

# Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

### HOUSE.

No. 172.

## STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter 72, Special Laws of 1887 in relation to the taking of Fish in Nequasset Lake.

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

Section 1. Chapter 72 of the Special Laws of 1887 be and 2 is hereby amended by inserting after the words "Back river" 3 in the eighth line of said section the following: 'Nor in the 4 waters of Nequasset lake or the tributaries thereof.' Also by 5 inserting after the word "stream" in the twelfth line of said 6 section the words: 'or in the waters of said lake or its tribu-7 taries,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'No person without license and authority of the town of Wool-9 wich shall, by any weir, hedge, pound, seine, drift net, dip net 10 or other apparatus, device or contrivance, take any alewives in

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11 the waters of Nequasset stream at any place between the bridge 12 of the Knox and Lincoln Railroad, and the point at low water 13 when the channel of said stream makes its junction with the 14 Sassanoa river, commonly called Back river, nor in the waters 15 of Nequasset lake or the tributaries thereof, nor shall any per-16 son without such license and authority, between the fifteenth 17 day of April and the first day of August in each year, con-18 struct, have or maintain any weir, hedge, pound or other 19 device or contrivance capable of taking alewives in the channel 20 of said stream or in the waters of said lake or its tributaries or 21 the flats thereto contiguous within the limits aforesaid.

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

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 23, 1899.

Reported by Mr. WOOD of Camden, from Committee on Shore Fisheries, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.