

## SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

## HOUSE

# NO. 48

House of Representatives, Jan. 30, 1917.

Referred to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence. W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Jordan of Baileyville.

### STATE OF MAINE

#### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

AN ACT to amend Section 22 of Chapter 33 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the unlawful selling or purchasing of fish.

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

Section 1. Section 22 of Chapter 33 of the Revised Stat-2 utes is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section 3 the following: 'Provided, however, that white perch legally 4 taken in Grand Lake, Junior Lake, Compass Lake and Dobsis 5 Lake, in the counties of Washington and Penobscot, and all 6 other lakes and ponds whose outlets empty into any of the 7 above named lakes, may be sold, and transported within or

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8 without this state, under such rules and regulations as the
9 Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game may establish,'
10 so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 22. Whoever, by himself, his clerk, servant, or 2 agent, directly or indirectly, sells or purchases any land-3 locked salmon, trout, togue, black bass or white perch, shall 4 pay a fine of not less than ten, nor more than thirty dollars 5 and costs of prosecution, for each offense, and in addition 6 thereto one dollar for each fish sold, purchased, or had in 7 possession in violation of this section.

*Provided*, however, that white perch legally taken in Grand 2 Lake, Junior Lake, Compass Lake, and Dobsis Lake, in the 3 counties of Washington and Penobscot, and all other lakes 4 and ponds whose outlets empty into any of the above named 5 lakes, may be sold, and transported within or without this 6 state, under such rules and regulations as the Commissioners 7 of Inland Fisheries and Game may establish.'