

No. 941, A.]

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CHAPTER 603.

AN ACT to create section 4560a—14, of the statutes relating to use of explosives, poisonous, or stupefying substances for the purpose of destroying or taking fish, and repealing section 4560f, of the statutes, as amended.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read:

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SECTION 2. (Repeals Sec 4560f of the statutes.)

Approved July 12, 1907.

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No. 911, A.]

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CHAPTER 604.

AN ACT to amend section 925—25, of the statutes, relating to the method of choosing officers in cities.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 925—25, of the statutes, is amended to read:

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Approved July 12, 1907.

(In effect from and after date of publication)

Penalties. * * * j. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten nor more than twenty-five dollars and the costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment not less than ten nor more than thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

(Sec. 2, Ch. 355, 1907. Made subs. "j" by Sec. 22, Ch. 676, 1907.)

Trout seasons, closed and open; prohibitions and limitations. SECTION 4560a—13. It is hereby prohibited and made unlawful,

(a) To fish for, catch or kill, in any of the inland waters of this state, with any device or in any manner, any variety of trout between September 1st and the succeeding 15th day of April;

(b) To ship trout of any variety without accompanying the shipment;

(c) To sell, offer for sale or barter, any variety of trout;

(d) To have in possession or under control any variety of trout during the closed season;

(e) To have more than ten pounds of any variety of trout which were caught in any of the inland waters of this state, in possession or under control during any one day, during the open season;

(f) To fish for or by any device attempt to kill any variety of fish in any of the streams of this state, (except navigable rivers), which contain trout of any variety, during the closed season specified herein for trout;

(g) To take and retain trout of any variety less than six inches in length; trout so taken to be immediately returned without injury to the water where taken; the provisions of this act shall not apply to lake trout and the trout raised and caught in private hatcheries.

(Ch. 226, 1907.)

Fish and fishing: explosives, poisons, stupefactive forbidden. SECTION 4560a—14. 1. It shall be unlawful and is hereby prohibited to take, catch, or kill in any of the waters of this state, any fish by means of dynamite or other explosives or by means of poisonous or stupefying substances; or to place explosives which, if exploded, would or might cause the destruction of fish in any of the waters of this state, except for the purpose of raising dead bodies when used by order of the

public authorities; or for the purpose of clearing a channel or breaking a log jam in any of the streams of this state.

Penalty. 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars and the costs of prosecution and in addition thereto two months imprisonment in the county jail for each offense.

(Ch. 603, 1907.)

Deer shipments; hides and heads. SECTION 4560a—16. It shall be unlawful and is hereby prohibited to ship to any point either within or without this state by common carrier or convey or cause to be conveyed by private carrier,

Closed season; green hides. (a) Any carcass or part of carcass, of any deer, between the third day of December and the succeeding twelfth day of November, provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to shipments of the green hides or heads of deer with the hair on when same have been taken from deer killed in open season.

Heads and hides, possession; manufactures. (b) Or to have in possession a deer head when in the velvet, a deer hide when in the red or blue coat, a fawn hide when in the spotted coat, or any untanned deer hide from which the hair has been removed; provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit the shipment into this state at any time, the dry hides or skins of deer from another state, if the same be for the purpose of manufacture within this state; provided further that manufacturers dealing in such hides shall keep a record of all such hides bought, that the same may at any time be open to inspection by the state game warden or his deputies.

(Ch. 414, 1907.)

Game wardens to confiscate; penalties. SECTION 4560a—17. Any officer authorized to enforce the fish and game laws of this state shall seize, confiscate and sell all deer heads in the velvet, all deer hides in the red or blue coat, all fawn hides in the spotted coat and any untanned deer hide from which the hair has been removed, found within the borders of this state. Confiscations under this act shall include the entire

Penalties. 5. Any person, firm or corporation who shall set or attempt to set any net or shall use any boat or vessel without having obtained a license therefor as required by this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five nor more than fifty dollars or by imprisonment in a county jail not less than two months nor more than six months.

Confiscations. 6. Vessels and boats used contrary to the provisions of this act are declared public nuisances and shall be confiscated by the state and shall be sold at private or public sale and the proceeds thereof paid to the state treasurer and placed in and become a part of the hunting license fund.

(Ch. 628, 1907.)

Repeal. Section 4560c, statutes of 1898, as amended is hereby repealed.

(Ch. 226, 1907.)

Repeal. SECTION 4560f, statutes of 1898 is hereby repealed.

(Ch. 603, 1907.)

Dane county: season for spearing. SECTION 4560g—2. It shall be lawful to use a spear for the purpose of taking, catching or killing any rough fish in the day-time in Dane county, except from the first day of January in each year to and including the succeeding fifteen day of April.

(Ch. 295, 1907.)

Repeal. SECTION 4560h, statutes of 1898, is hereby repealed.

(Ch. 649, 1907.)

Repeal. SECTION 4561, repealed by Sec. 2, Ch. 471, 1907.

Deer hunting. [SECTION 4562d.] 1. It shall be unlawful and is hereby prohibited to hunt, take, capture or kill, by any means or in any manner whatever, or to pursue with the intent to hunt, take, capture or kill:

General closed season. (a) Any deer between the thirtieth day of November and the succeeding tenth day of November of the succeeding year (hereby intending to include in the closed season for hunting deer all the year, except the last twenty days of November inclusive);