

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
AS PASSED BY THE
Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth
Legislatures

OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

From April 21, 1939 to April 26, 1941
AND MISCELLANEOUS STATE PAPERS

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninetieth Legislature

1941

'Limington, Hollis and Waterboro: That for a period of 2 years from June 30, 1941, no person shall, except as herein provided, at any time, hunt, pursue, shoot at, molest or kill any wild animal or wild bird within the following described territory situated in the towns of Limington, Hollis and Waterboro, in York county; beginning at a point where the Little Ossipee river joins the Saco river in the town of Limington, thence westerly and southerly along said Little Ossipee river to the highway at Edgecomb's bridge, so-called, in Waterboro, thence southerly and easterly along said highway to North Hollis in the town of Hollis, thence easterly and northerly along the road next west of Killick brook to the road leading from Nason Mills to Bonney Eagle, thence northeasterly along said Bonney Eagle road to the town line between Limington and Hollis, thence northerly along said town line to the Saco river, thence northerly along said Saco river to the point of beginning. The provisions of this paragraph shall not prohibit the commissioner of inland fisheries and game from regulating the taking of fur-bearing animals thereon. 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 paragraph.'

Approved March 8, 1941

Chapter 53

AN ACT Relating to Sunday Moving Pictures.

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

R. S., c. 135, § 39-H, amended. Section 39-H of chapter 135 of the revised statutes, as created by chapter 255 of the public laws of 1939, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 39-H. Local option. Section 39-G shall not be effective in any city until a majority of the legal voters, present and voting, at any regular or special election so vote or in any town until an article in such town warrant so providing has been adopted at an annual or special town meeting; provided, however, the municipal officers of a city so voting, that section 39-G shall be effective in such city until a vote thereon has been taken at the next regular or special municipal election. The question in appropriate terms may be submitted to the voters at any such election by the municipal officers thereof and shall by them be so submitted when thereto requested in writing by 100 legal voters therein at least 21 days before such regular election; nor shall it be effective in any town until an article in such town warrant so providing shall have been adopted

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at an annual town meeting. When a city or town has voted in favor of adopting the provisions of section 39-G, said provisions shall ~~be effective~~ remain in effect therein until repealed in the same manner as above provided for their adoption. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation operating any theatrical or motion picture show on Sunday to require or permit any employee of said person, firm or corporation to work or be on duty more than 6 days in any 1 week.'

Approved March 8, 1941

Chapter 54

AN ACT Relating to Clerk Hire in Somerset County.

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

R. S., c. 125, § 46, amended. The paragraph of section 46 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 279 of the public laws of 1939, which relates to Somerset county, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Somerset county: for clerks in the office of register of deeds, ~~fifteen hundred dollars~~ \$2000; for clerks in the office of register of probate, \$1000; for clerks in the office of clerk of courts, \$1540.'

Approved March 8, 1941

Chapter 55

AN ACT Amending the Unemployment Compensation Law so as to Reduce Waiting Period for Unemployment Benefits and to Preserve Benefits for Persons in the Military Service.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the objectives intended to be accomplished by the Unemployment Compensation Law are not fully possible without amendment of said law, and

Whereas, a failure to amend said law at once will result in depriving many individuals of substantial rights to which they are entitled, and

Whereas, to deprive such individuals of such rights would be a serious menace to the health, morals and welfare to the people of the state which constitute a subject of general interest and concern requiring appropriate and immediate action, and