

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 589

In Senate, March 25, 1931.

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.

New Draft of S. P. 226, L. D. 275.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Protect Cod and Other Ground Fish in Waters off
Coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties.

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

Section 1. It shall be unlawful to fish for or to take, except with trawls or ordinary hooks and lines, any cod or other ground fish from the waters of Sheepscoot Bay that border on the town of Georgetown, in the county of Sagadahoc, and the town of Southport, in the county of Lincoln, northerly of a line running from Griffith's Head to the Cuckolds.

Sec. 2. It shall be unlawful to fish for or to take with beam trawls any fish from the waters subject to the jurisdiction of this state northerly of a line drawn from the north end of Seguin Island to outer Pumpkin Island Ledge, and thence running to the north end of Fishermen's Island.

Sec. 3. Any person who fishes for or takes fish contrary to the provisions of this act shall be punished for each offense by a fine of not less than two hundred dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not less than three months, nor more than twelve months, and shall further forfeit the sum of five dollars for each fish so taken.

Sec. 4. Chapter sixty-two of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five, and amendments thereto, are hereby repealed.