

Report of 1938-1939 Wardens' Activities for the State of Maine typescript, 1940

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Organizational history: The Maine Warden Service began in 1880, offering the first legal protection to moose and deer.

Biographical information: Clarence Moroni Aldous was born in Hutsville, Utah on November 2, 1889, the son of Charles Newell and Maryett Felt Aldous. On September 5, 1917, he married Sarah Eunice Robinson (born February 29, 1892 in Oakley, Idaho and deceased August 22, 1978 in Salt Lake City, Utah). During the 1930s and 1940s, he worked for the Maine Cooperative Wildlife Research Unit and was in charge of the research activities. He published in the field of wildlife research. Aldous died on February 15, 1981, in West Valley City, Utah.

E. Clifford worked for the zoology department at the University of Maine.

Archer Lewis Grover was born in Bethel, Maine, on May 24, 1876. He was the Deputy Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game for the State of Maine.

Howard Lewis Mendall was born in Augusta, Maine on November 21, 1909. He graduated from the University of Maine in Orono in 1931 and completed his masters there in 1934. He began working for the Maine Cooperative Wildlife Research Unit at the University as an assistant leader in 1937; in 1942 he became its leader. He also taught the first course in ornithology offered in Maine and taught graduate-level courses in ecology and wildlife biology. He wrote a number of ornithological monographs. Mendall married Emma Mathews in 1934. He died in Bangor on January 27, 1994.

No biographical information is available for Donald O'Brien, Dr. Lamson, Joel Marsh, or Lester E. Brown.

Scope and content:

This collection consists of a photocopy of a typescript report written by Maine State wardens, titled "Report of 1938-1939 Wardens' Activities for the State of Maine." Included are reports by Clarence M. Aldous, "In Charge of the Research Activities;" "Beaver Food Habits" by Donald O'Brien; "Moose" by Dr. Lamson; Dr. Clifford Nelson, Zoologist; "Property Damage" by Archer L. Grover; "Report on Anasagunticook Lake Investigation" by Joel Marsh and Clarence M. Aldous; "Woodcock" and "Waterfowl Identification" by Howard Mendall; Mr. Stobie; and "Fly Fishing, What is it?" by Major Lester E. Brown.

Inventory:

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