

STATE OF MINNESOTA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
SAINT PAUL

Governor's Order Number 30 of 1938

ORDER PROVIDING ADDITIONAL PROTECTION FOR CERTAIN MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS

To the people of the State of Minnesota, to the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota, to the Law Enforcement Officers of the Conservation Department of the State of Minnesota; and to all others whom it may concern: **GRATINGS:**

WHEREAS, by federal regulation, rails and gallinules, except coot, may be taken in this state, prior to October 1, 1938, the opening date for the taking of ducks, geese, jacksnipe and coot, under federal regulation, and

WHEREAS, great numbers of hunters will frequent the habitat of ducks, geese, snipe and coot while hunting such rails and gallinules prior to October 1, and

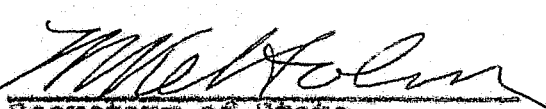
WHEREAS, such hunting will tend to disturb, harry and worry such ducks, geese, snipe and coot and cause them to leave their usual places of habitat, and

WHEREAS, the director of the division of game and fish has investigated the necessity of providing additional protection to ducks, geese, snipe and coot, and has recommended such additional protection,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer A. Benson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, in order to provide additional protection to ducks, geese, snipe and coot and to prevent their taking, disturbing, harrying and worrying and consequent depletion thereof, prior to October 1, 1938, pursuant to authority vested in me by Section 5640, Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, do hereby order, that rails and gallinules, for which an open season has been declared, may be taken, commencing October 1, 1938 and continuing to November 14, 1938, both dates inclusive, daily shooting hours to be from 7:00 o'clock A.M. to 4:00 o'clock, P.M.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed and have hereunto set my hand at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, this 15th day of September, 1938.

ATTEST:


Secretary of State


Governor of the State of Minnesota

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