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EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

SENATE NO. 150

In Senate, February 26, 1923.

Reported by Senator Sargent from Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries and ordered printed under joint rules.

L. ERNEST THORNTON, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE

AN ACT to Prohibit the Use of Beam Trawls in the Waters of Sedgwick Harbor, Known as Benjamin's River.

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

The use of beam trawls or any similar device is hereby 2 prohibited in Sedgwick Harbor, known as Benjamin's River, 3 under a penalty of not less than five or more than fifty dol-4 lars; provided, however, that this act shall not be construed 5 as prohibiting the taking of smelts in the usual manner by 6 the use of purse seines during the time when the use of

7 seines for this purpose is lawful in other waters of the state.