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Sec. 10. Penalty for false returns or violations of provisions of act; tax may be collected by civil action. Any distributor of such internal combustion engine fuels who shall make any false or fraudulent report or return required by this act, or who shall evade or violate any other provisions of this act, shall be fined not more than two thousand dollars. Whenever any distributor shall fail to pay any tax due under the provisions of this act within the time limited herein, the attorney general shall enforce payment of such tax by civil action against such distributor for the amount of such tax in a court of appropriate jurisdiction.

Approved April 7, 1923.

## Chapter 225.

An Act to Amend the Last Paragraph of Section Forty-six of Chapter Two Hundred Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seventeen, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Thirty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nineteen, and as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Eighteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Twenty-one and as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Fourteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred, Relating to the Protection of Fur-Bearing Animals.

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

P. L., 1917, c. 219, sec. 46; 1919, c. 133; 1921, c. 218; 1923, c. 214; relating to night hunting of raccoons and skunks, amended. The last paragraph of section forty-six of chapter two hundred nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred seventeen, as amended by chapter one hundred thirty-three of the public laws of nineteen hundred nineteen, and as amended by chapter two hundred eighteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-one and as amended by chapter two hundred fourteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-three, is hereby amended by striking out the words "raccoons and" in the second line of said paragraph, and inserting after the word "inclusive" in the third line of said paragraph, the words 'and that it shall be lawful to hunt, catch, pursue or kill raccoons at night from the first day of October to the last day of the following February, both days inclusive,' so that said paragraph, as amended, shall, read as follows:

"'Night hunting of skunks permitted from Oct. 15 to last day of February; raccoons from Oct. 1, to last day of February. Provided, however, that it shall be lawful to hunt, catch, pursue or kill skunks at night from the fifteenth day of October to the last day of the following February, both days inclusive, and that it shall be lawful to hunt, catch, pursue or kill raccoons at night from the first day of October to the last day of the following February, both days inclusive. So much of the provisions of section seventy-four, chapter two hundred and nineteen, public laws of

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nineteen hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapter one hundred and ninety-six, public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, and chapter eighty-nine, public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, as is inconsistent with the provisions of this paragraph is hereby repealed.'

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