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Upon the official request of the United States immigration officer in charge of the territory or district, in which is located any court committing an alien to any state, county or private institution which is supported wholly or in part by public funds it shall be the duty of the clerk of such court to furnish without charge a certified copy of the complaint, information or indictment and the judgment and sentence and any other record pertaining to the case of the convicted alien.

Approved February 25, 1927.

Chapter 2.

An Act to Establish the Narragansett Game Sanctuary in the Town of Gorham.

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

Sec. 1. Game sanctuary in Gorham established; limits. No person shall, except as herein provided, at any time, hunt, pursue, shoot at or kill any wild animal or any game or wild bird within the following described territory situated in the town of Gorham, in the county of Cumberland: Bounded on the north by the right of way of the W. N. & P. division of the Boston & Maine railroad; on the east by the Black Brook Road or Scarboro Road, so-called, in said town of Gorham; on the south by the Stroudwater River; and on the west by South Street or South Gorham Road, so-called, in said town of Gorham, containing three thousand six hundred acres, more or less.

Sec. 2. Possession of birds or animals taken, prohibited. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any wild bird or wild animal taken in violation of any provision of this act.

Sec. 3. Birds or animals found destroying property may be killed. The provisions of this act shall not prohibit any person residing within the limits of the above described sanctuary from shooting at or destroying any wild bird or any wild animal when found destroying his property, nor shall it be construed to prohibit the trapping of fur-bearing animals within the above described sanctuary in accordance with the general laws of the state.

Sec. 4. Penalties. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten nor more than three hundred dollars and costs for each offense or imprisonment for sixty days, or both said fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 5. Territory may be enlarged. The commissioner of inland fisheries and game is empowered to enlarge the territory of this sanctuary

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upon the written consent of the owners of the additional land to be included.

Approved February 25, 1927.

Chapter 3.

An Act Relative to Automobile Plates.

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

P. L., 1921, c. 211, sec. 48; relating to furnishing of number plates; display of same; lost plates, etc., amended. Paragraph two, of section forty-eight of public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-one, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "issued" in the second line thereof, the following: 'except that on and after December twenty-fifth of such calendar year, it shall be lawful to use and display on motor vehicles, the number plates issued for the next succeeding year,' so that said paragraph, as amended, shall read as follows:

Number plates for the next year may be attached December 25, previous. 'Number plates so furnished shall be valid only for the calendar year for which they are issued, except that on and after December twentyfifth of such calendar year, it shall be lawful to use and display on motor vehicles, the number plates issued for the next succeeding year. Each number plate displayed shall be horizontal and shall be so fastened as not to swing, and its lower edges shall be at least twelve inches from the ground. Not more than one set of number plates shall be displayed upon any vehicle, except as may be otherwise permitted by this act.'

Approved March 3, 1927.

Chapter 4.

An Act to Regulate Fishing in Twin Brooks, so-called, Tributary to Aziscohos Lake, County of Oxford.

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

Sec. 1. Fishing in Twin Brooks, prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person to fish for, take, catch or kill, any kind of fish at any time in either of the brooks known as Twin Brooks, so-called, tributaries to Aziscohos Lake, in the county of Oxford. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any kind of fish taken in either of said brooks.

Sec. 2. Penalties. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten dollars, nor more than thirty