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Legislative Document

No. 437

H. P. 1181

House of Representatives, February 10, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries. Sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Seabury of Yarmouth.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, Relating to Taking of Shellfish and Worms within the Limits of the Towns of Yarmouth, North Yarmouth and Cumberland.

Taking of shellfish and worms in certain territory, regulated. Resolved: That the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries be, and hereby is, directed to repeal rule and regulation numbered 24 as it appears in the official rules and regulations of the department which was authorized by chapter 115 of the private and special laws of 1921; and the said commissioner is hereby directed to issue the following rule and regulation in place thereof:

'No clams, clam worms, bloodworms, mussels or quahaugs shall be taken from any flats within the limits of either of the towns of Yarmouth, North Yarmouth or Cumberland, in Cumberland county, except by such written permit as the municipal officers of said town may issue, provided, that without such permit, any inhabitant within said town, or any person temporarily resident therein, or the riparian owner of any such flats, may take therefrom for the immediate use of himself or his family, not exceeding 1 bushel of clams at one tide. This section shall not apply to any person duly licensed under the provisions of sections 56 to 70 of chapter 50 of the revised statutes, and amendments thereof.

'Any person taking shellfish or worms contrary to the provisions hereof, shall be punished for each offense by a fine not exceeding \$10, or by imprisonment for not exceeding 30 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'