

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty - Third Legislature.

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SENATE.

No. 40.

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STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND  
EIGHTY-SEVEN.

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AN ACT to prohibit the use of Oil Torches in the  
Herring Fishery.

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

SECTION 1. All persons are hereby prohibited  
2 from using, in the herring fishery, in any of the  
3 waters of this State, torches in which kerosene oil  
4 or any other inflammable substance in liquid form  
5 enters as a component part thereof.

SECT. 2. The penalty for each violation of the  
2 preceding section shall be ten dollars, to be recov-  
3 ered in an action on the case before any trial jus-

4 tice or judge of any municipal court of this State,  
5 one-half of said penalty to go to the complainant  
6 and one-half to the use of the county where such  
7 complaint is made.

**STATE OF MAINE.**

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**IN SENATE, February 17, 1887.**

**Reported by Mr. HINCKLEY, from Committee on Fisheries and Game,  
and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.**

**C. W. TILDEN, *Secretary.***