

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty - Fourth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 202.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section 23 of chapter 30 of Revised Statutes, relating to Insectivorous Birds.

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

SECTION 1. Section twenty-three of chapter 2 thirty of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended 3 by adding after the word "crows" in the third line 4 the words 'English sparrows,' so that said section 5 as amended shall read as follows:

'SECT. 23. Whoever kills or has in his possession, 7 except alive, any birds commonly known as larks, 8 robins, swallows, sparrows or orioles, or other in- 9 sectivorous birds, crows, English sparrows and 10 hawks excepted, forfeits not less than one dollar,

11 nor more than five dollars, for each such bird killed,
12 and the possession by any person of such dead
13 bird, is *prima facie* evidence that he killed such
14 bird.'

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 19, 1889.

Tabled pending third reading and ordered printed on motion of Mr.
PEAKS of Dover.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, *Clerk.*