

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Sixty-Fourth Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 248.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to regulate the alewife fishery in Pemaquid  
River.

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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 fishing with nets, seines, traps and wiers in that  
3 part of Pemaquid river which lies between Pemaquid  
4 Falls, and a line drawn west from the old Pemaquid  
5 Fort, for a term of six years from the passage of this  
6 act.

SECT. 2. All fishing for alewives at or about  
2 Pemaquid Falls shall be restricted to four days in each  
3 week, and the fishing season shall be from the first  
4 day of May to the fifteenth day of July in each year,

5 and all fishing shall be confined to the Falls, and  
6 under such regulation and further restriction as the  
7 town of Bristol shall decide upon.

SECT. 3. Any person violating any of the provi-  
2 sions of this act shall be subjected to a fine of  
3 twenty dollars, recoverable before any court having  
4 jurisdiction.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when ap-  
2 proved.

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A."

Amend section one by prefixing to said section the following words: 'From the first day of May to the fifteenth day of July in each year.'

Strike out section four and in place thereof insert the following:

'SEC. 4. Section 52 of chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, shall not apply to eel fishing on Pemaquid river, providing that any contrivance used in the eel fishery does not in any way interfere with the passage either way of young alewives.'

Adopted.

GIFFORD.

STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 23, 1889. }

Tabled, to be printed as amended, on motion of Mr. COLE of Brook-  
lin.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, *Clerk.*