

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 347

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to prohibit the hunting of ducks and other water fow! in Damariscotta Pond, in Lincoln county, by use of steam, naphtha or gasoline boats.

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

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person at any time 2 in any boat propelled by steam, naphtha, gasoline, electricity, 3 or any power other than sail or hand power, in the waters of 4 Damariscotta pond, to chase, hunt, gun or shoot any sea 5 bird, ducks, or water fowl under a penalty of not less than 6 twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars and 7 costs for each offense.

Sect. 2. In all prosecutions arising under this act, munici-2 pal and police courts and trial justices, within their respective

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3 counties, shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent 4 jurisdiction with the supreme 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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IN SENATE,

March 5, 1909.

Reported by Mr. KNOWLTON from Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

F. G. FARRINGTON, Secretary.