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**Chapter 153.**

CHAP. 153

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Hunting of Water Fowl and Other Wild Birds in Back Bay, in Portland, in the County of Cumberland.

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

No person shall hunt, chase, catch, kill or destroy any water fowl or any other wild bird, at any time, in Back bay, so-called, in Portland, in the county of Cumberland, above the Grand Trunk railway bridge. No person shall have in possession, at any time, any water fowl or any other wild bird taken in violation of any provision of this act. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall pay a fine of ten dollars and costs for each offense; and in addition thereto one dollar for each bird taken, caught, killed, destroyed or had in possession in violation of any provision of this act.

Hunting  
wild birds  
in Back  
bay, pro-  
hibited.

—penalty.

Approved March 23, 1915.

**Chapter 154.**

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-eight of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Closed Season on Wild Hares or Rabbits.

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

Section thirty-eight of chapter thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred six of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred thirteen, is hereby amended by striking out the word "and" after the word "July" in the fourth line of said section, and by inserting the words 'and September' after the word "August" in the fourth line of said section, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Ch. 32, Sec.  
38, R. S., as  
amended by  
Ch. 206, P.  
L., 1913,  
further  
amended.

'Section 38. There shall be an annual closed season on wild hares or rabbits during which closed season it shall be unlawful to hunt, kill, catch, pursue or have them in possession, except alive, during the months of April, May, June, July, August and September of each year.

Closed  
season on  
wild hares  
and rabbits.

It shall be unlawful to use any snares, traps or other devices in the huting, pursuing or killing of wild hares or rabbits, or to hunt or kill the same except in the ordinary method of shooting with guns in the usual manner; provided, however, that it

Snares and  
traps pro-  
hibited.