

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, February 12, 1935.

Referred to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Gleason of Bridgton.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
THIRTY-FIVE

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AN ACT Relative to Open Season on Raccoons.

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

**R. S., c. 38, § 72, amended.** Sub-paragraph (d) of section 72 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Provided, that it shall be lawful to hunt skunks and raccoons at night when accompanied by a dog and using a rifle not larger than the regular 22 caliber (the 22 caliber hi-power being hereby expressly prohibited), or a pistol of a caliber not larger than the regular 38 police positive, and a kerosene light, from the ~~15th~~ 1st day of October of each year to the 15th day of the following December, both days inclusive, only in the counties of Androscoggin, Cumberland, York, Sagadahoc, Kennebec, Lincoln, Waldo, Knox, and in Oxford south of the Androscoggin river; provided, however, that an electric flash light of not more than ~~2~~ 3 cells not greater in size than number 950 may be used in addition to a kerosene light while locating in and taking from a tree, raccoon treed by a dog; **provided further that no person shall in any manner take more than 2 raccoons in any one night or 20 in any one season.'**