

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 160

House of Representatives, Feb. 11, 1915.

Ordered, That five hundred copies be printed and that the same be referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Committee on Reference.

Presented by Mr. Mulligan of Nobleboro.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT additional to chapter 41 of the revised statutes, amended, relating to the destruction of fish, in tidal waters, by means of dynamite or poisonous or stupefying substances.

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

Section 1. No person shall use dynamite or any poisonous or stupefying substance whatever, for the purpose of destroying or taking any kind of fish in tidal waters, under a penalty of one hundred dollars and costs, and in addition thereto, two months' imprisonment in the county jail, for each offense.

Sect. 2. No person shall buy, sell, give away or expose for sale or possess for any purpose any fish taken by use

3 of dynamite or any poisonous or stupefying substance, and
4 no person while engaged in fishing shall carry in his fishing
5 boat or vessel, any dynamite or other explosives, nor any
6 stupefying substance.

Whoever violates the provision of this section shall be sub-
8 ject to a fine of one hundred dollars and cost and in addi-
9 tion thereto shall be imprisoned for a term of sixty days.