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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1903.

Chapter 228.

An Act appropriating one half of the taxes received from Trust and Banking Companies to the School Fund.

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

Appropriation to common schools from assessments on trust and banking companies.

Section 1. One-half of the sum assessed upon the deposits of trust and banking companies shall be appropriated to common schools in the manner provided by section three of chapter two hundred fifty-eight of the public laws of eighteen hundred ninety-three, as amended by section three of chapter one hundred thirty of the public laws of eighteen hundred ninety-five, relating to the taxation of savings banks, and one-half to the state.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 28, 1903.

Chapter 229.

An Act to amend Section eleven of Chapter thirty of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter forty-two of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred ninety-nine and as amended by Chapter two hundred fifty-eight of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred one, relating to Close Time for Game Birds.

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

Section 11, of chapter 30, R. S., as amended by chapter 42, public laws of 1899, as amended by chapter 258, public laws of 1901, further amended.

Section 1. Section eleven of chapter thirty of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter forty-two of the public laws of eighteen hundred ninety-nine, and as amended by chapter two hundred fifty-eight of the public laws of nineteen hundred one, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Close time for game birds.

‘Section 11. There shall be for game birds an annual close time in which it shall be unlawful to hunt, chase, catch, kill or have them in possession whenever or however killed, as follows:

—duck.

For wood duck, dusky duck, commonly called black duck, teal and gray duck the close time shall be from December first to the first day of the following September of each year; for ruffed grouse, commonly called partridge and woodcock, from the first day of December to September fifteenth next following of each year; for plover, snipe and sandpipers, from the first day of May to the first day of August of each year; and it shall be unlawful

—partridge and woodcock.

to hunt, chase, catch, kill or have in possession at any time any quail. Whoever violates any of the above named provisions of this section shall be subject to a penalty of not less than five dollars nor more than ten dollars and costs for each bird so killed, caught, chased or had in possession in close time.

—quail.

—penalty.

No person shall, in any one day, kill or have in possession more than fifteen of each variety of the above named birds, except

—not more than 15 birds