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CHAPTER 627.

AN ACT to amend sections 4562e and 4562f of the statutes, relating to the hunting of upland game birds.

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

SECTION 1. Section 4562e of the statutes is amended to read:

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SECTION 2. Section 4562f of the statutes is amended to read:

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CHAPTER 628.

AN ACT to create sections 4560a—35 and 4560a—40 of the statutes and to amend subsection h of section 4560a—25 of the statutes, relating to fishing in certain inland lakes and outlying waters.

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

SECTION 1. There are added to the statutes two new sections to read:

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SECTION 2. Subsection h of section 4560a—25 of the statutes is amended to read:

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Approved July 13, 1907.

(In effect from and after date of publication.)

Penalty: section 4562d. * * * (c) Any person violating any of the provisions of this act, *excepting subdivision (b) of paragraph 1*, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars and the costs of prosecution or by imprisonment in the county jail of the county in which the offense was committed not less than two months nor more than six months or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Penalty; specified counties. (d) *Any person violating subdivision (b) of paragraph 1 of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars and the costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail of the county in which the offense was committed not less than three months nor more than six months or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.*

(Ch. 259, 1907.)

Game birds: closed seasons; forbidden counties and species. SECTION 4562e. It shall be unlawful and is hereby prohibited to take, catch, kill, hunt or pursue,

(a) Any woodcock, partridge, * * * plover or snipe, between the first day of December and the succeeding first day of September, or,

(b) Any prairie chicken or prairie hen *or grouse of any variety* between the fifteenth day of October and the succeeding first day of * * * *October*, in any of the following named counties, to-wit: Adams, Barron, Burnett, * * * Buffalo, Chippewa, Clark, Crawford, * * * Dodge, Dunn, Grant, Eau Claire, Iowa, Jackson, Juneau, La Fayette, Marquette, Monroe, Pepin, Polk, Portage, Richland, Rusk, Sawyer, St. Croix, Vernon, Washburn, Waushara and Wood.

(c) Any prairie chicken or prairie hen or grouse of any variety in any other county that those hereinbefore enumerated before the first day of September, A. D. * * * 1915, or,

(d) Any Mongolian, Chinese or English pheasant or quail of any variety before the first day of October, A. D. * * * 1915.

(Ch. 627, 1907. Made "Sec. 4562e," by Ch. 118, 1907.)

Penalties. SECTION 4562f. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than * * * *twenty* dollars nor more than fifty dollars, and the costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail *in* the county in which the offense was committed, not less than * * * *twenty* days nor more than sixty days or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

(Ch. 627, 1907.)

Aquatic fowl: closed season; increased penalty. SECTION 4563. It shall be unlawful to take, catch, kill, hunt or pursue * * * *or have in possession:*

1. *Any variety of wild duck, (including American coot or mud hen) rail or rice hen,* between the first day of January and the succeeding first day of September in any year;

2. * * * Any wild goose or brant between the first day of * * * *May* and the succeeding first day of September in any year;

3. * * * Any swan at any time.

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than * * * *twenty* nor more than fifty dollars *and costs of prosecution,* or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than twenty days nor more than sixty days or by both such fine and imprisonment.

(Ch. 315, 1907.)

Aquatic fowl: pursuit. SECTION 4563b—1. 1. It shall be unlawful and is hereby prohibited for any person or persons,

Weapons. (1.) To pursue, take, catch or kill any aquatic fowl by any other means than by the use of guns held at arms length and discharged from the shoulder;

Position and boat. (2) To pursue, take, catch or kill any aquatic fowl, or to hunt with or shoot from any boat, canoe, contrivance or device whatever, on any of the waters of this state outside or beyond the natural covering of weeds, rushes or other vegetation growing above the water, nor within such natural covering or vegetation in any boat or craft except such as are propelled by oars from the side;