

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NINETY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, February 9, 1955

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Harnden of Rangeley.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Hunting of Partridge and Pheasants.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 85, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 85 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'There shall be a closed season on partridge or grouse and pheasant from November 16th to September 30th of the following year, both days inclusive ~~and no person shall, during the open season, have in possession in any one day more than 4 partridge or 2 pheasants or not more than 4 partridge and pheasants in the aggregate, or in any one open season for partridge or grouse more than 25 partridge and 12 pheasants, nor.~~ **No person shall any person** at any time buy or sell any partridge, grouse or pheasant; provided further, that there shall be a closed season on pheasants within the following described territory until September 30, 1958: All of Penobscot county north of the Canadian Pacific railroad tracks, running from Megantic to Mattawamkeag and Maine Central railroad tracks running from Mattawamkeag to Vanceboro. No person shall have in possession any partridge or pheasants taken in closed season.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37, § 85, amended. Section 85 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding after the 2nd paragraph thereof a new paragraph, to read as follows:

'During the open season, it shall be unlawful for any person to shoot, take, kill or have in possession more than 4 partridge or 2 pheasants taken, shot or killed in any one day, and not more than 8 partridge and not more than 2 pheasants in possession at any one time.'