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SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

HOUSE. No. 627

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SEVEN.

AN ACT to extend the open season on wild ducks.

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

Section 1. In addition to the open season now provided

- 2 by the general law when it shall be lawful to hunt, chase,
- 3 catch, kill and have in possession wood duck, dusky duck,
- 4 commonly called black duck, teal, and any and all ducks
- 5 known as gadwall or gray duck, mallard, widgeon or bald-
- 6 pate, shoveler, pintail or sprigtail, redhead, scaup duck or
- 7 greater bluebill, lesser scaup duck or lesser bluebill, golden
- 8 eye or whistler, buffle head, ruddy duck or broadbill, it shall
- 9 be lawful to hunt, chase, catch, kill and have the same in pos-

10 session, under the provisions of the general law of the state, 11 during the month of December of each year.

It shall be unlawful for any person to bed or feed or put 13 out any food of any kind for any variety of wild ducks to 14 entice them to any place or locality for any purpose.

Sect. 2. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this 2 act shall be subject to the same penalty as is provided in the 3 general law of the state for the illegal hunting, chasing, 4 catching, killing or having in possession of these birds.

STATE OF MAINE.

House of Representatives,
Augusta, March 19, 1907.
Reported by Mr. MERRILL from Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, and ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, Clerk.