

NEW DRAFT.

Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 270.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section one of chapter one hundred nineteen of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred eighty-one entitled "An Act to Prohibit the taking of Spawn Herring within a certain limit in Milbridge or Narraguagus Bay.

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

Section one of chapter one hundred nineteen of the Private 2 and Special Laws of eighteen hundred eighty-one is hereby 3 amended by striking out all the words after the word "bay" 4 in fifth line to the words "under a penalty" and inserting 5 the following: 'and other waters above a line drawn from 6 Petit Manan lighthouse to Cape Split in the town of Addison' 7 so said section as amended shall read as follows:

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'Section I. The taking of herring or fishing therefor by 9 the use of purse and drag seines or nets from the first 10 day of July to the first day of November, is hereby prohibited 11 in the waters lying within the jurisdiction of the State in 12 Milbridge or Narraguagus bay and other waters above a 13 line drawn from Petit Manan lighthouse to Cape Split in the 14 town of Addison, under a penalty upon the master or person 15 in charge of said seines or nets, or upon the owner or owners 16 of the vessels, steamers or boats engaged in taking said 17 herring, of not less than one hundred dollars, and no more 18 than three hundred dollars, and there shall be a lien upon 19 said vessels, steamers, boats and apparatus used in such 20 unlawful pursuit until said penalty, with costs of prosecution 21 is paid.' ,

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House of Representatives, Augusta, March 3, 1899.

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

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.