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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninetieth and Ninety-first Legislatures

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

From April 26, 1941 to April 9, 1943 AND MISCELLANEOUS STATE PAPERS

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-first Legislature

1943

CHAP. 226

Chapter 225

AN ACT Relating to the Reciprocal Enforcement of Violations of Fishing Laws in Boundary Waters Between Maine and New Hampshire.

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

R. S., c. 38, additional. Chapter 38 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 13, to read as follows:

'Sec. 13. Reciprocal enforcement of violations in boundary waters. Whenever a violation of the sea and shore fisheries laws or the inland fish and game laws of the state of New Hampshire or the state of Maine is committed or attempted to be committed by any person or persons fishing in any waters or portion thereof lying between the state of New Hampshire and the state of Maine, any warden or other person, who is authorized to make arrests for violations of the sea and shore fisheries laws and the inland fish and game laws of the state of New Hampshire or the state of Maine, shall have power and authority to make arrests on any part of such waters between the state of New Hampshire and the state of Maine or the shores thereof and to take the person or persons so arrested for trial to the state in which the violation was committed and there to prosecute such person or persons according to the laws of such state.'

Effective July 9, 1943

Chapter 226

AN ACT Relating to Stolen Property.

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

R. S., c. 131, § 13, amended. Section 13 of chapter 131 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 13. Officer to secure and keep stolen property for the owner; procedure if owner not found. The officer, who arrests a person charged with an offense under this chapter, shall secure the property alleged to have been stolen, be answerable for it, and annex a schedule of it to his return; and, upon conviction of the offender, the property stolen shall be restored to the owner. If the owner cannot be found, the state police, the sheriff of any county, or the police department of any city may convert said property, which has been in their possession for at least 2 years, into money, after public notice published 3 weeks successively in a newspaper pub-