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may from time to time prescribe the system of education and course of study to be pursued in the school and shall be allowed for their services their actual expenses and five dollars a day when actually employed.'

Approved April 4, 1919.

## Chapter 195.

An Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, to Provide for Additional Assistance for the Board of State Assessors.

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

**R. S., c. 9, § 15; relating to clerk hire in office of state assessors, amended.** Section fifteen of chapter nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the words "one thousand" in the fourth line and substituting therefor the words 'two thousand eight hundred', so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 15. Amount for assistance, in addition to clerk, increased to \$2800.** They shall be provided with suitable rooms in the state house, and may employ assistance in addition to a clerk, as they shall deem necessary, at an expense not exceeding two thousand eight hundred dollars a year.'

Approved April 4, 1919.

## Chapter 196.

An Act to Amend and Correct Certain Clerical Errors in Chapter Thirty-three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapters Two Hundred and Nineteen and Two Hundred and Forty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, Relating to Inland Fisheries and Game.

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., c. 33, § 5; 1917, c. 219 and 244; relating to powers of commissioner, amended.** Section five of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 5. Annual fee for breeder's license; penalty for operating game or fur farm without license.** The commissioner of inland fisheries and game may take fish, wild birds and wild animals of any kind when, where, and in such manner as he chooses for the purpose of science and of cultivation and dissemination, and he may grant written permits to other persons to take fish, wild birds and wild animals for the same purposes, and may introduce or permit to be introduced, any kind of fish into any waters. He may, after a hearing, set apart, for a term not exceeding ten years, any waters for the use of the state or of the United States commissioner

of fish and fisheries, in the prosecution of the work of fish culture and of scientific research relative to fishes. The order setting apart such waters shall be recorded in the registry of deeds in the county or registry district in which they are situated. In the waters so set apart, he and the United States commissioner of fish and fisheries, and persons acting under their authority may, in their respective fish culture and scientific work, take fish at any time or in any manner, and erect and maintain any fixtures necessary for such purposes. No other person shall take or kill any fish, or use any implement for fishing therein, under a penalty of not less than ten, nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense and a further penalty of one dollar for each fish so taken or killed; provided, however, that before such hearing the commissioner shall give notice thereof, by publication for two successive weeks in at least one newspaper printed in the county where such waters lie. He may grant permission to take wild animals and wild birds for park and exhibition purposes in this state, under such rules, regulations, and conditions as he shall establish.

He may cause the destruction of any mink or other destructive animal or bird found in or around any fish hatchery or feeding station in this state.

He may grant permits to transport in and beyond the limits of the state, live fish, wild animals or game birds taken in the state, for breeding or advertising purposes.

He may issue permits to any person, firm or corporation to engage in the business of propagating game birds, game or fur-bearing animals, under such regulations as he shall establish. He may issue to any person, firm or corporation permit to fence in or enclose land not exceeding twenty-five acres in area for the above named purpose. When it appears that such application is made in good faith, and upon the payment of an annual fee of two dollars, said commissioner may issue to the applicant a breeder's license permitting the breeding and rearing of any species of game birds, game or fur-bearing animals within such enclosure. Such licensed breeders may at any time sell, transport or kill and sell, and any person, firm or corporation may purchase, have in possession or transport, any game birds, game or fur-bearing animals raised by virtue of the provisions of this section, under such regulations as said commissioner may establish. Whoever engages in the business of breeding or rearing any game birds or game or fur-bearing animals at any time without first having procured a breeder's license as provided in this section, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten, nor more than fifty dollars and costs for each offense and five dollars additional for each game bird or game or fur-bearing animal raised or had in possession in violation of any provision of this section.'

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**Sec. 2. R. S., c. 33, § 18; 1917, c. 219, am. § 18; relating to closed season on protected fish, amended.** Section eighteen of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**‘Sec. 18. Open season on salmon, trout, togue, white perch and black bass extended to Oct. 1st; special law on Lower and Upper Kezar ponds, Oxford county; five lines allowed each person fishing through ice for pickerel during November and December, instead of five lines to a family.** Except as hereinafter provided, there shall be an annual closed season on landlocked salmon, trout, togue, white perch and black bass, in all the lakes and ponds, and in the rivers, streams and brooks of the state above tide waters, as follows:

On landlocked salmon, trout and togue, from the thirtieth day of September until the ice is out of the lake, pond, river, stream or brook fished in the following spring; on white perch and black bass from the thirtieth day of September until the twentieth day of June following; provided, however, that it shall be lawful to take black bass, with unbaited artificial flies only, from the time the ice is out of the lake or pond fished in the spring until the twentieth day of June following; provided, further, that any person who catches a white perch, while lawfully trolling, in good faith, for landlocked salmon, trout or togue, during closed season on white perch, may lawfully keep the same, but no person shall in any one day keep more than six white perch so caught; provided, further, that in Sebago lake and Long pond, in Cumberland county, the annual closed season on landlocked salmon, trout and black bass shall be from the first day of October to the thirty-first day of March of the following year, both days inclusive; and in Thompson pond, situated in Androscoggin, Cumberland and Oxford counties, the annual closed season on landlocked salmon, trout and togue shall be from September first to January first of the following year; and in Lower Kezar pond, in Oxford and Cumberland counties, and in Upper Kezar pond, in Oxford county, the annual closed season on black bass shall be from the first day of December to the twentieth day of June of the following year, and on trout and landlocked salmon from the first day of October to the thirty-first day of March of the following year, both days inclusive. Provided, however, that during February, March and April, in the counties of Aroostook, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Somerset, Washington and Hancock, and during February and March in the counties of Androscoggin, Kennebec, York, Sagadahoc, Knox, Lincoln, Waldo, Cumberland, Oxford and Franklin, citizens of the state may fish for and take landlocked salmon, trout, togue, white perch and black bass with not more than five set lines to each family when fishing through

the ice in the day time and when under the immediate personal supervision of the person fishing and may convey them to their own homes for consumption therein but not otherwise.

Provided, further, that it shall be unlawful to fish through the ice at any time for any other species of fish except as hereinafter provided:

Pickereel may be taken at any time through the ice in waters open to ice fishing for landlocked salmon, trout, togue, white perch and black bass, with not more than five set lines to each family, or with not more than five set lines to each person during the months of November and December, when fishing through the ice in the day time and when under the immediate personal supervision of the person fishing.'

**Sec. 3. R. S., c. 33, § 25; 1917, c. 219, am. § 25; relating to confiscation of certain prohibited devices used in fishing and hunting.** Section twenty-five of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

'**Sec. 25. Swivel, pivot and set gun added to prohibited devices; penalty for violation increased to \$100 and costs and imprisonment for sixty days for possession.** No person shall have in possession at any time when he is upon the wild lands, waters or highways, or in the woods or fields of the state, or in any camp, lodge, or place of resort for hunters or fishermen, or in its immediate vicinity, any jacklight or light fitted for use in the hunting of game in the night time, or any swivel, pivot or set gun; nor shall any person have in possession at any time any spear, trawl or net (except such as are authorized for the taking of suckers, eels, hornpouts and yellow perch, as provided in section twenty-seven of this chapter) other than a dip-net, in any camp, lodge or place of resort for hunters or fishermen or in its immediate vicinity, or on any of the lakes, rivers or streams of the state, or in their immediate vicinity, in the inland territory of the state. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall be subject to a fine of one hundred dollars and costs for each offense and imprisonment for sixty days, and when any such implements or devices are found in possession in violation of any provision of this section they are forfeit and contraband, and shall be seized by any person authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws.'

**Sec. 4. R. S., c. 33, § 26; 1917, c. 219, am. § 26; relating to smelts, cusk, suckers, minnows, white fish, etc., amended.** Section twenty-six of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of

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nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 26. White fish may be taken for food purposes in any waters deemed advisable by commissioner.** It shall be lawful, however, to take smelts in all the inland waters of the state above tide waters with a dip-net in the usual and ordinary way, and to catch them through the ice in the day time with single hook and line at any time in waters open to ice fishing, but they shall not be taken for sale or sold at any time except for bait for fishing in this state; provided, however, that it shall be lawful to take smelts, with single hook and line, in the day time, in Sebago lake for sale within or without the state, during January, February and March of each year, but they shall not be taken with a dip-net in the tributaries to Sebago lake except for consumption as food in the family of the person taking the same; and provided, further, that it shall be unlawful to take smelts at any time in Swan lake, or in any of the tributaries to said lake, in the county of Waldo, in any manner except with single hook and line. Provided, further, that it shall be lawful to take minnows and other fish usually used for bait in fishing, in all the inland waters of the state, and to sell the same for bait for fishing only in this state; and provided, further, that it shall be lawful to catch white fish with single hook and line at any time, in all the inland waters of the state, but they shall not be taken at night with set lines; and provided, further, that white fish may be taken, by means of nets, for food purposes only in the family of the person taking the same, in such waters as the commissioner of inland fisheries and game may deem advisable, and under such conditions, rules and regulations as he may establish; and provided, further, that it shall be lawful to catch cusk at any time in waters open to ice fishing with not more than five set lines to each family when fishing through the ice and when under the immediate personal supervision of the person fishing; and provided, further, that it shall be lawful to take suckers with spears, in all the inland waters of the state, during April and May of each year. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of thirty dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 5. R. S., c. 33, § 27; 1917, c. 219, am. § 27; relating to permits for taking suckers, eels, hornpouts, yellow perch, etc., amended.** Section twenty-seven of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 27. Provision as to issuance of eel permits on East Machias river waters, repealed.** The commissioner of inland fisheries and game may



grant permits to take suckers, eels, hornpouts and yellow perch, by means of eel pots, traps, spears or nets, in inland waters frequented by these fish, under such terms, rules and regulations as he may establish.

It shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch, kill, destroy or have in possession any suckers, eels, hornpouts or yellow perch in violation of any provision of this section, under a penalty of thirty dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 6. R. S., c. 33, § 29; 1917, c. 219, am. § 29; relating to transportation of protected fish, amended.** Section twenty-nine of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

'**Sec. 29. Ten pounds of fish from Rangeley chain to be transported once in thirty days instead of once in five days.** No landlocked salmon, trout, togue, black bass or white perch shall be carried or transported in any way except in the possession of the owner, accompanied by him, plainly labeled with the owner's name and address, and open to view, except any person who has lawfully in his possession one landlocked salmon, one trout, one togue, one black bass or one white perch, or ten pounds of any kind of these fish, may transport the same to his home, provided the same is shipped in his own name, or to any hospital in this state, without accompanying the shipment, by purchasing of an agent duly appointed therefor by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game a transportation tag, paying for a landlocked salmon, trout, togue, or black bass, one dollar for each, or one dollar for each ten pounds of the same, and fifty cents for one white perch or ten pounds of the same; provided, however, that no person shall send more than one shipment of fish under a transportation tag, as provided in this section, once in five days; provided, further, that ten pounds of fish or one fish taken legally in Rangeley lake, Mooselucmeguntic lake, Cupsuptic lake, Upper Richardson lake, so-called, or Lower Richardson lake, so-called, said lakes being the Rangeley chain of lakes, so-called, may be sent as herein provided under a transportation tag only once in thirty days. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of not less than ten, nor more than thirty dollars and costs for each offense, and in addition thereto one dollar for each pound of fish transported in violation of any provision of this section.'

**Sec. 7. R. S., c. 33, § 36; 1917, c. 219, am. § 36; relating to protection of moose and caribou, amended.** Section thirty-six of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended

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by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 36. Provisions as to protection of moose eliminated and incorporated in R. S., c. 33, § 37, as amended by 1919, c. 131.** Whoever, at any time, hunts, pursues or kills any caribou, or has in possession any part or parts thereof, whenever or wherever taken, caught or killed, shall pay a fine of two hundred dollars and costs for each offense, or be imprisoned not exceeding four months, or shall be subject to both such fine and imprisonment.'

**Sec. 8. R. S., c. 33, § 39; 1917, c. 219, am. § 39; relating to use of dogs, jacklights, traps, etc., in hunting moose and caribou, amended.** Section thirty-nine of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 39. Swivel, pivot and set gun added to prohibited devices; penalty increased to \$100 and costs for each offense and sixty days' imprisonment.** No person shall at any time hunt, catch, take, kill, or destroy, with a dog, jacklight, artificial light, snare, trap, swivel, pivot or set gun, any deer, caribou or moose, under a penalty of one hundred dollars and costs for each offense and imprisonment for sixty days.'

**Sec. 9. R. S., c. 33, § 40; 1917, c. 219, am. § 40; relating to penalty for allowing dog to chase protected animal, amended.** Section forty of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 40. Notification of owner prima facie evidence.** Any person owning or having in his possession any dog for the purpose of hunting or chasing moose, caribou or deer, or who permits any dog owned by him or in his possession to hunt or chase moose, caribou or deer, after notice from the commissioner of inland fisheries and game or from any inland fish and game warden or deputy inland fish and game warden that such dog has chased moose, caribou or deer, shall pay a fine of not less than fifty, nor more than one hundred dollars and costs for each offense.

If a dog is found chasing moose, caribou or deer after the owner or possessor thereof has been notified, as provided in this section, that such dog has chased moose, caribou or deer, it shall be prima facie evidence that said owner or possessor of such dog has permitted said dog to hunt or chase moose, caribou or deer in violation of this section.'

**Sec. 10. R. S., c. 33, § 41; 1917, c. 219, am. § 41; relating to transportation of moose or deer outside of state, amended.** Section forty-one of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 41. Residents not to transport deer beyond state limits; penalty not less than \$50 nor more than \$100 and costs for each offense.** No person shall sell or give away any deer or part thereof to be transported or carried beyond the limits of this state; nor shall any person buy or accept as a gift any deer or part thereof to so transport the same; nor shall any resident of this state at any time carry or transport in any manner beyond the limits of this state any deer or part thereof. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of not less than fifty, nor more than one hundred dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 11. R. S., c. 33, § 42; 1917, c. 219, am. § 42; relating to transportation of deer and moose, amended.** Section forty-two of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 42. Provisions as to moose eliminated and incorporated in R. S., c. 33, § 37, as amended by 1919, c. 131.** Any citizen of the state who has lawfully killed a deer may send the same to his home, provided the same is shipped in his own name, or to any hospital in the state, without accompanying the same, by purchasing of an agent appointed therefor by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game a tag, paying therefor two dollars, and said tag shall be attached to the deer, or part thereof, being transported.

The commissioner of inland fisheries and game may appoint agents in convenient localities who may sell these tags, under such rules and regulations as said commissioner may adopt.'

**Sec. 12. R. S., c. 33, § 43; 1917, c. 219, am. § 43; relating to number of deer allowed for consumption in lumber camps, amended.** Section forty-three of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 43. Prohibits possession of deer and moose at any time in lumber camps by owner or employee; penalty.** No owner or keeper of any camp,

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house, or other building, used partly or wholly in lumbering operations, or employee thereof, shall use, consume, or have in possession, at any time, at said camp, or serve to any employee thereof, any deer or moose or part thereof, under a penalty of not less than one hundred, nor more than two hundred dollars and costs for each deer or moose or part thereof so used, consumed, served or had in possession in violation hereof.'

**Sec. 13. R. S., c. 33, § 44; 1917, c. 219, am. § 44; relating to preservation of sex of deer or moose while carcasses are in transit, amended.** Section forty-four of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 44. Provisions as to moose eliminated and incorporated in R. S., c. 33, § 37; 1917, c. 219, am. § 37, as amended by 1919, c. 131.** Except as herein provided no person or corporation shall carry or transport from place to place any deer or part thereof in closed season nor in open season unless open to view, tagged, and plainly labeled with the name and residence of the owner thereof, and accompanied by him while being transported and identified by him at such places as the commissioner of inland fisheries and game shall have designated by publication in the daily newspapers of the state under a penalty of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars and costs for each deer or part thereof transported or carried in violation of any provision of this section, and any person not the actual owner of such deer, or part thereof, who, to aid another in such transportation, falsely represents himself to be the owner thereof, shall be liable to the same penalty; and it shall be prima facie evidence that said deer, or part thereof, that is being transported or carried in violation of this section was illegally killed.'

**Sec. 14. R. S., c. 33, § 45; 1917, c. 219, am. § 45; relating to protection of beaver, amended.** Section forty-five of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 45. Skins not to be sold or transported unless marked with official seal of commissioner or authorized agent.** The commissioner of inland fisheries and game, upon written complaint of any land owner that beaver are doing actual, substantial damage to his property, shall have authority to declare an open season for beaver upon such land for such period of time and under such conditions as he may deem necessary to remove the beaver that are doing the damage complained of, during which open sea-

son it shall be lawful for any person holding a beaver trapping license issued in accordance with the provisions of section fifty of this chapter to trap beaver thereon without securing permission of the land owner. No open season for beaver as contemplated by this section shall take effect until the commissioner of inland fisheries and game shall have caused notice of such proposed open season to be published once in a newspaper printed in the county in which the land on which the open season for beaver is declared is located, and said commissioner shall also file copy of said notice of open season with the clerk of the town or plantation in which such land is located, or, if the land is in an unorganized place, with the clerk of courts for the county in which the land is located. Whenever during a special open season on beaver as is contemplated by this section it shall appear to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game that the privileges of such open season are being abused in any place, said commissioner of inland fisheries and game may suspend the open season and declare it close season for beaver on such land for such time as he may designate. No person shall take any beaver anywhere in the state at any time except during such open season as may be declared by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game in accordance with the provisions of this section. Whoever takes any beaver in violation of any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of one hundred dollars and costs for each beaver taken, caught, or killed in violation of any provision of this section. It shall also be unlawful, under the same penalty, for any person to have in possession at any time any beaver, or part thereof, taken in violation of any provision of this section. It shall also be unlawful, under the same penalty, for any person, firm or corporation, to sell, give away, buy, accept as a gift, offer for transportation or transport any beaver skin or beaver skins unless each skin is marked with an official seal by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game or by an agent duly appointed by said commissioner to mark such skins.'

**Sec. 15. R. S., c. 33, § 47; 1917, c. 219, am. § 47; relating to molestation of fox dens, amended.** Section forty-seven of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 47. Foxes may be dug out of dens during open season.** No person shall at any time during closed season on foxes dig out, molest, or destroy, in any way, any fox den or fox dens, or remove or cause to be removed therefrom any fox or foxes, except those enclosed in private fox ranches. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of ten dollars and costs for each offense.'

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**Sec. 16.** R. S., c. 33, § 50; 1917, c. 219, am. § 50; relating to licenses to trap fur-bearing animals in unorganized townships, amended. Section fifty of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 50. License increased from \$5 to \$10; special trapping license for beavers; penalty increased from \$50 to \$100.** Whoever hunts, captures or traps any fur-bearing animals, except bobcats, loupcevier, Canada lynx or bears, in any of the unorganized townships of the state shall annually procure a license therefor from the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, paying therefor a fee of ten dollars; provided, further, that whoever hunts, captures or traps any beaver in any territory opened to beaver trapping by said commissioner shall pay therefor a fee of twenty-five dollars annually. Each person licensed under the provisions of this section shall, on or before the fifteenth day of December of each year, make such report to said commissioner as may be called for by him. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of one hundred dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 17.** R. S., c. 33, § 51; 1917, c. 219, am. § 51; relating to setting snares for fur-bearing animals, bear and other traps, amended. Section fifty-one of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 51. Swivel, pivot and set gun added to prohibited devices in trapping or hunting for fur-bearing animals; trapping of foxes in Lincoln county prohibited; provision requiring notice posted over bear trap repealed.** No person shall at any time set a snare or a swivel, pivot or set gun for any fur-bearing animal, under a penalty of one hundred dollars and costs for each offense and by imprisonment for sixty days, and shall forfeit any such snare, swivel, pivot or set gun, and any fur-bearing animal found in such snare, or killed by such swivel, pivot or set gun, to any person finding the same; nor shall any person at any time set any trap or traps of any kind for any wild animal without having the trap or traps plainly labeled with his full name and address, either by having the same stamped on the trap, or on a metal tag firmly attached to the trap, under a penalty of five dollars and costs for each offense and in addition thereto five dollars for each trap set and not marked as provided herein, and shall forfeit the trap or traps, and any wild animal found therein; nor shall any person at any time set a trap or traps for foxes in Lincoln county under

a penalty of five dollars and costs for each offense; provided, further, that no person shall set a bear trap at any time unless the same is enclosed in a hut, so-called, under a penalty of fifty dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 18. R. S., c. 33, § 52; 1917, c. 219, am. § 52; relating to the visiting of traps and requiring the consent of land owner in organized territory, amended.** Section fifty-two of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 52. Consent of land owner not obligatory when trapping beaver on lands opened by commission.** Any person setting a trap in any organized or 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. No person shall set a trap or traps in any organized or incorporated place without first obtaining the written consent of the owner or occupant of the land on which said trap or traps are to be set, except when trapping beaver as provided in section forty-five of this chapter. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of not less than ten, nor more than fifty dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 19. R. S., c. 33, § 53; 1917, c. 219, am. § 53; relating to bounties, amended.** The first paragraph of section fifty-three of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen and chapter two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out the word "four" in the first line thereof and by substituting therefor the word 'ten' so that said paragraph, as amended, shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 53. Bounties on bobcats increased from \$4 to \$10.** A bounty of ten dollars for every bobcat, loup-cervier, or Canada lynx killed in any town, shall be paid by the treasurer of state to the person killing it upon compliance with the following conditions.'

**Sec. 20. R. S., c. 33, § 59; 1917, am. § 59; relating to non-resident hunters' licenses, amended.** Section fifty-nine of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 59. Special moose license fee of \$25 established; necessary changes incident to open season on moose.** Persons not bona fide residents of this state, and actually domiciled herein, shall not hunt, pursue, take or kill any deer, ducks, partridges, woodcock, or other wild birds or wild animals,

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or have the same, or any part thereof, in possession at any time without first having procured a license therefor as hereinafter provided. Such licenses shall be issued by the commissioner 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, except moose, during their respective open seasons, and in the manner provided by law, in October, November and December, and such licenses shall be known as the non-resident deer hunting licenses. But to hunt bull moose, during the open season and in the manner provided by law, a license fee of twenty-five dollars shall be paid annually and the license issued on payment of such fee shall be known as the non-resident moose hunting license, and said license shall be provided with two moose coupons lettered "AA" and "BB", respectively, which shall permit the transportation to the home of the holder of said license, under the provisions of sections thirty-seven and sixty-one of this chapter, as amended, of the carcass of one bull moose, or part thereof, which the holder of said license has legally killed.

Provided, further, that 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, Piscataquis, Somerset, Franklin and Oxford up to October first of each year a license fee of five dollars shall be paid annually, and the license issued upon payment of such fee shall be known as the non-resident bird hunting license. 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 their 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, or a twenty-five dollar license if bull moose are to be hunted, shall be required of non-residents in said counties. Provided further, that a person who has procured a bird hunting license, so-called, may exchange said bird hunting license for a deer hunting license, so-called, upon payment of an additional fee of ten dollars, or may exchange said bird hunting license for a moose hunting license, so-called, upon payment of an additional fee of twenty dollars, and provided further, that a person who has procured a deer hunting license, so-called, may exchange said deer hunting license for a moose hunting license, so-called, upon payment of an additional fee of ten dollars. A bird hunting 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 commissioner as may be required to carry out the true intent of this chapter and not inconsistent herewith.'



**Sec. 21. R. S., c. 33, § 60; 1917, c. 219, am. § 60; relating to transportation of game by non-residents, amended.** Section sixty of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 60. Necessary changes incident to open season on moose.** Each deer hunting license, so-called, 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 deer hunting 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. If 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 the place of shipment and his name, and shall forward the same forthwith to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game at Augusta, Maine; section "B" of said coupon shall be likewise canceled 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 canceling the same shall forward them to the commissioner as aforesaid, and sections "B" and "D" shall be likewise canceled 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.'

**Sec. 22. R. S., c. 33, § 61; 1917, c. 219, am. § 61; relating to transportation of game for non-residents by transportation companies.** Section sixty-one of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

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**'Sec. 61. Transportation of game by non-residents by motor vehicle or other conveyance; provisions relative to; necessary changes as to transportation of moose.** No person shall transport any deer or bull moose, or part thereof, for any non-resident, otherwise than as provided in this section and the two preceding sections. 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 the carcass of a bull moose, or part of the same, or any game birds, for a non-resident, except as provided in this section and the two preceding sections, or refuse or neglect to detach the sections of the coupons as therein provided, or fail to forward to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, at Augusta, Maine, as therein 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, once in thirty days.

Provided, further, that no non-resident shall transport, or have transported, by any motor vehicle or other conveyance, any wild animal or wild bird, or part thereof, unless the same is tagged with the proper tag or tags detached from the owner's hunting license and unless said tag or tags bear the written approval of an inland fish and game warden or deputy inland fish and game warden or of the commissioner of inland fisheries and game. If any wild bird or wild animal, or part thereof, is found in possession of any person in violation of any provision of this paragraph, the same is subject to seizure and may be seized by any officer authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws.'

**Sec. 23. R. S., c. 33, § 63; 1917, c. 219, am. § 63; relating to non-residents hunting on wild lands.** Section sixty-three of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen

of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section, and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 63. Term "wild lands" more clearly defined.** Non-residents of the state shall not enter upon any unorganized or unincorporated township of the state and camp or kindle fires thereon while engaged in hunting or fishing without being in charge of a registered guide, during the months of May, June, July, August, September, October and November, and no registered guide shall, at the same time, guide or be employed by more than five non-residents in hunting.

Any such non-resident who enters upon any unorganized or unincorporated township of the state and camps or kindles fires thereon, while engaged in hunting or fishing, without being in charge of a registered guide, during the months of May, June, July, August, September, October and November, in violation of any provision herein contained, or any guide who shall guide at the same time, or be employed by at the same time, more than five non-residents in hunting, shall pay a fine of forty dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 24. R. S., c. 33, § 65; 1917, c. 219, am. § 65; relating to unauthorized foreigners, not real estate owners and not residents of state for two years procuring hunting license.** Section sixty-five of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 65. Unnaturalized aliens to procure fishing license; fee \$2.15.** It shall be unlawful for any unnaturalized, foreign-born person who is not a tax payer upon real estate within this state and who has not resided within the limits of this state for two years continuously prior to the time he desires to hunt, to hunt in any manner, at any time, or pursue, catch, kill or have in possession any wild animals or birds, or part or parts thereof, within the limits of this state, or to fish for, take, catch or kill any kind of fish at any time in any of the inland waters of this state, or to have any inland fish in possession, unless he is annually licensed so to do as hereinafter provided. The commissioner of inland fisheries and game, upon the application of any unnaturalized, foreign-born person who is a resident of any city, town or plantation within the state, and upon the payment of a fee of fifteen dollars may issue to such person a license upon a form to be supplied by him, bearing the name, age and place of residence of the licensee with a description of him as near as may be, authorizing the said licensee to hunt and kill, in accordance with law, game birds, game or other wild animals on any lands on which such hunting or killing

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is not forbidden by law, or by written or printed notices posted thereon by the owner, lessee or occupant thereof. But to fish for, take, catch, or kill any kind of fish at any time in any of the inland waters of this state an annual fee of two dollars and fifteen cents shall be paid to said commissioner. Such licenses shall authorize the hunting or killing and having in possession of game birds, game or other wild animals or the taking, catching, killing and having in possession of inland fish only in their respective open seasons and in the manner provided by law; such licenses shall not be transferable and shall be exhibited upon demand to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, or to any inland fish and game warden or deputy inland fish and game warden, or to any sheriff, constable, police officer or other officer qualified to serve process.'

**Sec. 25. R. S., c. 33, § 66; 1917, c. 219, am. § 66; relating to possession of firearms by unnaturalized aliens, amended.** Section sixty-six of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

'**Sec. 66. Fishing tackle included; proceeds of sale to be credited to department.** No unnaturalized, foreign-born person required to be licensed under the provisions of the preceding section shall have in possession, when he is upon the wild lands or in the woods or fields or on any inland waters of the state, any firearm or firearms or fishing tackle unless he is licensed as herein provided and all firearms and fishing tackle found in his possession in violation of this section shall be forfeit and contraband and shall be seized by any person authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws. All firearms or fishing tackle seized by virtue of this section shall forthwith be forwarded to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, at Augusta, by the person seizing the same, and upon conviction of the person or persons from whom they were seized said firearms or fishing tackle shall be sold, and the proceeds from such sale paid to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game and by him to the state treasurer, to be credited to the appropriation for the maintenance of the department of inland fisheries and game. Whoever violates any provision of this or the preceding section shall pay a fine of twenty-five dollars and costs for each offense.'

**Sec. 26. R. S., c. 33, § 68; 1917, c. 219, am. § 68; relating to licenses to sell deer skins, amended.** Section sixty-eight of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 68. Licensed dealers may sell detached deer heads to licensed taxidermists; license fee increased from \$10 to \$25; penalty increased to not less than \$50 nor more than \$100 for each offense, sixty days' imprisonment and forfeiture of license for five years.** The commissioner of inland fisheries and game may, in his discretion, annually issue licenses to residents of this state, to buy and sell deer skins, and the heads of deer if not detached from said skins, during the months of January, October, November and December. Provided, however, that deer heads so purchased may, when detached from the skins, be sold to licensed taxidermists. Such licensee shall keep a true and complete record, which shall be open to inspection by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game or any person authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws, of all such heads and skins purchased, of whom purchased and the date of each purchase, and shall send such record annually, under oath, to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game on or before the twentieth day of December of each year. The fee for such license shall be twenty-five dollars, to be paid to the said commissioner. All deer skins and deer heads purchased by virtue of this section shall be transported only under such rules, restrictions and limitations as shall, from time to time, be made by said commissioner. Whoever buys any skins or heads of deer without being licensed as herein provided, or whoever, licensed as aforesaid, neglects to keep the record and forward the same to said commissioner as herein provided, or whoever refuses to exhibit said record upon request to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game or to any person authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws, or whoever, licensed as aforesaid, purchases any deer heads or deer skins during any month except January, October, November or December, or whoever transports any deer skins or deer heads purchased by virtue of this section in violation of any rules and regulations promulgated by said commissioner by virtue of this section, shall pay a fine of not less than fifty, nor more than one hundred dollars and costs for each offense and be imprisoned not exceeding sixty days and in addition thereto forfeit his license as such dealer for a period of five years.'

**Sec. 27. R. S., c. 33, § 69; 1917, c. 219, am. § 69; relating to license for fur buyers, amended.** Section sixty-nine of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 69. State license fee fixed at \$25, county at \$2; penalty \$50 and costs for each offense.** The commissioner of inland fisheries and game may annually issue licenses to residents of this state to engage in the business of buying otter, sable or fisher skins or the skins of any other fur-bearing animals. Each licensee shall keep a record, which shall be open

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to inspection by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game or any officer authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws, of all skins purchased, as aforesaid, in an appropriate book furnished him by the said commissioner, and shall send such record, under oath, to said commissioner on or before the twentieth day of December of each year. The fee for a county license shall be two dollars and for a state license shall be twenty-five dollars to be paid to the said commissioner. Whoever buys any skins of otter, sable or fisher or the skins of any other fur-bearing animals without being licensed as herein provided, or whoever, licensed as aforesaid, neglects to keep the record and forward the same to said commissioner as herein provided, or whoever refuses to exhibit said book for inspection by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game or any person authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws, shall pay a fine of fifty dollars and costs for each offense. All skins of fur-bearing animals bought in violation of any provision of this section shall be forfeit and contraband and shall be seized by any person authorized to enforce the inland fish and game laws, and upon conviction of the person or persons from whom they were seized they shall be sold and the proceeds from such sale paid to the treasurer of state, to be credited to the appropriation for the maintenance of the department of inland fisheries and game.'

**Sec. 28. R. S., c. 33, § 70; 1917, c. 219, am. § 70; relating to licenses of marketmen to sell deer meat, amended.** Section seventy of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 70. Not to buy and sell more than two deer and one bull moose; license fee \$5, instead of \$3 and \$5 according to population.** Any marketman or provision dealer having an established place of business in this state, may purchase and have in possession at his said place of business not more than two deer, nor more than one bull moose, lawfully killed or destroyed, or any part thereof, in any one year, and may sell the same at retail to his local customers, and may sell the heads of such deer or bull moose to any licensed taxidermist; provided, however, that said marketman or provision dealer shall annually procure a license of the commissioner of inland fisheries and game to buy and sell deer or bull moose as aforesaid; and provided, further, that said marketman shall record in a book kept for that purpose, and open to the inspection of inland fish and game wardens, deputy inland fish and game wardens and the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, the name and residence of each person of whom he purchases any deer or bull moose, and the date of such purchase; and if any marketman or provision dealer shall violate any provision of this section he shall pay a fine of five hundred dollars for each offense,

and be prohibited for five years thereafter from the benefits of this section. All marketmen or provision dealers licensed as aforesaid shall pay to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game a fee of five dollars annually; each marketman or provision dealer licensed as aforesaid shall, on the twentieth day of each December, make, sign and send to the commissioner, under oath, a statement setting forth in detail the name and residence of each person of whom a deer, or a bull moose, or part thereof, has been purchased and the date of each purchase, during the time covered by his license; and whoever fails to make such report shall pay a fine of one hundred dollars and costs.'

**Sec. 29. R. S., c. 33, § 71; 1917, c. 219, am. § 71; relating to expiration of licenses and certificates, amended.** Section seventy-one of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 71. Made to include provisions of amendments.** All licenses or certificates issued by virtue of any provision of this chapter, or amendment thereof, shall expire with the calendar year in which issued.'

**Sec. 30. R. S., c. 33, § 72; 1917, c. 219, am. § 72; relating to revocation or suspension of licenses and certificates, amended.** Section seventy-two of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapters two hundred and nineteen and two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 72. Penalty for false statements.** If the holder of any license, certificate or permit, issued in conformity with any provision of this chapter, or amendment thereof, is charged with having violated or countenanced the violation of any provision of this chapter, or amendment thereof, the commissioner may, at his discretion, temporarily suspend such license, certificate or permit; and whenever the holder of such license, certificate or permit, as provided in this section, is convicted of the violation of any provision of this chapter, or amendment thereof, said commissioner may, at his discretion, cancel such license, certificate or permit and strike his name from the official record; but such license, certificate or permit may again be issued at the discretion of the commissioner. Any license, certificate or permit suspended or canceled by virtue of this section shall be immediately returned to the commissioner, under a penalty of fifty dollars for refusal or neglect to comply with this requirement.

If any applicant for any kind of license, certificate, or permit provided for in this chapter, or amendments thereof, makes a false statement in

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order to secure such license, certificate or permit, he shall be subject to a penalty of fifty dollars and costs for each offense and in addition thereto be imprisoned not exceeding three months.'

**Sec. 31. R. S., c. 33, § 74; 1917, c. 219, am. § 74; relating to night hunting, amended.** Section seventy-four of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 74. Birds may be hunted half hour before sunrise in conformity with federal law.** There shall be a closed season on wild birds in this state from sunset to half an hour before sunrise of the following morning, and on wild animals from one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise of the following morning, during which closed season it shall be unlawful to hunt, kill or destroy any wild bird or wild animal of any kind. No person shall have in possession, at any time, any wild bird or wild animal, or part thereof, taken in violation of any provision of this section. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of not less than ten, nor more than fifty dollars and costs for each offense; provided, however, that if any protected wild birds or wild animals are hunted, killed, destroyed or had in possession in violation of this section the penalty shall be the same as is now imposed therefor during other closed season; provided, further, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to the hunting of raccoons at night from August fifteenth to October thirty-first, following, of each year, both days inclusive.'

**Sec. 32. R. S., c. 33, § 81; 1917, c. 219, am. § 81; relating to forfeiture of fish and game seized, amended.** Section eighty-one of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

**'Sec. 81. Court to declare forfeiture to state; must give bond immediately.** All birds, fish, game or other wild animals, or parts thereof, hunted, caught, killed, destroyed, bought, sold, carried, transported, or found in possession of any person or corporation in violation of any provision of this chapter, or amendment thereof, shall be liable to seizure, and in case of conviction for such violation the court shall declare the same forfeited to the state, to be sold for the benefit of the state. Any person whose birds, fish, game or other wild animals, or parts thereof, have been seized for violation of any game or fish law, shall have it returned to him on giving to the officer a bond with sufficient sureties, who shall be residents of the state, in double the amount of the fine for such violation, conditioned



that, if convicted of such violation, he will, within thirty days thereafter, pay such fine and costs. If he neglects or refuses to immediately give such bond and take the birds, fish, game or other wild animals, or parts thereof, so seized, he shall have no action against the officer for such seizure or for the loss of the birds, fish, game or other wild animals, or parts thereof, seized.'

**Sec. 33. R. S., c. 33, § 84; 1917, c. 219, am. § 84; relating to arrest of violators without process, amended.** Section eighty-four of chapter thirty-three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by substituting therefor the following section:

'**Sec. 84. Penalty for non-payment of fine and costs on conviction of violation of fish and game laws.** 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 or police court, in the county where the offense was committed, or in any adjoining county, for a warrant and trial. 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; and any officer who shall maliciously, or without probable cause, abuse his power in such proceedings shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars and costs, or by imprisonment not exceeding three months.

'Whoever is convicted, in any court, or by any trial justice, of a violation of any inland fish or game law which is punishable by a fine and costs only, without imprisonment, shall be liable to not exceeding thirty days' imprisonment in a county jail for the non-payment of said fine and costs, or until the same are paid.'

**Sec. 34. Former rules and regulations not repealed.** The provisions of this act shall not be construed as repealing any rules and regulations of the department of inland fisheries and game which may be in force when this act takes effect.

Approved April 4, 1919.

## Chapter 197.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-one of Chapter Fifty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Regulation as to the Use of Streets by Street Railroads.

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

**R. S., c. 58, § 31; relating to regulations by municipal officers as to use of street railroads, amended.** Section thirty-one of chapter fifty-eight of