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House of Representatives, March 5, 1957.

Referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Hathaway of Columbia Falls.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Prohibiting Certain Implements and Devices in Certain Waters in Washington County.

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

R. S., c. 37, § 52-A, additional. Chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 52-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 52-A. Implements and devices in Washington county waters. Between the first day of May and the first day of December, inclusive, of each year, it shall be unlawful to set or use any device such as fish spawn, grapnel, spear, trawl, weir, gaff, seine, gill net, trap or set line on the waters of the Pleasant river and its tributaries in Columbia Falls and Addison, in Washington county, above Maine River Bridge, so called, in said Addison, and during such closed period no person shall have in his possession any grapnel, trawl, weir, seine, gill net, trap or set line on the waters of the Pleasant river or its tributaries within the above described boundaries. This section shall not apply to the taking of alewives from said waters as authorized by the general law or by vote of the town of Columbia Falls. Any equipment used in violation of this section shall be confiscated by the Commissioner, after final adjudication of any charge brought under this section.'