

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 271.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to prevent the taking of smelts by drag-seines in the waters of the Buck's Harbor, Orcutt's Harbor and Lawrence Bay, in the town of Brookville.

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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 from taking any 2 smelts by drag-seines in the waters of Buck's Harbor, Orcutt's 3 Harbor and Lawrence Bay, in the town of Brookville.

Sect. 2. Whoever shall violate the provisions of this act 2 shall, on conviction of the same, be punished by a fine of not 3 more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county 4 jail for a term of not more than sixty days, and addition to the 5 said punishment, all boats, seines, and all other articles used in 6 the taking of said fish, and the fish so taken shall be forfeited

7 and disposed of, as provided in section forty-seven of chapter  
8 two hundred and eighty-five of the Public Laws of eighteen hun-  
9 dred and ninety-seven.

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect April first, eighteen hun-  
2 dred and ninety-nine.



STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Augusta, March 3, 1899.

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

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*