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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 776

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to regulate fishing in Royal's river and tributaries in Cumberland county.

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

Section 1. It shall be unlawful to fish for, take, catch or

- 2 kill any kind of fish at any time in Royal's river, in Cumber-
- 3 land county, below Webster's mill dam, so-called, in Gray, or
- 4 in any of the tributaries to said river except such tributaries
- 5 as are in the town of Pownal and in the town of Freeport.
- 6 Provided, further, it shall be lawful to fish for and catch fish
- 7 in the West Branch of said Royal's river on Wednesday and
- 8 Saturday of each week, in accordance with the general law
- 9 of the State. It shall also be unlawful to fish in any of the

10 tributaries to said West Branch of Royal's river except on 11 Wednesday and Saturday of each week, in accordance with 12 the general law of the State.

- Sect. 2. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act 2 shall be subject to the same penalty as is provided in the gen-3 eral law for the State for the illegal fishing for and catching 4 of trout and land-locked salmon.
- Sect. 3. In all prosecutions under this act, municipal and 2 police courts and trial justices within their respective coun- 3 ties shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent juris- 4 diction with the supreme judicial and superior courts, and all 5 fines, forfeitures and penalties received for violation of this 6 act shall be paid forthwith by the person receiving the same 7 to the State Treasurer, and credited to fines and license fees 8 for the protection of birds and game.

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STATE OF MAINE.

House of Representatives,

Augusta, March 24, 1909.

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

E. M. THOMPSON, Clerk.