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## Sixty-Fifth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 164.

## STATE OF MAINE.

#### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE.

AN ACT to prohibit taking land-locked salmon trom, and to protect white perch in, Ellis, Snow, McGraw, East, North, Long and Great ponds in Kennebec and Somerset counties.

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

SECTION 1. No land-locked salmon shall be 2 taken by any person in any way whatever from 3 Snow pond, East pond, McGraw pond, Ellis pond, 4 Long pond, North pond, or Great pond, said ponds

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5 situated in the counties of Kennebec and Somerset, 6 or from any stream flowing into or out of either of 7 said ponds, for a period of four years from the first 8 day of May, 18,1.

SECT. 2. No person shall take any white perch 2 from either of the ponds or streams named in sec-3 tion one for the purpose of sale; and any person 4 taking white perch from either of said ponds or 5 streams in any manner whatever, for the purposes 6 of sale, or who offers white perch so taken for 7 sale, or who sells or in any manner disposes of 8 white perch so taken for profit to himself or 9 another, or ships said white perch so taken to any 10 person outside of this State, shall be punished by a 11 fine of \$10 for each fish so taken, sold, offered for 12 sale or shipped, as hereinbefore prohibited. The 13 same to be recovered on complaint before any trial 14 justice, police or municipal court, in either of said 15 counties of Kennebec or Somerset, one-half to the 16 complainant and one-half to the county in which 17 said complaint is made.

SECT. 3. Any person who violates the provisions 2 of section one of this act shall be liable to a fine not 3 exceeding \$50, one-half to the complainant and 4 one-half to the county in which said complaint is 5 made. The same to be recovered on complaint 6 before any trial justice or police or municipal court7 in either of said counties of Kennebec or Somerset8 in which said complaint is made.

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IN SENATE, March 6, 1891.

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

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KENDALL M. DUNBAR, Secretary.