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four until such permit has been given, as aforesaid; and every undertaker, or other person, having charge of any burial place, as aforesaid, who shall receive such permit, shall preserve and forward the same to the clerk of the town in which burial takes place within six days after the day of burial.'

Approved March 15, 1929.

Chapter 70.

An Act Providing for the Attesting of Records of City and Town Clerks by Volume. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Attestation by volume of city records provided for. The records of the city and town clerks in the several cities and towns of thirty-five thousand inhabitants and over may be attested by volume, and it shall be a sufficient attestation of each document recorded therein when each volume thereof bears the attest with the written signature of the clerk or other person authorized by law to attest such records.

Approved March 15, 1929.

Chapter 71.

An Act to Establish a Game Preserve in the Town of Windham, Cumberland County. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. r. Game preserve established in town of Windham. No person shall at any time hunt, chase, catch, kill or destroy any wild bird or wild animal (other than fish) in or upon the waters of Little Duck pond, so-called, in the town of Windham, in the county of Cumberland, or within the limits of the following described tract or territory situated on the western shore of said pond, to wit:

A certain tract of land consisting of thirty-five (35) acres, more or less, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a pile of stones and an iron pipe driven into the ground near the shore of said Little Duck pond at the southerly corner of Josephine Merrill's land; thence running southerly by the shore of said pond sixty (60) rods more or less to a spotted maple tree and an iron pipe driven in the ground at the corner of land of F. J. Laughlin; thence westerly by said Laughlin's land and land formerly of one Anthoine eighty-three (83) rods more or less to a pile of stones and brass pipe set in the ground; thence south sixty-seven and one-half degrees (67½) west four (4) rods and thirteen (13) links more or less to a maple tree on the west side of a ledge and an iron pipe driven into the ground; thence north ninteen degrees (19°) west thirty-four (34) rods more or less to a spotted red oak tree on the

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westerly side of a ledge and an iron pipe driven into the ground; thence north sixty-six and one-fourth degrees (66½°) east twenty-nine (29) rods and twenty (20) links more or less to a spotted oak tree; thence north fifty-two degrees (52°) east twenty-four and one-half (24½) rods more or less to a rock and an iron pipe driven into the ground; thence north thirty-five and one-half degrees (35½°) west thirty-three (33) rods and five (5) links more or less to a white oak tree and iron pipe driven into the ground; thence north sixty-one and one-half degrees (61½°) east twenty-four (24) rods and fourteen (14) links more or less to the westerly end of an old stone wall and iron pipe driven into the ground; thence north fifty-one and three-eighths degrees (51¾°) east nineteen rods more or less to a spotted red oak tree and an iron pipe driven into the ground; thence south seventy-one and one-fourth degrees (71¼°) east forty-three (43) rods more or less to the point of beginning.

Provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall not be construed as prohibiting a person killing a predatory animal when found destroying his property.

- Sec. 2. Penalty for violations. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten dollars, nor more than three hundred dollars and costs for each offense, or imprisonment for sixty days, or both said fine and imprisonment. It shall also be unlawful, under the same penalty, for any person to have in his possession, at any time, any wild bird or any wild animal, or part thereof, taken within the above named closed territory.
- Sec. 3. Commissioner may enlarge territory. The commissioner of inland fisheries and game is hereby empowered to enlarge the territory in this game preserve, or sanctuary, upon petition of owners of the additional land to be included.

Approved March 15, 1929.

Chapter 72.

An Act to Amend the "Bridge Act," So-called, Providing for State and County Aid in the Construction of Highway Bridges.

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

P. L., 1915, c. 319, sec. 2; P. L., 1927, c. 153, sec. 1; relating to apportionment of costs in the construction of highway bridges, further amended. Section two of chapter three hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and fifteen, as amended by section one of chapter one hundred fifty-three, of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-seven, is hereby further amended by striking out all of said section and substituting therefor the following: