

NEW LAWS OF NEBRASKA

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Senate Bills.

House roll 138, by Evans, for protection of fish, game and insectivorous birds. The governor is made the game and fish commissioner, and is authorized to appoint two deputy commissioners. One is called the chief deputy and shall reside in Lincoln; the other shall be skilled in the science of fish culture and have control and management of all fish hatcheries in the state. Each to receive a salary of \$1,200 per annum. The governor is also authorized to appoint three more deputies at a salary of \$75 a month, during the time actually occupied under direction of the commissioner. They are to be allowed \$200 per annum for traveling expenses, and to have offices at the capital. The commissioner and his deputies are made officials of the state with all the powers of sheriffs and constables, while acting within the line of their official duties, to make arrests, to serve out writs and process, civil and criminal, in the enforcement of this act, and to charge therefore and collect fees allowed by law. It is made the duty of the commissioner and his deputies, with or without a warrant, to arrest all parties he may deem guilty of violations of this act. And with or without warrant, to open and examine any box, barn, car or other place where he believes game killed in violation of the act to be concealed. When entering a dwelling house a warrant is necessary. No person shall shoot or hunt from a public highway at any game, insectivorous or other bird, or fish, or hunt game on any land not public land, without consent of the owner, or if hunt in any private park, or lake, without consent of the proprietor. The use of dynamite or other explosive in killing birds is forbidden. Killing of the following named birds is forbidden at any and all times of the year: Robin, jay, swallow, oriole, woodpecker, yellow hammer, cuckoo, yellow bird, bobolink, or other birds of like nature that promote agriculture or horticulture by feeding on noxious worms or insects. It is provided, however, that hawks and owls may be killed on one's own premises; schools or colleges, when authorized by the commissioner, may take or kill for scientific purposes, twenty-five of each of the forbidden species. Any person violating any of the provisions of the above section is liable to a fine of five dollars for each bird killed. The open season for deer and antelope-having horns shall begin Aug. 15, and end Nov. 15. Wolves, coyotes, foxes, skunks, wildcats and rabbits, may be killed during any time of the year. The open season for prairie chickens, sage chickens, and grouse, begins Oct. 1 and ends Nov. 30; for quails from Nov. 1 to Nov. 30, and it is made unlawful to kill, trap or harm any quail at any season of the year prior to Nov. 1, 1893; for wild ducks, swans, cranes, geese, etc., shall begin Sept. 1 and end April 15; for jack snipes, Wilson snipes and yellow legs from Sept. 1 to April 15; for wild pigeons, doves, plover, April 15 to Oct. 30. The open season for trout not less than eight inches in length shall begin June 1 and end Oct. 31; for all other fish April 1 to Oct. 31. Taking of game in any one day is limited to the following amounts for one person: Ten wild geese or brants, 25 game birds of any other variety, 25 fish. No person may kill more than one deer and one antelope in one year. Or he may substitute two of one kind for one of each kind. No one person may have in possession at any time more than 10 wild geese or brants, 50 ducks, and 50 other birds, nor more than 50 fish. No game or fish shall be held in possession by any person for more than five days after expiration of the season for killing. Game may not be pursued in the night time, nor with other than an ordinary shoulder gun or pistol. Fish may be caught only by hooks, baited with natural or artificial bait, and the number of hooks on any one line must not exceed five; nor shall any fish be caught within 200 feet of any fish way. Violation of the provision restricting the number of birds and fish, and the provision relating to time and method of hunting is made punishable by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$100 or imprisonment in the county jail not less than 60 days. A fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$200 or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 90 days, or both, is provided for killing deer, antelope or elk out of season, or greater numbers than is permitted by law. The killing of birds out of season, or possession of birds out of season is made punishable by a fine of \$5 for each bird or fish unlawfully killed, taken or wounded, or impounded in the county jail not more than 60 days.

TO THE DEAF--A rich lady, cured of deafness and noise in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave \$25,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums, may have them free. Address No. D 143, The Nicholson Institute, 786, Eighth Avenue, New York, Jan 13.

LEGAL NOTICE.

County Court, within and for Custer County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Crable, deceased.

The creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified that I will sit at the office of Fred Mullins, Esq., at Broken Bow, Neb., on the 9th day of October, 1891, on the 9th day of December, 1891; on the 9th day of February, 1892, each at 10 o'clock a.m. of each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and payment.

The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is six months from the 9th day of August, 1891, and the time limited for the payment of the same is one year from said 9th day of August, 1891.

Witness my hand and the seal of said county court this 1st day of August, 1891.

J. A. ARMOUR, County Judge.

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