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House of Representatives, February 13, 1951.

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Dennison of East Machias.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-ONE

**AN ACT Relating to the Protection of Alewives in East Machias River in
the Town of East Machias.**

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

Protection of alewives in town of East Machias. No person shall take, catch or kill any alewives in the East Machias river in the town of East Machias, Washington county, except on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 7 A. M. to 8 P. M., beginning the 1st day of May and ending the 1st day of July. This right shall apply to the residents of East Machias only. One person shall own only 1 fish stand at a time. Fish stands shall not exceed 18 feet in length and they shall be at least 10 feet apart. No breakwater shall exceed 3 feet. There shall be a channel of at least 25 feet running between stands and no rock walls or other obstacles shall be allowed in said channel. Weirs may be attended at any time between 7 A. M. on Mondays to 8 P. M. on Wednesdays.

Any person violating the provisions of this chapter shall be punished by a fine of \$50.