

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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hereby amended by striking out in the fourth and fifth lines, the following words, "any part thereof from land to land," and inserting in their place the following, 'the distance from opposite shores of the same at any point,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

'SECT. 17. The taking of mackerel, herring, shad, porgies or menhaden, and the fishing therefor, by the use of purse and drag seines is prohibited in all small bays, inlets, harbors or rivers where any entrance to the same or the distance from opposite shores of the same, at any point, is not more than three nautical miles in width, under a penalty upon the master or person in charge of such seines or upon the owners of any vessel or seines employed in such unlawful fishing, of not less than three hundred nor more than five hundred dollars to be recovered by indictment or action of debt, one-fourth of the penalty to the complainant or prosecutor, and three-fourths to the county in which the proceedings are commenced, and there shall be a lien upon the vessels, steamers, boats and apparatus used in such unlawful pursuit, until said penalty with costs of prosecution is paid, but a net for meshing mackerel or porgies of not more than one hundred meshes in depth and a net for meshing herring, of not more than one hundred and seventy meshes in depth, and a net for meshing shad of not more than seventy-five meshes in depth, shall not be deemed a seine.'

—Taking or fishing for mackerel, herring and porgies, with seines, prohibited in certain waters.

—penalties, how recovered, and for whose benefit.

—lien upon vessels, etc.

—seine defined.

Approved March 13, 1889.

Chapter 307.

An Act relating to the compensation of State Superintendent of Common Schools and his Clerk.

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

SECT. 1. The salary of the state superintendent of common schools shall be and is hereby fixed at fifteen hundred dollars per year, from January first, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, which shall be exclusive of traveling expenses as now provided by law. And the salary of the clerk of the same shall be and is hereby fixed at one thousand dollars from the same date. Said superintendent shall biennially, as soon as practicable after the

Salary of Supt. Schools, fixed.

Salary of clerk, fixed.

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Shall print school laws and prepare circulars.

adjournment of the legislature, compile and have printed in pamphlet form, three thousand copies of the amended school law of the state, and distribute the same to the municipal and school officers of the several towns; and he shall furthermore prepare and issue thus biennially, such circulars of information and advice to school officers, relating to new school enactments, as he shall deem necessary for the intelligent and effectual enforcement of such enactments, and all acts inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 13, 1889.

Chapter 308.

An Act to provide for the refunding of the Public Debt, and to repeal an act entitled, "An Act to provide for the refunding of the Public Debt," approved February twenty-six, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine.

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

Act for refunding public debt, repealed.

SECT. 1. An act entitled, "An Act to provide for the refunding of the Public Debt," approved February twenty-six, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, is hereby repealed.

Treasurer of State authorized to issue new bonds for purpose of renewing bonded State debt.

SECT. 2. For the purpose of renewing and extending the bonded indebtedness of this state, which matures June first and October first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, and of paying the temporary loan authorized by section six of this act, the treasurer of state is hereby authorized to issue new bonds in sums of not less than one thousand dollars each, with coupons attached for the payment of the interest, at the rate of three per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest payable in Boston or at the treasury of Maine; or registered bonds, for the whole or any part thereof, transferable by assignment, in amounts of not less than one thousand dollars each, with interest at the rate of three per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest payable at the treasury of Maine. Of the bonds so issued, fifty thousand dollars shall be payable per annum, for twelve years, beginning with the year eighteen hundred and ninety; seventy thousand dollars per annum, for ten years, beginning with the year nineteen hundred and two; seventy-eight thousand dollars per annum, for ten years, beginning with the year nineteen hundred and twelve; and all additional bonds that may be required for the purposes aforesaid, shall be payable in eight equal annual payments,

--denominations.

--rate of interest.

--when payable.