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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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PUBLIC LAWS
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As Passed by the Eighty-Fourth Legislature

AT THE

SPECIAL SESSION, AUGUST 5-6

1930

Supplementary to Public Laws of the Regular Session

Chapter 367.

AN ACT to Provide for the Appointment of a Revisor to Assist in the Preparation and Revision of Statutes.

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

Sec. 1. Appointment of a revisor of statutes. The governor with the advice and consent of the council shall appoint a revisor of statutes who shall be a suitable person experienced in statutory revision and who shall serve until August first, nineteen hundred and thirty-one.

Sec. 2. Duties of the revisor of statutes. The duties of the revisor of statutes shall be:

(1) During the legislative session of nineteen hundred and thirty-one to assist the legislators in the drafting of legislation and to revise all legislation so far as may be practicable so that it shall be in conformity with and may be properly inserted in the revised statutes, under the direction of the senate and house of representatives;

(2) Immediately after the final adjournment of the legislature to distinguish private and special laws from public laws and to index the session laws; and to notify the secretary of state of his acts hereunder.

Sec. 3. Shall file report with the secretary of state. After the session

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of the legislature to prepare a report inserting in their proper places in the revised statutes public laws enacted since the seventh revision of the statutes and to file this report with the secretary of state.

Sec. 4. Salary and expenses of revisor of statutes. The revisor of statutes shall receive such salary, clerk hire, and expenses as may be provided by the governor and council.

Sec. 5. When act shall take effect. This act shall take effect December first, nineteen hundred and thirty.

Approved August 6, 1930.

Chapter 368.

AN ACT Relative to Fur-Bearing Animals.

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

Sec. 1. P. L., 1929, c. 331, sec. 41, relating to regulation of trapping season, amended. Section forty-one of chapter three hundred thirty-one of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-nine is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

‘Sec. 41. Trapping season regulated with reference to counties. Whoever from the first day of February to the fifteenth day of November, both days inclusive, hunts or traps any fur-bearing animal except wild hares and rabbits (which are protected under the provisions of section thirty-nine of this chapter), bob-cats, loup cervier, Canada lynx, or muskrat, within the counties of Androscoggin, Cumberland, York, Sagadahoc, Kennebec, Lincoln, Waldo and Knox; or whoever from the first day of February to the fifteenth day of October, both days inclusive, hunts or traps any fur-bearing animal except wild hares and rabbits (which are protected as aforesaid), bob-cats, loup cervier, Canada lynx, or muskrat, within the counties of Washington, Hancock, Aroostook, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Franklin, Somerset, and Oxford; or whoever has in possession at any time any fur-bearing animal or part or parts thereof taken in closed season, shall be subject to the penalties of this chapter.

(a) Provided that there shall be an annual closed season on muskrat in the counties of Androscoggin, Cumberland, York, Sagadahoc, Kennebec, Lincoln, Waldo and Knox from the twenty-first day of April of each year to the nineteenth day of March of the following year, both days inclusive; and provided that there shall be annual closed seasons on muskrat in the counties of Washington, Hancock, Aroostook, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Franklin, Somerset and Oxford from the first day of December of each year to the thirty-first day of March of the following year, both