

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE LEGISLATURE,

*AT THEIR SESSIONS,*

HELD IN

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## CHAPTER LXXVII.

AN ACT to prevent the destruction of Trout or Pickerel in Sebago Pond in the County of Cumberland.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That if any person or persons in the night time at any season of the year, shall spear or take with a spear, any Trout or Pickerel in Sebago Pond, or in any of the streams or rivers emptying into or issuing out of said pond, or in any of the waters connected with it; he or they shall forfeit and pay a fine of one dollar for each and every fish so taken or speared.

Penalty of 1 dollar for each trout or pickerel taken with a spear in the night time in the pond or streams.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That if any person or persons shall set eel pots, fish pots or nets or erect any wears in said pond, or in any of the rivers, streams of waters connected with it as aforesaid, for the purpose of taking said fish, or obstructing their passage in said waters, he or they shall forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for each and every offence.

Penalty of 5 dollars for setting eel pots, nets, &c.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That it shall be lawful for any person or persons who shall find any of the obstructions mentioned in the foregoing section, placed or erected in said pond or its waters aforesaid, to take up, pull down, demolish and destroy the same and shall not be liable to an action of trespass for so doing. And all penalties and forfeitures arising by force and virtue of this act, shall be recovered by action of debt or information in any court proper to try the same; one moiety thereof for the use of the State, and the other moiety to him or them who shall inform or sue for the same.

Any person may destroy nets, &c.

Penalties to share one half to the state and one half to the informer.

[*This Act passed March 17, 1821.*]

## CHAPTER LXXVIII.

AN ACT to divide the town of North-Yarmouth, and incorporate the westerly part thereof into a town by the name of Cumberland.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That all that part of the town of North-Yarmouth, in the county of Cumberland, lying southwestwardly of the following line, viz: beginning at the sea shore on the dividing line between the farms of Alexander Barr and Reuben Loring; thence northwesterly to the easterly corner of the one hundred and twenty acre lot numbered one, in the one hundred and twenty acre division,

Bounds of the town of Cumberland.