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House of Representatives, February 2, 1939.

Referred to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game and sent up for concurrence.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Winter of Kingfield.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

RESOLVE, Regulating Fishing in Rangeley Waters.

Fishing in Rangeley waters; regulated. Resolved: That the commissioner of inland fisheries and game be, and hereby is, directed to issue rules and regulations as follows:

1. Making it unlawful for any person to fish in Rangeley, Mooselucme-guntic, Cupsuptic and Upper and Lower Richardson Lakes, except by fly fishing and trolling, done only from boat or other conveyance with not more than 2 lines per boat, and establishing a daily bag limit thereon of not more than 3 salmon or trout in the aggregate per person per day.
2. Prohibiting fishing between 1 hour after sunset and 1 hour before sunrise the following morning, making a daily bag limit of not more than 3 salmon or trout in the aggregate and prohibiting the taking of trout less than 10 inches in length from the following waters tributary to the Rangeley Chain of Lakes, Cupsuptic Stream, South Bog Stream, Bemis Stream, Mosquito Brook, Upper Dam Pool, Mill Brook and Metalluc Brook.
3. Opening Cupsuptic Stream to fly fishing only from the time the ice is out until September 30th from the pier at the mouth of the stream to "Big Falls" except that the stream shall be closed to all fishing from the foot of "Little Falls" to the dam at the head of "Little Falls".

4. Closing Richardson Lakes, Upper and Lower to all fishing after October 1st.

5. Making it unlawful for any person to take, catch, or kill more than 3 fish in any one day at Upper Dam Pool between Mooselucmeguntic Lake and Upper Richardson Lake, except that from September 15th to September 30th both days inclusive, the daily limit shall be 1 trout or salmon per day.

6. Making it unlawful for any person to fish South Bog Stream except by fly fishing from the time the ice is out until September 15th each year.

7. Reducing the bag limit on Long Pond in Sandy River Plt., to 6 fish per person per day.

8. Opening Rangeley Lake and tributaries to the taking of smelts for 2 years with a daily bag limit of not more than 10 quarts per person per day.