

Bill accompanying the petition of George R. Ellis for the protection of hares in the counties of Norfolk and Bristol. Fisheries and Game, January 16.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty.

AN ACT

Relative to the Protection of Hares in the Counties of Norfolk and Bristol.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. In the counties of Norfolk and Bristol
2 it shall be unlawful, until the beginning of the open
3 season for rabbits throughout the commonwealth in the
4 year nineteen hundred and twenty-three, to take or
5 kill a hare, commonly called white rabbit or Canada hare,
6 or, if taken or killed contrary to the laws of this com-
7 monwealth or of any other state or country, to buy,
8 sell, offer for sale, or have the same in possession.

1 SECTION 2. Any violation of this act shall be punished
2 by a fine of twenty dollars for each hare in respect to
3 which the violation occurs.

Will ensure that the bill is passed in the House of Representatives by a majority of two-thirds of the members present and voting.

THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE BILL

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AN ACT

to provide for the payment of the interest on the public debt of the United States.

Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, February 22, 1917.

SECTION 1. That the Secretary of the Treasury be and he is authorized to pay to the holders of the public debt of the United States the interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum, to be paid quarterly in advance, on the first day of January, May, September, and December, commencing on the first day of January, 1917, and continuing thereafter until the principal of the debt is fully paid.

SECTION 2. That the Secretary of the Treasury be and he is authorized to pay to the holders of the public debt of the United States the principal thereof when it becomes due, and to pay to the holders of the same the interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum, to be paid quarterly in advance, on the first day of January, May, September, and December, commencing on the first day of January, 1917, and continuing thereafter until the principal of the debt is fully paid.



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