

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 674

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter 264 of the Private and Special Laws
of 1905 relating to fishing in Thompson pond.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 264 of the Private and Special Laws
2 of 1905 is hereby amended by striking out all of said chapter
3 and substituting therefor the following:

‘Section 1. There shall be an annual close time on Thomp-
5 son pond, situated in the counties of Oxford, Cumberland
6 and Androscoggin, from September first to January first of
7 the following year, during which time it shall be unlawful to
8 take, catch or kill any kind of fish except black bass. Who-
9 ever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be sub-
10 ject to the same penalty as is provided in the general law

11 of the State for the illegal fishing for and catching of trout
12 and land-locked salmon.

Sect. 2. In all prosecutions arising under this act, municipal and police courts and trial justices, within their respective counties, shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent jurisdiction with the supreme judicial and superior courts, and all fines, penalties and forfeitures received by any person for any violation of this act, shall be paid forthwith by the person receiving the same to the State Treasurer, to be credited to fines and license fees for the protection of birds and game.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, March 18, 1909.

Reported by M. BIGELOW from Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game and ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*