

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE.

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SENATE.

No. 19.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINE.

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[S. 10.] AN ACT to amend chapter fifty, section twelve of the public laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, for the protection of game and birds.

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Section twelve of chapter fifty of the public laws 2 of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, is hereby 3 amended, by striking out the words "or plover" in 4 the third line of said section, so that said section, 5 as amended, shall read as follows:

6 *Sect. 12.* No person shall kill or have in his 7 possession except alive, or expose for sale, any 8 wood duck, dusky duck, commonly called black 9 duck, or other sea duck, between the first day of 10 May and the first day of September; or kill, sell, or

11 have in possession except alive, any ruffed grouse,  
12 commonly called partridge, or woodcock, between  
13 the first day of December and the first day of Sep-  
14 tember following; or kill, sell, or have in possession  
15 except alive, any quail or pinnated grouse, com-  
16 monly called prairie chicken, between the first day  
17 of January and the first day of September follow-  
18 ing, under a penalty of not less than five nor more  
19 than ten dollars for each bird so killed, or had in  
20 possession, or exposed for sale.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, January 29, 1879.

Reported by Mr. THOMAS of Cumberland, from the Committee  
on the Judiciary, and laid over to be printed under the Joint Rule.

SAMUEL W. LANE, *Secretary*.