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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, Relating to Smelt Fishing in Denny's River, Medomak River, and Georges River.

Smelt fishing in Denny's river, Medomak river and Georges river, regulated. Resolved: That the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries, be and hereby is, directed to issue a rule and regulation making it lawful to take from Denny's river, Washington county, from the lower narrow, socalled, to the cement bridge on highway No. I, smelts for private use, with hook and line or dip-net, up to 12 dozen a night per family, by any person being an inhabitant of any town adjoining Denny's river, or Cobscook river, and be it further

Resolved: That the said commissioner be, and hereby is, directed to issue a rule and regulation making it lawful to take smelts from the Medomak river and its tributaries, by dip-net from the 1st day of April to the 1st day of May in each year for private use up to 12 dozen a night per family by any person being an inhabitant of any town adjoining said river and its tributaries, and be it further

Resolved: That the said commissioner be, and hereby is, directed to issue a rule and regulation forbidding the taking of smelts by dip-nets in Georges river and its tributaries, above a line drawn from Hooper's

point in the town of St. George, westerly past the northerly end of Caldwell's island to a point opposite on the shore in the town of Cushing.

Whoever violates any provision of the above rules and regulations shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25, nor more than \$100.