

23, Laws 1915, and any act or acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof, held in any county, but shall not include a primary election.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 29, 1917.

CHAPTER 121—S. F. No. 449.

An act to amend Section 4789 of the General Statutes of Minnesota as amended by Chapter 237 of the General Laws of 1915, relating to the open season for birds and number allowed.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Closed season for various species of game birds until October 15, 1920, and limitation as to other game birds as to season and number that may be killed in any one season.— That section 4789 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, as amended by chapter 237 of the General Laws of 1915, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4789. No person shall hunt, take, kill, ship, convey, or cause to be shipped, or transported by common or private carrier, to any person either within or without the state, expose for sale, sell to any one, have in possession with intent to sell, or have in possession or under control at any time any *mourning dove*, snipe, prairie chicken or pinnated *grouse*, white breasted or sharp-tailed *grouse*, quail, partridge or ruffed *grouse*, Chinese ringneck or English pheasant, wild duck of any variety, brant, or any variety of aquatic fowl whatever, or any part thereof, except—

First. That any *mourning dove*, snipe, prairie chicken or pinnated *grouse*, white breasted or sharp-tailed *grouse*, woodcock, upland plover, and golden plover may be killed and had in possession between the 16th day of September and the first day of October following: Provided that no *mourning dove*, snipe (other than *Wilson or Jacksnipe and greater and lesser yellow legs*) woodcock, upland plover or golden plover shall be taken, killed or had in possession before September 16th, 1920.

Second. That any quail, partridge or ruffed *grouse*, Chinese ringneck or English pheasant may be killed or had in possession between the first day of November and the first day of December following; provided that no partridge or ruffed *grouse* or Chinese ringneck or English pheasant shall be killed or had in possession before the fifteenth (15th) day of October, 1920.

Third. That wild duck of any variety, coot, gallinules, fails, wild goose of any variety, brant, may be killed and had in possession between the 16th day of September and the first day of

December following: Provided that no wood duck shall be taken, killed or had in possession before *Sept. 16th, 1920.*

And when any of the birds mentioned in this section have been lawfully caught, taken, killed or had in possession within the time herein allowed, they may be had in possession for five days thereafter, but no person shall, in any one day, take or kill more than *five* birds of any kind and all varieties, except wild ducks of which not over fifteen shall be taken or killed in one day or have in his possession at any time more than thirty game birds of any and all varieties, except wild ducks of which not more than forty-five may be had in possession at any one time, (provided that not more than ten (10) quail may be taken or killed in one day and that not over twenty (20) quail may be had in possession at any one time.) *No person shall take or kill more than twenty-five (25) prairie chickens or pinnated grouse, or thirty (30) quail in any one open season.* Provided, that whenever any of the game mentioned in this section shall have been lawfully shot or taken by any resident of this state in any state wherein the season for so lawfully taking the same shall be earlier or later than herein stated, such resident may ship, to himself only in this state, and have in possession therein during the seasons allowed by the law of such state for the taking thereof any such game so lawfully taken in such state and for five days thereafter.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 29, 1917.

CHAPTER 122—S. F. No. 497.

An act authorizing and empowering any city of this state having a population of not more than 10,000 inhabitants; to provide for a heating plant, the same to be of municipal or private ownership.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Cities of 10,000 or less authorized to provide for municipal or private ownership heating plants.—Any city of this state having a population of not more than 10,000 inhabitants, is hereby authorized and empowered:

(a) To grant to any person, persons, company or corporation, the right of the use of the streets, alleys and other public grounds of such city for the erection, operation and maintenance of any heating system to furnish heat to the inhabitants of such city, the same to be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the governing body of such city shall determine, including therein the right to sell to such person, persons, company or corporation, at a profit to such city, any steam gen-