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2nd Session, 5th Parliament, 19 Victoria, 1856.

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**BILL.**

An Act to alter and amend the Game Laws  
of Upper Canada.

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Received and read, first time, Wednesday, 9th  
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Second Reading, Wednesday, 16th April, 1856.

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**MR. RANKIN.**

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**TORONTO:**

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An Act to consolidate and amend the Law for preservation of Game and Wild Fowl in Upper Canada.

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to amend the law for the preservation of Game and Wild Fowl in Upper Canada; Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows: Preamble.

5 I. No Deer, Moose, Elk, Reindeer or Carriboo, shall be hunted, taken, Deer.  
or killed, between the first of February and the first of September in any year.

10 II. No wild Turkey, Grouse, Partridge or Pheasant, shall be hunted, Wild Turkey,  
taken or killed, between the first of March and the first of September in Grouse, &c.  
any year.

III. No Quail shall be hunted, taken or killed, between the first of Quail.  
March and the first of October in any year.

IV. No Woodcock shall be hunted, taken or killed, between the first Woodcock.  
of March and the first of July in any year.

15 V. No wild Swan, Goose, or Duck of the kinds known as the Mallard, Water Fowl.  
Grey Duck, Black Duck, Wood Duck, or any of the kinds of Duck known  
as Teal, shall be hunted, taken or killed, between the fifteenth of April  
and the first of August in any year.

20 VI. No wild Turkey, Grouse, Partridge or Pheasant, Quail or Wood- Certain birds  
cock, shall be trapped or taken by means of traps, nets, springes or other to be killed  
means of taking such birds other than by shooting, at any time what- only by shoot-  
ever; nor shall any trap, net or snare be made, erected or set, either ing.  
wholly or in part for the purpose of such trapping or taking.

25 VII. No person shall have in possession any of the animals or birds, Having them  
hereinbefore mentioned, within the periods above prohibited, without in possession  
lawful excuse, the proof whereof to be on the party charged. within the  
prohibited  
periods.

30 VIII. Any offence against any provision of this Act shall be punished, Penalty for  
on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, by a fine not exceeding contravening  
*five pounds* nor less than *five shillings*, in the discretion of such Justice, this Act.  
with costs, or in default of payment, by imprisonment for a term not  
exceeding one month; one-half of such fine to go to the County, and half  
to the informer.

Acts 7 Vict.  
c. 12, 8 Vict.,  
c. 46, 14 15  
Vict. c. 61,  
16 Vict. c.  
171 repealed.

IX. The following Acts, that is to say, the Act passed in the seventh year of Her Majesty's Reign, and chaptered twelve,—the Act passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and chaptered forty-six,—the Act passed in the Session held in the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty's Reign, and chaptered sixty-one,—and the Act passed in the sixteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and chaptered one hundred and seventy-one,—and all Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act repealed. 5

Not to apply  
to Indians.

X. This Act shall not apply to Indians.

And only to  
Upper Canada.

XI. This Act shall apply only to Upper Canada. 10