

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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House Document

No. 258

H. P. 807

House of Representatives, Feb. 6, 1929.

Referred to Committees on Agriculture and Inland Fisheries and Game jointly and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Patterson of Freeport.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINE

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AN ACT for the Better Protection of Foxes in the counties  
of Cumberland, Sagadahoc and Lincoln.

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

There shall be a closed season of five years from the pas-  
2 sage of this act when it shall be unlawful in the counties of  
3 Cumberland, Sagadahoc and Lincoln, to set any trap or  
4 traps for, or to catch in any manner, or to have in possession  
5 either dead or alive any fox or foxes, or the skins or any  
6 part thereof, or to buy or sell any skin or skins of foxes so  
7 taken in traps, of any kind or description. Whoever vio-  
8 lates any provision of this act shall be subject to a penalty

9 of not less than twenty-five dollars and costs for each of-  
10 fense, and ten dollars additional for each fox, or possession  
11 of skin of any fox so trapped.

This act shall not apply to the taking of foxes with dogs  
2 and gun from the first day of November to the fifteenth day  
3 of January of the following year, both days inclusive.

This act to take effect when approved.