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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-fourth Legislature

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Sec. 4. R. S., c. 26, § 15, amended. The 1st sentence of section 15 of chapter 26 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'If death results from the injury, the employer shall pay the dependents of the employee, wholly dependent upon his earnings for support at the time of his accident, a weekly payment equal to  $\frac{2}{3}$  his average weekly wages, earnings or salary, but not more than ~~\$21~~ \$24 nor less than ~~\$7~~ \$9 a week, from the date of death for a period ending 300 weeks from the date of the accident, and in no case to exceed ~~\$5,000~~ \$6,000.'

Sec. 5. Effective date. This act shall become effective on November 30, 1949.

Effective November 30, 1949

## Chapter 381

### AN ACT Relative to Trapping Season on Fur-Bearing Animals.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 33, § 97, sub-§ I, amended. The 1st, 3rd and 4th paragraphs of subsection I of section 97 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 33, § 97, sub-§ I, amended. The 7th paragraph of subsection I of section 97 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The open season on mink, muskrat and otter shall be during the month of November in each calendar year; provided that there shall be no open season on muskrat in the month of November, 1949.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 33, § 97, sub-§ I, amended. The last paragraph of subsection I of section 97 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The open season on all other wild or fur-bearing animals, excepting bobcats, loupcevrier, Canada lynx and beaver, shall be from ~~October 16th~~ November 1 of each calendar year to the following February 15th in the next following year, excepting in the county of York where the open season on foxes shall be from ~~October 16th~~ November 1 in each calendar year to the following March 1st in the next calendar year.'

Sec. 4. R. S., c. 33, § 97, sub-§ VII, amended. Subsection VII of sec-

tion 97 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'VII. For a period of 2 years from August 13, 1949, it shall be lawful to dig out foxes at any time and to hunt foxes at any time, except Sunday and in the night-time, in organized territory in this state. It shall be lawful to trap foxes or to cause to have foxes trapped, at any time, on one's own land, within a distance of 100 yards from a shelter or range where poultry is raised or kept.'

Effective August 6, 1949

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## Chapter 382

### AN ACT Relating to Katahdin Wild Life Sanctuary.

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

R. S., c. 33, § 128, amended. That part of section 128 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, which relates to Katahdin Wild Life Sanctuary, is hereby repealed and the following, to be inserted in alphabetical order, enacted in place thereof:

'Baxter State Park: The following described tracts of territory situated in the counties of Penobscot and Piscataquis W.E.L.S. the same being in unorganized townships, to wit: That portion of township 6, range 8, Penobscot county in the southwest corner of said township bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of said township thence north along the west line of said township to First Grand or Matagamon Lake; thence easterly, southeasterly and southerly along the western shore of said Lake to the East Branch of the Penobscot river; thence southerly along the thread of the said East Branch to the south line of said township; thence west along the said south line to the point of beginning: that portion of township 3, range 9, Piscataquis county now the property of the state of Maine: all of township 4, range 9, Piscataquis county: all of township 5, range 9, Piscataquis county: that portion of township 6, range 9, Piscataquis county lying south of Trout Brook and south of Wadleigh Brook and extending from the east line of said township across said township to the west line thereof: all of township 3, range 10, Piscataquis county: all of township 4, range 10, Piscataquis county: all of township 5, range 10, Piscataquis county. The said within described 8 tracts or parcels of land contain 141,712 acres more or less.'

Effective August 6, 1949