# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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#### ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

### SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

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## PUBLIC LAWS

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Not to be paid until return is made.

CHAP. 130 year, and one-tenth of the remainder, and the residue shall be the basis of a new apportionment. Immediately after making the apportionment, the treasurer shall notify each town of its proportion, which shall not be paid to any town until its returns are made to the superintendent of common schools,'

Approved February 17, 1883.

#### Chapter 130.

An Act relating to fines and penalties recovered for violation of the fish and game

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

Tines recovered for violation of fish and game laws, how dis-posed of.

Proviso.

SECT. 1. All fines and penalties hereafter recovered for the violation of chapters fifty and seventy-five of the public laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and all acts amendatory thereof, and of all laws now in force in this state for the protection of fish and game, shall be paid one-half to the complainant and one-half to any game and fish protective society or other sportsmen's association, which shall have been organized under the laws of Maine, and which may be located in the county where the said fines and penalties are recovered; provided, the said society or association shall expend the same in the propagation and cultivation of trout and salmon for the fresh water lakes and ponds of Maine, to be done under the direction and supervision of the fish commissioners. In case there may be more than one such society or association located in the county where said fines and penalties are recovered, the fish commissioners shall designate which society the money shall be paid to, or they may cause the same to be divided between them. If there is no such society or association in the county where such fines and penalties are recovered, then such fines and penalties shall be paid to the state fish commissioners, who shall appropriate the same as they may deem proper.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

- All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.
  - SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 17, 1883.