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House of Representatives, March 1, 1955

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Gardner of Hartland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Hunting Skunks and Raccoons in Somerset County.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 113, sub-§ IV, amended. Subsection IV of section 113 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

‘IV. It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt skunks and raccoons at night, except that they may be hunted at night from October 15th to December 15th and in Somerset county from August 1st to December 15th of each year under the following provisions: when accompanied by a dog and with the use of a kerosene light; provided that an electric flashlight of not more than 3 cells may be used in addition to a kerosene light while locating in and taking from a tree any raccoon treed by a dog; provided further, it shall be unlawful to use or have in possession any firearm except a 22 caliber pistol while hunting as hereby provided.’

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37, § 113, sub-§ VII, amended. The first sentence of subsection VII of section 113 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

‘It shall be lawful to hunt and kill raccoons in Somerset County and on the islands of North Haven and Vinalhaven, in the county of Knox, at any time except on Sunday and at night.’