollar license shall be required in said counties. A person having paid the fee of five dollars may procure a license to hunt deer and other wild animals and wild birds, in their respective open seasons and in the manner provided by law, during the open season on deer by paying an additional fee of ten dollars.

holding bird license may pro-cure license for other game by paying ad-ditional fee.

Such license shall entitle the purchaser to take to his home in addition as now provided, properly tagged with the tag detached from his license, and open to view, five partridges, ten ducks and ten woodcock that he has himself lawfully killed under such rules and regulations to be established by the Commissioners as may be required to carry out the true intent of this chapter and not inconsistent herewith.

Rules and regula tions for taking game home licensed hunters.

Снар. 230

Coupons.

Detachment of coupons by railroad official.

-license shall be presented.

Detached coupons shall be forwarded to Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game.

-when two deer are shipped.

Shipment of game, how regulated. Each license shall be provided with two coupons, each of which shall permit the transportation of the carcass of one deer, or part thereof, and shall be divided into two sections each, lettered "A" and "B" and "C" and "D" respectively, and shall be called the deer coupons.

The holder of a non-resident hunter's license shall be entitled to offer for transportation and have transported, within or without this State, by any railroad company, express company, boat or other transportation company, the carcass of one deer, or part of the carcass of one deer, that he himself has lawfully killed, on each of the deer coupons attached to his said license. by presenting to the agent of any transportation company, his license, with the coupons attached to the license at the time when he shall offer the deer or part thereof for shipment, but one deer is offered for shipment the agent shall detach section "A" from the first "deer" coupon of the license, cancel the same by writing or stamping thereon the date and place of shipment and his name, and shall forward the same forthwith to the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game, at Augusta, Maine; section "B" of said coupon shall be likewise cancelled and shall be attached to the carcass, or part of the carcass, of the deer offered for shipment and shall remain attached to the same while it is being transported in this State.

In case two deer are offered for shipment the agent receiving the same for shipment shall detach sections "A" and "C" from the "deer" coupons and after cancelling the same shall forward them to the Commissioners as aforesaid, and sections "B" and "D" shall be likewise cancelled and attached to the carcasses of the deer, or parts thereof, offered for shipment, and shall remain attached to the same while they are being transported in this State.

No person shall transport any deer, or part thereof, for any non-resident, otherwise than as provided herein. No agent, servant or employee of any transportation company, railroad company, express company, boat or common carrier shall receive for shipment or transport, or have in his possession with intent to ship or transport any carcass of a deer, or part of the same, or any game birds, for a non-resident, except as herein provided, or refuse or neglect to detach the sections of the coupons as herein provided, or fail to forward to the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game, at Augusta, Maine, as herein provided, the sections of coupons by him detached; provided, however, that any person who has purchased a non-resident hunter's license and who has in his possession one pair of game birds which he has legally killed may transport the

same to his home or to any hospital in this State without accompanying the shipment, by purchasing of the duly constituted agent therefor a tag, paying for the same fifty cents, and by presenting said tag with the pair of game birds offered for shipment to the agent of any transportation company or common carrier, together with his non-resident hunter's license.

Before accepting a pair of game birds for shipment as herein provided, the agent of the transportation company or common carrier to whom the same is offered for shipment shall be satisfied that the person presenting the pair of game birds for shipment is the person to whom the non-resident hunter's license offered for inspection was issued, and shall securely affix the tag to such shipment; provided, further, that no person shall send more than one pair of game birds under a special tag, as provided herein, but once in thirty days.

Whoever violates any provision of this section or who shall furnish to another person, or permits another person to have or use any license or coupon issued to him, or change or alter the same in any manner, or who has or uses any license or coupon issued to another person, or whoever knowingly guides any non-resident in hunting who has not a license to hunt as herein provided, shall pay a fine of not less than twenty-five, nor more than one hundred dollars and costs, for each offense.'

Approved March 30, 1915.

Chapter 231.

An Act to Provide for Safety Appliances upon Cars Running on Street Railways.

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

Section 1. On and after the first day of November, nineteen hundred fifteen, it shall be unlawful for any person, company, corporation or association, owning or operating any railway company operated or controlled by electricity, and doing business in the State of Maine, to run any railway, or street car over, upon or along any street or highway within the State, unless such car shall be equipped with a safety device commonly known and called a fender.

Section 2. The term fender as herein before used shall be deemed to mean an attachment devised to prevent accidents, and shall be of such form and be attached to the car or cars in a manner approved by the Public Utilities Commission.

Снар. 231

-special tag, fee for.

Agent must be satisfied that shipper is a licensed hunter.

—ship only one pair of game birds.

Penalty for violation of the provisions of this section.

Street cars shall have fenders after November 1, 1915.

-term fender defined.