

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 67

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIVE.

AN ACT to protect cod and other ground fish in waters off the
coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc counties.

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

Section 1. It shall be unlawful to fish for or take, except
2 with trawls or ordinary hooks and lines, any cod or other
3 ground fish from the waters subject to the jurisdiction of this
4 State, between a line running north through the westernmost
5 part of Seguin island, and a similar line through the east-
6 ernmost part of Damariscove island.

Sect. 2. Any person who fishes for or takes fish contrary
2 to the provisions of this act shall be punished for each offense
3 by a fine of not less than two hundred or more than one
4 thousand dollars, or by imprisonment not less than three or

5 more than twelve months, and shall further forfeit five
6 dollars for each fish so taken.

Sect. 3. Section fifty-nine, sixty and sixty-one of chapter
2 forty-one of the Revised Statutes shall apply to all offenses
3 under this act.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 9, 1905.

Reported by Mr. SHACKFORD from Committee on Shore Fisheries
and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary.*