

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1872.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1872.

Chapter 99.

An act to prevent the casting of sawdust, edgings, trimmings, brush, &c., into Stevens and Willet brooks, in the town of Bridgton.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

SECT. 1. It shall be unlawful for any owner or owners of mills or meadows on Stevens brook and Willet brook, outlets of Crotched pond and Woods pond, in the town of Bridgton, in the county of Cumberland, or any person or persons employed in or about said mills or otherwise, to cast any edgings, trimmings or shavings of boards, laths, shingles or other lumber, sawdust, bark and grindings, or brush, wood and stumps into the waters of said streams, or allow the same to be deposited in such a manner that it may be washed therein.

Waste stuff, the throwing into Stevens and Willet brooks, prohibited.

SECT. 2. If any person or persons shall violate the provisions of section one of this act, he or they shall be subject to a fine or penalty of not more than fifty or less than ten dollars, upon complaint and conviction before any court of competent jurisdiction.

Fine and penalty for violation.

SECT. 3. Any person who may suffer damage to his lands, mill pond or mill privilege, by reason of the violation of the provisions of section one of this act, may recover for said damages by an action on the case, of the persons so violating said section and causing such damage.

Damages, how recovered.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 16, 1872.

Chapter 100.

An act to prevent the taking of pickerel in Worthy pond.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

SECT. 1. No person shall be allowed to take or catch any pickerel with spears, hooks or grapples, from Worthy pond, so called, in the town of Peru, in Oxford county, for the term of five years, under a penalty of five dollars for each pickerel so taken, to be recovered in an action of debt, one-half to go to the complainant and one-half to said town of Peru.

The taking of pickerel prohibited.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 16, 1872.