
LEGISLATURE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

FILE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. **1169** Session of
1919.

INTRODUCED BY MR. J. T. DAVIS, APRIL 1, 1919.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME,
APRIL 1, 1919.

AN ACT

To amend section one of an act approved the fourteenth day of April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws one hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act making it unlawful to trespass upon land posted as private property and providing the penalty therefor" permitting persons to lawfully hunt and fish on untenanted or unseated wild or unimproved lands other than game preserves lands used for resort purposes and lands lying along streams used for domestic purposes

1 Section 1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-*
2 *sentatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly*
3 *met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That*
4 section one of an act approved the fourteenth day of
5 April one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws
6 one hundred sixty-nine) entitled "An act making it un-
7 lawful to trespass upon land posted as private property
8 and providing the penalty therefor" which reads as follows

1 "Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House
2 of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in
3 General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the
4 authority of the same That from and after the passage
5 of this act it shall be unlawful for any person wil-
6 fully to enter upon any land within the limits of this
7 Commonwealth where the owner or owners of said land
8 has caused to be prominently posted upon said land
9 printed notices that the said land is private property
10 and warning all persons from trespassing thereon under
11 the penalties provided in this act" be and the same is
12 hereby amended to read as follows

13 Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House
14 of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in
15 General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the
16 authority of the same That from and after the passage
17 of this act it shall be unlawful for any person wil-
18 fully to enter upon any land within the limits of this
19 Commonwealth where the owner or owners of said land
20 has caused to be prominently posted upon said land
21 printed notices that the said land is private property and
22 warning all persons from trespassing thereon under the
23 penalties provided in this act Provided however That the
24 provisions of this act shall not prohibit any person from
25 lawfully hunting or fishing on untenanted or unseated wild
26 or unimproved lands other than public state game pre-
27 serves auxiliary state game preserves properly licensed priv-
28 ate preserves and lands set apart to hospitals or san-
29 atorium or park resort uses nor to any lands within

1 one-half mile of any open stream the water from which
2 is used for domestic purposes by the public generally
3 notwithstanding that such wild or unimproved lands are
4 posted as provided for in this act Provided further how-
5 ever That any person so lawfully hunting or fishing on
6 wild or unimproved lands shall be liable for all damages
7 done to such lands in accordance with the provisions of
8 existing laws Provided That nothing in this act contained
9 shall be construed to repeal any of the provisions of
10 the act approved the twenty-eighth day of July one thou-
11 sand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws one
12 thousand two hundred fifteen) entitled "An act to revise
13 amend and consolidate the law relating to fish and pro-
14 viding penalties"