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NEW DRAFT

EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

Senate Document

No. 226

S. P. 562

In Senate, February 22, 1929.

Reported by Senator Campbell of Washington from Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Making it Unlawful to Fish for Smelts in Certain
Parts of Washington and Hancock Counties.

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

Section 1. No smelts shall be taken or fished for in the

2 tidal waters of the towns of Addison, Columbia Falls, Har
3 rington, Cherryfield, Milbridge and Steuben, all in the

4 county of Washington, and so much of the tidal waters in

5 the town of Gouldsboro and in the Plantation No. seven

6 in the county of Hancock bordering on Steuben harbor,

7 except by hook and line from April first to October first

8 of each year; except smelts may be taken from April first

- 9 to May first of each year by hook and line, gill nets, and 10 hand dip nets and brush weirs.
- Sect. 2. It shall be lawful to sell and to offer for sale 2 within this state and to transport outside the state all 3 smelts legally caught within said tidal waters.
- Sect. 3. Any person violating any provision of this act 2 shall be punished by a fine of one hundred dollars for each 3 offense.