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LAST DAY OF HUNTING SEASON.

January 31 is the last day on which wild ducks and geese, coots, gallinules, and Wilson snipe or jacksnipe may be hunted anywhere in the United States under the Federal law which prescribes seasons on migratory game birds. This law, which is administered by the Bureau of Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, provides, however, that the carcasses of birds killed during the open season may be possessed for an additional period of 10 days following the end of the season if State or local laws do not prohibit it. The possession of carcasses of wild ducks, geese, and other migratory game birds in cold storage plants after February 10 renders the owners subject to prosecution in the Federal courts.