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ACTS AND RESOLVES
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STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-first Legislature

1943

CHAP. 18

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 13, § 6, sub-§ VIII-A, additional. Section 6 of chapter 13 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subsection to be numbered VIII-A, and to read as follows:

'VIII-A. The polls of persons in active service in the armed forces of the United States of America.'

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective February 25, 1943

Chapter 18

AN ACT Relating to Bounty on Bobcats, etc.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 38, § 77, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 77 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'There shall be a bounty of \$15 for every bobcat, loupcevrier and Canada lynx which is killed within the state, to be paid by the treasurer of state to the person killing the same upon compliance with the following conditions. No bounty shall be paid unless the claimant within ~~5~~ 10 days after he has killed such animal, exhibits to the warden or warden supervisor in whose district the animal was killed the entire skin thereof, with the ears, nose and tail thereon in as perfect a state as when killed, except natural decay, and signs a certificate under oath stating that he killed such animal and the time and place within the state. Such certificate must be approved by and bear the signature of the warden or warden supervisor in whose district the animal was killed, stating that he believes the cat to have been killed at the time and place stated therein, and he shall thereupon cut off the whole of the tail from the skin and forward the same by mail to the commissioner, together with the claimant's certificate in the following form:'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 38, § 79, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 79 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'No bounty shall be paid unless claimant within ~~24~~ 72 hours after he has killed such animal exhibits to the town treasurer the entire skin thereof or the entire animal for the killing of which such bounty is claimed, and sign a certificate under oath, which said treasurer may administer, stating that he

killed such animal and the time and place within the state. Such certificate must be approved by and bear the signature of the fish and game warden or warden supervisor in whose district the animal was killed stating that he believes the bear to have been killed at the time and place stated therein. The skin of all bears on which bounty is claimed must be stamped and sealed by the warden or warden supervisor in whose district the same was killed, with implements provided by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game. The town treasurer shall then pay the bounty and take the claimant's receipt therefor upon the same paper with such certificates and the town treasurer shall make upon the same paper, at the time of his monthly report, a certificate under oath addressed to the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, that all the requirements of law have been met by the claimant and that the bounty has been paid to him.'

Effective July 9, 1943

Chapter 19

AN ACT Relating to Permits by Cities and Towns to Pipe Line Companies.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 68, amended. Chapter 68 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting therein after section 11 thereof 2 new sections as follows:

'Sec. 11-A. Corporations may lay pipe lines. Every corporation organized under the general laws of the state and owning, controlling, operating or managing any pipe line within or through this state for the transportation as a common carrier for hire of oil, gas, gasoline, petroleum or any other liquids or gases may lay its pipe lines and construct and maintain the same in, along and under the roads and streets in any city or town, subject, however, to the conditions and under the restrictions provided in this chapter.'

'Sec. 11-B. Water companies may lay pipes. Every water company organized under the general law of this state and authorized to do a public utility business in this state may lay its pipes in and under the roads and streets in any city or town in which it is authorized to supply water or through which it is necessary or convenient to lay the same to conduct water from its source of supply to enable it to render such service, subject, however, to the conditions and under the restrictions provided in this chapter.'