

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 63

In Senate, Jan. 31, 1917.

Came from the House referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, and on motion by Mr. Hastings of Androscoggin laid on the table for printing pending reference in concurrence.

W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.

Presented by Mr. Clark of Harrison.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

AN ACT to amend section seventy-three of chapter thirty-three of the Revised Statutes (1916) relating to Sunday hunting and fishing.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section seventy-three of chapter thirty-three of the Revised Statutes (1916) is hereby amended by striking out all of said section, substituting therefor the following:

‘Section seventy-three. Sunday is a closed season on which it is not lawful to hunt, kill or destroy any wild animals

3 or wild birds of any kind, or to fish for, take, catch, kill or
4 destroy any kind of fish in any of the inland waters of this
5 State. Whoever hunts, kills or destroys any wild animal
6 or wild bird, or fishes for, takes, catches, kills or destroys
7 any kind of fish in any of the inland waters of the State,
8 on Sunday, shall pay a fine of not less than ten, nor more
9 than forty dollars and costs for each offense; provided,
10 however, that if protected wild animals or wild birds are
11 hunted, killed, destroyed or had in possession in violation
12 of this section, the penalty shall be the same as is now
13 imposed therefor during other closed season; but the penal-
14 ties imposed for the violation of the Sunday laws of the
15 statutes of this State are not hereby repealed or diminished.'