

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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CHAP. 249

—woodcock and
partridges.

May and August, forfeits not less than five nor more than ten dollars for each bird so killed, had in possession, or exposed for sale. And no person shall kill, expose for sale, or have in possession, except alive, any woodcock, or ruffed grouse or partridge, during September, October or November, or any quail, except during the months of October and November, or plover during the months of August, September, October or November, except for consumption as food, within this state, under the same penalty.'

Sec. 22, amended.

SECT. 2. Section twenty-two of chapter thirty of the Revised Statutes, is hereby amended by striking out, at the end of said section, the words, "but this section and the preceding do not apply to the shooting of ducks on the sea coast," so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Destruction of
certain birds
prohibited.
—penalty.

'SECT. 22. Whoever, at any time or in any place, with any trap, net, snare, device or contrivance other than the usual method of sporting with firearms, takes wild duck of any variety, quail, grouse, partridge or woodcock, forfeits five dollars for each bird so taken.'

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 5, 1890.

Chapter 249.

An Act to amend Section twenty-three of Chapter thirty of Revised Statutes, relating to Insectivorous Birds.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

Sec. 23, ch. 30,
R. S. amended.

Section twenty-three of chapter thirty of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding after the word "crows," in the third line, the words, 'english sparrows,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Insectivorous
birds protected.

'SECT. 23. Whoever kills or has in his possession, except alive, any birds commonly known as larks, robins, swallows, sparrows or orioles, or other insectivorous birds, crows, english sparrows and hawks excepted, forfeits not less than one dollar, nor more than five dollars, for each such bird killed, and the possession by any person of such dead bird, is prima facie evidence that he killed such bird.'

—exceptions.

—penalty.

Approved March 5, 1890.