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#### ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

# Eighty-Third Legislature

OF THE

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### **PUBLIC LAWS**

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five and one hundred and ninety-seven, of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-three, and chapter fifty-two and chapter sixty-three, of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-five is hereby further amended by striking out the words "eighteen hundred dollars" in the fourteenth line thereof and inserting in the place thereof the words 'twenty-one hundred dollars,' so that said section as amended in so far as it relates to the salary of the clerk of courts of Oxford county, shall read as follows:

Oxford county, increased. 'Oxford, twenty-one hundred dollars.'

Approved April 12, 1927.

#### Chapter 130.

An Act to Prohibit the Trapping of Muskrat in Ward Stream, in the Towns of Newburg, Hermon and Hampden, in the County of Penobscot.

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

- Sec. 1. Close time on muskrats in Ward stream. For a period of three years from the time this act takes effect it shall be unlawful for any person to trap any muskrat or muskrats in Ward stream, so-called, which stream is situated within the limits of the towns of Newburg, Hermon and Hampden, in the county of Penobscot, or in any of the tributaries to said Ward stream within the limits of said towns. It shall also be unlawful during the same period for any person to have in possession at any time any muskrat or muskrats, or any part or parts thereof, taken in any of the above-named waters.
- Sec. 2. Penalties. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall pay a fine of ten dollars and costs for each offense, and in addition thereto three dollars for each muskrat or part thereof hunted, trapped, killed, pursued, caught or had in possession in violation of any provision of this act.
- Sec. 3. Jurisdiction of offenses granted to trial justices, police and municipal courts. In all prosecutions arising under this act municipal and police courts and trial justices within their respective jurisdictions shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent jurisdiction with the supreme judicial court and superior courts.

Approved April 12, 1927.