
(a) No hunting licenses shall be issued to any resident person under the age of eighteen (13) years unless ne presents to the person authorized to issue sucn license a certificate of competency as provided by tiris section.

The deparment of fish and game shall provide for a course of instruction in the safe nanding of firearms and for ine purpose may cooperate with any reputable association or organization having as one of its objectives the promotion of safety in the hanaling of firearms. The department may designate any person found by it to be competent to give instructions in the handing of firearms. д person so appointed sinall give sucn course of instruction and upon the successful completion thereof snall issue to the person instructed a certificate of competency in the safe sandling of firearms.
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areas, as may be designated by the fish and game commission.
(4) Class A-3, A-4, A-5, A-6 Licenses. Any resident as definea by section 26-202.3 who is twelve (12) years of age or older, may upon payment of the proper fee or fees be entitled to purchase one each of the following licenses: Class A-3, Deer A Tag, three doliars (\$3); Class A-4, Deer B Tag, five dollars (\$5); Class A-5, Elk Tag, three dollars $(\$ 3)$; Class A-6, Black or Brown Bear Tag, Eive dollars ( $\$ 5$ ); which will entitle the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill the gane animal or animals aathorized by the license held and to possess the dead bodies of game animals of the state which are so authorized by the regulation of the commission.
(5) Class B License--Honresident Fishing License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon payment of the sum of twenty dollars ( $\$ 20$ ) to any agent of the fish and game comnission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall be entitled to a Class $B$ license, which shall entitle the hoider thereof to fish with hook and line as authorized by the rules and regulations of the comission.
(6) Class 3-1 iicense--Nonresident Garle Bird License. Except as herein provided, any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty-five dollars
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(7) Class B-2 License--Nonresident Big Game Jicense. Any person not a resident as definea in section 26-202.3, but wio is tweive (12) years of age or older, upon the paynent of the sum of one nundred twenty-five dollars (\$125) for the license year from May 1,1907 to April 30,1963 and tirereafter for subsequent license years upon payment of the sur of one bundred fifty doliars ( $\$ 150$ ) to any agent of the fish anc game commission autnorizea to issue fisning and nunting Licenses, smail be entitlea to a Class 3-2 iicense which shall authorize the nolder to pursue, nunt, shoot, and kill game animals in the area or areas designated in the license, as determined by the commission, and in possess tine
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carcasses of same, and to pursue, font, snoot, kill anu possess game birds, and to fish with hook and line as may nereinafter be authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(8) Class B-3 License-Temporary Nonresident or Tourist Fisining License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 20-202.3, upon payment of the sum of ten doliars (\$10) to any agen of the fish and game comission aatnorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall be entitled to a temporary nonresicient fishing license, which shall authorize the holder to Eish with hook and line as authorized oy the rules and regulations of the Eisn and game comission for a period of six (6) days inclusive of tine dates indicated on the license.
(9) Class B-5 License--ivonresident Deer Iicense. Any person not a resivent as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the payment of the sum of thirty-five ciollars (\$35) shall be encitled to a Class $3-j$ license which snall authorize the nolder to pursue, nunt, snoot, and kill one (i) deer in the area or areas designated in the license, as hecermineá by tine commission, and to possess the carcass of same.
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payment of the sum of thirty-five collars (\$35) shall be enticled to a Class B-6 license whicil shall autnorize the inolder to pursue, nunt, shoot, and kill one (1) antelope in the area designated in the license, as deterained by the commission, and to possess the carcass of same.
(1i) Special licenses. Any applicant who is a resident as defined by section $26-202.3$, or any appiicant who is the nolder of a Class 3-2 nonresicent big game license may apply for a special license, whicn in the judgment of the fish and game commission, is to be issued and snall pay tie following fees therefor:

Moose, resident twenty-five dollars ( $\$ 25$ ), nonresident fifty dollars (\$50);

Mountain Goat, resiaent fifteen dollars (\$15), nonresident tnirty dollars (\$30);

Mountain Sieep, resident twenty-five collars (\$25), nonresident fifty dollars (\$50);

Antelope, resident three wollars (\$3), nonresident ten dollars (\$10):

Grizzly Bear, resident five dollars (\$5), nonresident grizzly, plack or brown bear, thirty-five dollars (\$35).

In tne event a nolder of a valid special grizzly bear license xills a grizzir bear, ine must purcnase a tropny license for a fee of twenty-five doliars (\$25) witnin ten (10) āys after date of kill. Such tropiy license sinall
authorize the nolder to possess and transport said trophy.
In the event that the number of valid applications for special licenses exceeds the number of special licenses which the fish and game commission desires to issue in any nunting district, then the number of special licenses issued to tive holders of class B-2 nonresident big game licenses shall not exceed ten per cent ( $10 \%$ ) of tine total issued.
(12) Class C Iicense--Trapper's License. Any resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon making application and paying the sum of ten dollars (\$10) to the fish and game commission, shall be entitled to a trapper's license, which shall authorize the holder thereof to trap fur-bearing animals, within the state of Montana at such times anc in such manner as may de lawful so to do under the laws of the state and the reguiations of tine fisi and game comaission, and at such places as may be designated in said license.
(13) Class C-l License--Landowner's Trapping License. Any owner or tenant, or member of the inueaiate family of said owner or tenant, upon making application to the fish and game commission, and upon payment of the sum of one dollar ( $\$ 1$ ) shall be entitlea to a landowner's trappiny license which shall entitle the holder tnereof to trap any fur-bearing animal7-exeept-ieavert on land owned or leased by him, or his imnediate family, at such times and in such manner as may be lawful so to do under the laws of the state
and the regulations of the fish and game commission and at sucn places as may be designated in said licenses.
(14) Exception. (a) A resident under the definition of section 26-202.3, who is sixty-two (62) years or older snall be entitled to fisin and hunt game birds wita a pioneer license issued by the state fish and game commission for a fee of fifteen cents ( $\$ .15$ ). The form of such license sinall be prescrined by the fish and game commission.
(b) Residents of all institutions under the jurisdiciion of the state board of institutions, except the Montana state prison at Deer Lodge, will be entitled to fish witnout a iicense. Such residencs snall carry a pernit on a form prescribed by tine comaission and signed by tine superintendent of tne institution in lieu of a license.
(c) $A$ veteran who is a patient residing at a nospital operated by the veterans administration, wichin or outside the state, may fisn with a license issued by the head of the nospital on forms prescribed and furnished by the commission. The fee for such license snall be fifteen cents (\$.15) .
(d) If a person is convicted of a violation of the Eisn and gane laws or regulations of iontana, the privilege conferred by this subsection shali be revoked for not less than six (6) months.
(e) Resicents, as defined by section 2.-202.3, under
the age of fifteen (15) Years may purchase Class A-1, A-3, $A-4$, and A-5 licenses for one-half ( $1 / 2$ ) of the fees prescribed in this section.
(f) The commission, by rule or regulation, may prescribe the number of class $3-5$ and $B-6$ licenses to be issued in each of tine nutting districts designated by it.
(g) Special antelope licenses. In the event tire number of valid applications for special antelope licenses for a hunting district exceeds the quota set $D y$ the compassion for the district, such licenses shall pe awarded by a drawing. Persons making valid application who did not receive an antelope license during tire season immediately preceding the drawing shall be given first preference in such drawing for first, second and third choice hunting districts. The commission shall have the authority to promulgate such rules and regulations as are necessary to implement this subsection.
(15) Only one (1) license of any one (1) class, except Class B-3 and B-4 licenses, final be issued to any one (I) person, provided, however, that the commission may prescribe rules and regulations for the issuance or sale of a replacement license of the same class in the event tue original license is lost, stolen or destroyed upon payment of the sum of one dollar (\$l).
(15) Class AhA License--Sportsman's License. Any
resident, as defined by section 26-202.3, who is twelve ( 12 ) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty collars ( $\$ 20$ ) snail be entitled to a sportsman's license whin shall permit the holder to exercise all rights granted to holders of Class $A, A-1, A-3, A-5$ and $A-6$ licenses. The commission shall furnish each holder of a sportsman's license an appropriate decal.
(17) Class Dol License--Nonresident Mountain Lion License. Any person not a resident as defined in section $26-232.3$, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) to any agent of tine fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and nunting licenses shall be entitled to a Class Dui license, whin shall antitie the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess mountain lion as authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(18) Class D-2 License--Resident Mountain Lion License. Any person who is a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, and who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sur of five dollars (\$5) to any agent of tine fisil and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses sill be entitled to a Class D-2 license, which shall entitle the nolder thereof to pursue, hunt, snoot, kill and possess mountain lion as authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.

Approved by Comm. on Fish and Game


A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 26-202.1(13), R.C.I4. 1947, TO ALLON LAMDOWINERS TO TRAP BEAVER WITi A LANDONNER'S PERMIT."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:
Section 1. Section 26-202.1, R.C.M. 1947, is amended to read as follows:
n2ó-202.1. Licenses--fees--classifications of
Iicenses--fees and powers under licenses. (1) Class A license-resident Fishing iicense. Any resident as defined by section 20-202.3, upon payment of a fee of five collars ( $\$ 5$ ) shall receive a Class A license whicn shall entitle the noider theraof to fish with hook and line or rou as authorized by regulations of the commission.
(2) Class A-i license-Resident Game Bird Eicense. Except as herein provided, any resident as defined by section 26-202.3, who is twelve (12) years of age or older. may, upon payment of a fee of two dollars (\$2) receive a Class A-I license, which will entitle tine nolder to pursue, nunt, snoot and kill game birds andi possess tine aead bodies of gane birds whisn are so authorized by regulations of the comaission.
(a) No nidnting licenses shall be issued to any resicent person under tia age of eighteen (la) years unless ne presents to the person authorized to issue such license a certificate of competency as provided by tinis section.
Tine departiaent of fish and game snall provide for a course of insituction in the safe nandling of firearms and for the purpose may cooperate with any reputable association or organization having as one of its objectives tne promotion of safety in the hanaling of firearms. The department may designate any person found by it to be competent to give instructions in the handing of firearms. A person so appointed shall give sucn course of instruction and upon the successful completion thereof snall issue to the person instructed a certificate of competency in the safe nandling of firearms.
(3) Class A-2 License--Special Bow and Arrow License. Any nolder of a class A-1 license and any of the following: a Class $A-3, A-4, A-j, B-2, B-j$ or $B-6$ license, may upon payment of an addirional sum of three doilars (\$3) to any agent of the fisn and gane comaission authorized to issue fisning and hunting licenses be entitled to a class A-2 license, winicn shall authorize the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill deer, antelope and elk with bow and arrow and to possess the carcass of deer, antelope and elk during a special season, as so licensed and in special
areas, as may be designated by the fish and game commission.
(4) Class $A-3, A-4, A-5, A-6$ Licenses. Any resident as defined by section 26-202.3 who is twelve (12) years of age or older, may upon payment of the proper fee or fees be entitled to purchase one each of the followinc licenses: Class A-3, Deer A Tag, three dollars (\$3); Class A-4, Deer B Tag, five dollars ( $\$ 5$ ); CLass $A-5, E 1 k$ Tag, three doliars (\$3); Class A-6, Black or Brown Bear Tag, five dollars \{\$5\}; which will entitle the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and Kill the gane aninal or animals authorized by the license held and to possess the dear bodies of game animals of the state which are so authorized by the regulation of the commission.
(5) Class B License-Nonresident Fishing License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon payment of the sum of twenty dollars (\$20) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall be entitled to a Class $B$ license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to fish with hook and line as authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(6) Class B-1 License--Nonresident Game Bird License. Except as herein provided, any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty-five dollars
(\$25) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses shall be entitled to a Class B-l license, which shall entitle the nolder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess gane birds as autnorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.

No Nunting licenses shall be issued to any nonresident person under the age of eighteen (18) years unless he presents to che person authorized to issue such license a certificate of competency as provided in section 26-202.1 (2) (a) or a certificate verifying that he has successfully completed a course in the safe handling of firearms in any state or province.
(7) Class B-2 iicense--Nonresident Big Game License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the paynent of the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125) for the license year from May 1,1967 to April 30, 1968 and thereafter for subsequent license years upon payment of the sum of one hundred fifty dollars ( $\$ 150$ ) to any agent of the fisil and game commission authorized to issue fisning and hunting licenses, sinall be entitled to a class $3-2$ license which shall authorize the nolder to pursue, inuat, shoot, ana kill game animals in the area or areas designated in the license, as determine $\bar{a}$ by the commission, and to possess tine
carcasses of same, and to pursue, hunt, snoot, kill and possess game birds, and to fisin witn hook and line as may nereinafter be authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(8) Class B-3 License--Temporary Nonresident or Tourist Fishing License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall de entitled to a temporary nonresiänt fisning license, which Shall authorize the holder to fisil sith hook and line as authorized by the rules and regulations of the fisn and game commission for a period of six (6) days inclusive of the dates indicated on the license.
(9) Class $\mathrm{B}-5$ License--Nonresident Deer Iicense. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the paymenc of che sum of tinirty-five dollars ( $\$ 35$ ) shall be encithed to a Class B-5 license which shall authorize the nolder to pursue, nunt, snoot, and kill one (1) deer in the area or areas designated in tae license, as aecerained dy ine commission, and to possess the carcass of same.
(10) Class -6 License--Vonresidenc Antelope Iicense. Any person not a resident as defined in section 20-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the
paynent of the sum of cnirty-five aollars (\$3) snall be entitled to a Class B-6 license whicn shall autiorize the nolder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill one (1) antelope in the area designated in the license, as determined by the commission, and to possess the carcass of same.
(1i) Special licenses. Any applicant who is a resident as defined by section $26-202.3$, or any appiicant who is the holder of a class B-2 nonresident big game license may apply for a special license, whicn in the judgmenc of the fisin and game commission, is to be issued and snall pay the following fees tizerefor:

Moose, resident twenty-five dollars (\$25), nonresideni fifty collars (\$50);

Mountain Goat, resident fifteen dollars (\$l5), nonresident thirty dollars (\$30);

Mountain sheep, resident twenty-five dollars ( $\$ 25$ ) nonresident fifty dollars ( $\$ 30$ );

Antelope, resident tinee dollars (\$3), nonresident ten dollars (\$10):

Grizzly Bear, resident five dollars (\$5), nonresident griz2ly, olack or brown bear, thirty-five dollars (\$3j).

In the event a holder of a valid special grizzly bear license kills a grizzly bear, ie must purchase a trophy license for a fee of twenty-five dollars ( $\$ 20$ ) witnin ten (10) days after date of kill. Sucin tropny license sinall
authorize the nolder to possess and transport said tropiny.
In the event tiat the number of valid applications for special Iicenses exceeds the number of special licenses whica the fisin and game commission desires to issue in any nunting district, then the number of special licenses issued to the holders of Class B-2 nonresident oig game licenses shall not exceed ten per cent ( $10 \%$ ) of the total issued.
(12) Class C License--Trapper's License. Any resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon making application and paying the sum of ten dollars ( $\$ 20$ ) to the fish and game commission, shall be entitled to a trapper's license, which shall authorize the holder thereof to trap fur-bearing animals, within the state of Montana at such times and in such araner as ray be lawful so to do under the laws of the state and the regulations of the fish and game commission, and at such places as may be designated in said license.
(13) Class C-1 License--Landowner's Trapping License. Any owner or tenant, or member of the inmeaiate family of said owner or tenant, upon making application to tine fisil and game comuission, and upon payaent of the sum of one dollar (\$I) shall be entitleà to a iandowner's trapping license which snall entitle tine holder tinereof to trap any fur-bearing animalp-exeept-betwert on land owned or leased by him, or his immediate family, at such times and in such manner as may be lawful so to do under the laws of the state
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(b) Residents of all institutions under the jurisdiction of the state board of institutions, except the Montana state prison at Deer Lodge, will be entitlea to fisn witnout a license. Such residents snall carry a permit on a form prescribed by the commission and signed by tie superintendent of the institution in lieu of a license.
(c) A veteran who is a patient residing at a nospital operated by the veterans administration, within or outside the state, may fish with a license issued by the head of the hospital on forms prescribed and furnished by the commission. The fee for such license snall be fifteen cents (\$.15) .
(d) If a person is convicted of a violation of the fisn and game laws or regulations of montana, the privilege conferred by tinis suosection shall be revoked for not less than six (6) months.
(e) Residents, as defined by section 26-202.3, under

1 the age of fifteen (15) years may purcnase Class A-1, A-3, $2 \mathrm{~A}-4$, and $\mathrm{A}-5$ licenses for one-half (1/2) of the fees prescribed in this section.
(f) The comission, by rule or regulation, may prescribe the number of Class $B-5$ and $B-6$ licenses to be issued in each of the inunting districts designated by it.
(g) Special antelope licenses. In the event the number of valid applications sor special antelope Iicenses for a hunting district exceeds the quota set by the comaission for the district, such licenses shall be awarded by a drawing. Persons making valid application who did not receive an antelope license during the season immediately preceding the drawing shall be given first preference in such drawing for first, second and third choice hunting districts. Iue comaission shall nave the autnority to promulgate sucn rules and regulations as are necessary to implement this subsection.
(15) Only one (1) license of any one (1) class, except Class $B-3$ and B-4 licenses, siall be issued to any one (1) person, provided, nowever, that the comission may prescribe rules and regulations for the issuance or sale of a replacement license of the same class ia the event tise originai license is lost, stolen or destroyed upon payment of the sum of one dollar (\$1).
(16) Class AAA License--Sportsman's License. Any - -
resident, as definea by section $26-2 J 2.3$, who is twelve ( 12 ) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty collars ( $\$ 20$ ) shall be entitled to a sportsman's license which shail perait the holder to exercise all rights granted to nolders of Class $A, A-1, A-3, A-5$ and $A-6$ licenses. Tize comaission shall furnish each holder of a sportsman's license an appropriate decal.
(17) Class D-1 Iicense--Nonresident Mountain Lion ficense. Any person not a resicient as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) to any agent of the fisn and game commission authorized to issue fishing and nunting licenses saall be entitled to a Class $p-i$ license, wnian snall entitle the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess mountain lion as authorized by the rules and reyulations of the commission.
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a bill for an acr begrtilid: "an act mesiding section 26-202.1(13), R.C.M. 1947, TO ALLOW LALBOWINERS TO TRAP BEAVER WITH A LANDOWNER'S PERMIT.*
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(3) Class A-2 License--Special Bow and Arrow License. Any holder of a class $\mathrm{A}-1$ license and any of the following: a Class $A-3, A-4, A-3, B-2, B-5$ or $B-6$ license, may upon payment of an additional sum of three dollars (\$3) to any agent of the fisn and gane comuission authorized to issue fisining and hunting licenses be entitled to a class A-2 license, which shall authorize the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill deer, antelope and elk with bow and arrow and to possess the carcass of deer, antelope and elk during a special season, as so licensed and in special
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(4) Class $A-3, A-4, A-5, A-6$ Licenses. Any resident as defined by section 26-202.3 who is twelve (12) years of age or older, may upon payment of the proper fee or fees be entitled to purchase one each of the following licenses: Class A-3, Deer A Tag, three doliars (\$3); Class A-4, Deer B Tag, five dollars ( $\$ 5$ ); Class A-5, ELk Tag, three dollars ( $\$ 3$ ); Class A-6, Black or Brown Bear Tag. five dollars (\$5); which will entitle the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill the game animal or animals authorized by the license held and to possess the dead bodies of game animals of the state which are so authorized by the regulation of the commission.
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carcasses of same, and to pursue, hunt, snoot, kill and possess game birds, and to fish with hook and line as may hereinafter be authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(8) Class B-3 License-Temporary Nonresident or Tourist Fishing License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon payment of the sum of ten collars (\$10) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall be entitled to a temporary nonresident fishing license, which shall authorize the holder to fisi with hook and line as authorized oy the rules and regulations of the fish and game comaission for a period of six (6) days inclusive of the dates indicated on the license.
(9) Class B-5 License--inonresident Deer License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the payment of the sum of thirty-five dollars (\$35) shall be encitied to a Class $B-5$ license which shall authorize the holder to pursue, nunt, shoot, and kill one (1) deer in the area or areas designated in the license, as àetermined by the comaission, and to possess the carcass of same.
(10) Class $B-6$ License--Nonresident Antelope License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, uron the
payment of the sum of tinirty-five dollars ( $\$ 35$ ) shall be entitled to a class B-6 license whicn shall authorize the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill one (I) antelope in the area designated in the license, as detemained by the commission, and to possess the carcass of same.
(11) Special licenses. Any applicant who is a resident as defined by section 26-202.3, or any applicant who is the holder of a Class B-2 nonresident big game license may apply for a special license, whicn in the judgment of the fish and game commission, is to be issued and snall pay the following fees therefor:

Moose, resident twenty-five dollars (\$25), nonresident fifty dollars (\$50);

Mountain Goat, resident fifteen dollars (\$1亏), nonresident tnirty dollars (\$30);

Mountain Sheep, resident twenty-five dollars (\$25), nonresident fifty dollars (\$50);

Antelope, resident three dollars (\$3), nonresident ten dollars (\$10);

Grizzly Bear, resident five dollars (\$5), nonresident grizzly, olack or brown bear, thirty-five dollars (\$35).

In the event a holder of a valid special grizzly bear license sills a grizzly jear, he must purchase a trophy license for a fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25) witnin ten (10) days after date of kill. Sucn tropny license siall
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In the event that the number of valid applications for special licenses exceeas the number of special licenses which the fish and game commission desires to issue in any nunting district, then the number of special licenses issued to tine holders of Class B-2 nonresident big game licenses shall not exceedfiten per cent (108) of the total issued.
(12) Class C License--Trapper's Licensé. Any resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon making application and paying the sum of ten dollars (\$10) to the fish and game commission, shall be entitled to a trapper's license, which shall authorize the holder thereof to trap fur-bearing animals, within the state of Montana at such times and in such manner as may be lawiul so to do under the laws of the state and the regulations of the fish and game commission, and at such places as may be designated in said license.
(13) Class C-l License--Landowner's Trapping License. Any owner or tenant, or member of the immediate family of said owner or tenant, upon making application to tine fish and game commission, and upon payment of the sum of one dollar (\$I) shall be entitled to a landowner's trapping license which snall entitle the holder tnereof to trap any fur-bearing animalp-eneept-beavert on land owned or leased by him, or his immediate family, at such times and in such manner as may be lawful so to do under the laws of tine state
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(14) Exception. (a) A resident under the definition of seciion 26-202.3, who is sixty-two (62) years or older snall be entitled to fisn and hunt gane birds witn a pioneer license issued by the state fish and game commission for a fee of fifteen cents ( $\$ .15$ ). The form of such license sinall be prescribed by the fish and game comaission.
(b) Residents of all institutions under the jurisdiction of the state board of institutions, except the Montana state prison at Deer Lodge, will be entitlea to fisn without a license. Such residents snall carry a permit on a form prescribed dy the commission and signed by the superintendent of the institution in lieu of a license.
(c) A veteran who is a patient residing at a nospital operated by tne veterans administration, within or outside the state, may Eish with a license issued by the head of the hospital on forms prescribed and furnished by the commission. The fee for such license shall be fifteen cents (\$.15) .
(d) If a person is convicted of a violation of the fisn and game laws or regulations of montana, the privilege conferred by this sumsection shall be revoiced for not less than six (6) months.
(e) Residents, as defined by section 26-202.3, under
the age of fifteen (15) years may purciase class A-1, A-3, A-4, and A-5 licenses for one-half (1/2) of the fees prescribed in this section.
(f) The commission, by rule or regulation, may prescribe tive number of Class $3-5$ and $B-6$ Licenses to be issued in each of the hunting districts designated by i.t.
(g) Special antelope licenses. In the event the number of valid applications for special antelope licenses for a hunting district exceeds the quota set by the comaission for the district, such licenses shall be awarded by a drawing. Persons making valid application who did not receive an antelope license during the season immediately preceding the drawing shall be given first preference in such drawing for first, secona and third choice hunting districts. The commission shall have the authority to promulgate such rules and regulations as are necessary to implement this subsection.
(15) Only one (1) license of any one (1) class, except Class B-3 and B-4 licenses, sinall be issued to any one (I) person, provided, however, that the comission may prescribe rules and regulations for the issuance or sale of a replacement license of tine same class in the event tie original license is lost, stolen or destroyed upon payment of the sum of one dollar (\$1).
(16) Class AAA License--Sportsman's License. Any
resident, as defined by section 26-202.3, who is twelve (i2) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty dollars (\$20) snall be entitled to a sportsman's license which shall permit the holder to exercise all rights granted to nolders of Class $A, A-1, A-3, A-5$ and $A-6$ licenses. The comaission shall furnish each holder of a sportsman's license an appropriate lecal.
(17) Class $D-1$ License--Nonresident Mountain Lion License. Any person not a resiaint as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses shall be entitled to a Class $\mathrm{D}-1$ Iicense, which shall antitle the holder thereor to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess mountain lion as authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(18) Class D-2 License-Resident Mountain Lion License. Any person who is a resident as defined in section 26-202.3. and who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of five dollars (\$5) to any agent of the fish and game comaission authorized to issue fisning and hunting licenses sinall be entitled to a Class D-2 livense, which shall entitle the nolder thereof to pursue, nunt, snoot, kill and possess mountain lion as authorized by the ruies and regulations of the commission."
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HOUSE BILL NO. 226
INTRODUCED BY ELLISON, STAIGMILLER
(BY REQUEST, DEFARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME)

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION
26-202.1(13), R.C.M. 1947, TO ALLOW LANDOWNERS TO TRAP BEAVER WITH A LANDOWNER'S PEPMIT."
be IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:
Section 1. Section 26-202.1, R.C.M. 1947, is amended to read as follows:
"26-202.1. Licenses -- fees -- classifications of licenses -- fees and powers under licenses. (I) Class A license--Resident Fishing License. Any resident as defined by section 26-202.3, upon payment of a fee of five dollars (\$5) shall receive a Class A license which shall entitle the holder thereof to fish with hook and line or rod as authorized by regulations of the comrission.
(2) Class A-1 license--Resident Game Bird License. lxceft as herein provided, any resident as defined by section 26-202.3, who is twelve (12) years of age or older, may, upon payment of a fee of two dollars (\$2) receive a Class A-l license, which will entitle the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot and kill game birds and possess the dead bodies of game birds which are so authorized by regulations of the
commission.
(a) No hunting licenses shall be issued to any resident person under the age of eighteen (18) years unless he presents to the person authorized to issue such license a certificate of competency as provided by this section.

The department of fish and game shall provide for a course of instruction in the safe handling of firearms and for the purpose may cooperate with any reputable association or organization having as one of its objectives the promotion of safety in the handing of firearms. The department may designate any person found by it to be competent to give instructions in the handling of firearms. A person so appointed shall give such course of instruction and upon the successful completion thereof shall issue to the person instructed a certificate of competency in the safe handling of firearms.
(3) Class A-2 License-Special Bow and Arrow License. Any holder of a Class A-1 license and any of the following: a Class $A-3, A-4, A-5, B-2, B-5$ or $B-6$ license, may upon payment of an additional sum of three dollars (\$3) to any agent of the fish and game comaission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses be entitled to a Class A-2 license, which shall authorize the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill deer, antelope and elk with bow and arrow and to possess the carcass of deer, antelope and elk
during a special season, as so licensed and in special areas, as may be designated by the fish and game commission.
(4) Class $A-3, A-4, A-5, A-6$ Licenses. Any resident as defined by section 26-202.3 who is twelve (12) years of age or older, may upon payment of the proper fee or fees be entitled to purchase one each of the following licenses: Class A-3, Deer A Tag, three dollars ( $\$ 3$ ) ; Class A-4, Deer $B$ Tag, five dollars (\$5); Class A-5, Elk Tag, three dollars (\$3); Class A-6, Black or Brown Bear Tag, five dollars (\$5); which will entitle the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill the game animal or animals authorized by the license held and to possess the dead bodies of game animals of the state which are so authorized by the regulation of the commission.
(5) Class B License--Nonresident Fishing License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon payment of the sum of twenty dollars ( $\$ 20$ ) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall be entitled to a Class $B$ license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to fish with hook and line as authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(6) Class B-1 License--Nonresident Game Bird License. Except as herein provided, any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of

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age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses shall be entitled to a class B-1 license, which snall entitle the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess game birds as authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.

No hunting licenses shall be issued to any nonresident person under the age of eighteen (18) years unless he presents to the person authorized to issue such license a certificate of competency as provided in section 26-202.1 (2) (a) or a certificate verifying that he has successfully completed a course in the safe handing of firearms in any state or province.
(7) Class B-2 License--Nonresident Big Game License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the payment of the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125) for the Iicense year from May 1, 1967 to April 30, 1968 and thereafter for subsequent license years upon payment of the sum of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall be entitled to a Cl ass $\mathrm{B}-2$ license which shall authorize the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill game animals in the area or areas designated in the
license, as determined by the commission, and to possess the carcasses of same, and to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess gane birds, and to fish with hook and line as may hereinafter be authorized by the rules and regulations of the commission.
(8) Class B-3 License-Temporary Nonresident or Tourist Fishing License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon payment of the sum of ten dollars ( $\$ 10$ ) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses, shall be entitled to a temporary nonresident fishing license, which shall authorize the holder to fish with hook and line as authorized by the rules and regulations of the fish and game comission for a period of six (6) days inclusive of the dates indicated on the license.
(9) Class B-5 License-Nonresident Deer License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the payment of the sum of thirty-five dollars (\$35) shall be entitled to a Class B-5 license which shall authorize the nolder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill one (1) deer in the area or areas designated in the license, as determined by the connission, and to possess the carcass of same.
(10) Class B-6 License--Nonresident Antelope License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3,
but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon the payment of the sum of thirty-five dollars (\$35) shall be entitled to a Class $B-6$ license which shall authorize the holder to pursue, hunt, shoot, and kill one (1) antelope in the area designated in the license, as determined by the commission, and to possess the carcass of same.
(11) Special licenses. Any applicant who is a resident as defined by section 26-202.3, or any applicant who is the holder of a class B-2 nonresident big game license may apply for a special license, which in the judgment of the fish and game commission, is to be issued and shall pay the following fees therefor:

Moose, resident twenty-five dollars (\$25), nonresident fifty dollars (\$50);

Mountain Goat, resident fifteen dollars (\$15), nonresident thirty dollars (\$30);

Mountain Sheep, resident twenty-five dollars (\$25), nonresident fifty dollars (\$50);

Antelope, resident three dollars (\$3), nonresident ten dollars (\$10);

Grizzly Bear, resident five dollars (\$5), nonresident grizzly, black or brown bear, thirty-five dollars (\$35).

In the event a holder of a valid special grizzly bear license kills a grizzly bear, he must purchase a trophy license for a fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25) within ten
(10) days after date of kill. Such trophy license shall authorize the holder to possess and transport said trophy.

In the event that the number of valid applications for special licenses exceeds the number of special licenses which the fish and game commission desires to issue in any hunting district, then the number of special licenses issued to the holders of Cl ass $\mathrm{B}-2$ nonresident big game licenses shall not exceed ten per cent (10\%) of the total issued.
(12) Class C License--Trapper's License. Any resident as defined in section 26-202.3, upon making application and paying the sum of ten dollars (\$10) to the fish and game commission, shall be entitled to a trapper's license, which shall authorize the holder thereof to trap fur-bearing animals, within the state of Montana at such times and in such manner as may be lawful so to do under the laws of the state and the regulations of the fish and game comaission, and at such places as may be designated in said license.
(13) Class C-l License--Landowner's Trapping License. Any owner or tenant, or member of the immediate family of saic owner or tenant, upon raking application to the fish and game commission, and upon payment of the sum of one ciollar ( $\$ 1$ ) shall be entitled to a landowner's trapping license which shall entitle the holder thereof to trap any fur-bearing animaly-exeept-beaverf on 1 and owned or leased by him, or his imediate family, at such times and in such
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(14) Exception. (a) A resident under the definition of section 26-202.3, who is sixty-two (62) years or older shall be entitled to fish and hunt game birds with a pioneer license issued by the state fish and game commission for a fee of fifteen cents (\$.15). The form of such license shall be prescribed by the fish and game commission.
(b) Residents of all institutions under the jurisdiction of the state board of institutions, except the Montana state prison at Deer Lodge, will be entitled to fish without a license. Such residents shall carry a permit on a form prescribed by the commission and signed by the superintendent of the institution in lieu of a license.
(c) A veteran who is a patient residing at a hospital operated by the veterans administration, within or outside the state, may fish with a license issued by the head of the hospital on forms prescribed and furmished by the commission. The fee for such license shall be fifteen cents (\$.15).
(d) If a person is convicted of a violation of the fish and game laws or regulations of Montana, the privilege confer red by this subsection shall be revoked for not less than six (6) months.
(e) Residients, as defined by section 26-202.3, under the age of fifteen (15) years may purchase Class A-1, A-3, A-4, and A-5 licenses for one-half (I/2) of the fees prescribed in this section.
(f) The commission, by rule or regulation, may prescribe the number of Cl ass $\mathrm{B}-5$ and $\mathrm{B}-6$ licenses to be issued in each of the hunting districts designated by it.
(g) Special antelope licenses. In the event the number of valid applications for special antelope licenses for a hunting district exceeds the quota set by the commission for the district, such licenses shall be awarded by a drawing. Persons making valid application who did not receive an antelope license during the season immediately preceding the drawing shall be given first preference in such drawing for first, second and third choice hunting districts. The commission shall have the authority to promulgate such rules and regulations as are necessary to implement this subsection.
(15) Only one (1) license of any one (1) class, except Class $B-3$ and $B-4$ licenses, shall be issued to any one (1) person, provided, however, that the commission may prescribe rules and regulations for the issuance or sale of a replacement license of the same class in the event the original license is lost, stolen or destroyed upon payment of the sum of one dollar (\$1).
(16) Class AAA License--Sportsman's License. Any resident, as defined by section 26-202.3, who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty dollars (\$20) shall be entitled to a sportsman's license which shall permit the holder to exercise all rights granted to holders of $C l a s s A, A-1, A-3, A-5$ and $A-6$ licenses. The commission shall furnish each holder of a sportsman's license an appropriate decal
(17) Class $\mathrm{D}-1$ License--Nonresident Mountain Lion License. Any person not a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, but who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing andhunting licenses shall be entitled to a class D-1 license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess mountain lion as authorized by the rules and regulations of the comission.
(18) C1ass D-2 License--Resident Mountain Lion License. Any person who is a resident as defined in section 26-202.3, and who is twelve (12) years of age or older, upon payment of the sum of five collars (\$5) to any agent of the fish and game commission authorized to issue fishing and hunting licenses shall be entitled to a Class D-2 license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to pursue, hunt, shoot, kill and possess mountain lion as authorized by the rules

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