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AS PASSED BY THE

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within the jurisdiction of this state, seaward of mean low water mark, and east of sixty-nine degrees forty-five minutes west longitude, is hereby vested in the governor and council who shall have authority to make leases to such persons and upon such terms and for such length of time except as hereinafter limited, as they may prescribe.

Sec. 2. Leases not to extend longer than thirty years. No lease shall be executed for a period of over thirty years, but any lease executed as provided in section one may be renewed by the lessee for a further period to be fixed by the parties.

Sec. 3. Minimum rental fixed; plot of location to be filed with secretary of state. The rental to be paid to the state for these rights shall be not less than three dollars per annum per square mile of territory covered by said lease and shall be determined by the governor and council. The lessee shall file with the secretary of state a plot showing the location of the territory desired to be leased with the boundaries located thereon.

Approved April 1, 1927.

Chapter 46.

An Act Relating to the Digging of Clams in Wells, in the County of York.

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

Sec. 1. Digging of clams in Wells limited. It shall be unlawful for any person not an inhabitant of the state of Maine, or not a temporary resident of the town of Wells, in the county of York, to dig clams within said town of Wells; such inhabitants of the state of Maine and temporary residents of the town of Wells shall dig not more than one-half bushel in any one day for home consumption, within this state.

Sec. 2. Inhabitants only, may dig clams for commercial purposes. No person, not an inhabitant of said town of Wells shall dig clams for commercial purposes within said town.

Sec. 3. Clam hoe must be used. No clams shall be dug within the limits of said town of Wells other than with a clam hoe.

Sec. 4. Penalties. Whoever violates the provisions of this act, for each offense, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days.

Approved April 1, 1927.