

PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

FIFTH LEGISLATURE

AT ITS SESSION, HELD IN JANUARY, 1825.

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CHAPTER CCCVI.

AN ACT respecting the Fisheries in the Counties of Lincoln and Cumberland.

SECT. 1. BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That the first section of an act of the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, passed the first day of March, in the year of our Lord one Ist section of Mas- thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, entitled sachusetts re- "An Act for the preservation of the fish called Salmon, Shad and Alewives, in the rivers, streams and waters within the counties of Lincoln and Cumberland, and for repealing all other laws heretofore made for that purpose, so far as respects their operation in said counties," which said act is still in force, in certain parts of said counties, so far as relates to the rivers, streams and waters, within the towns of Union and Hope, in the county of Lincoln, be, and the same is hereby repealed. Provided however, That if a majority of the inhabitants of either of said towns, at their annual meeting, in March or April, shall decide by their votes, that any passage or sluice way shall be opened, in their respective towns, as provided in said section, the same shall be in force, for that year, so far as relates to the particular passage or sluice way so decided upon.

Be it further enacted, That the tenth Sect. 2. 10th section of same act re-section of the act aforesaid, be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as relates to the towns of Union and Hope aforesaid : Provided, That the said towns may, at their annual meeting, in March or April. choose Fish wardens, agreeably to the provisions of said section, whose duties, as defined in the eleventh section of said act, shall extend only to such places for passages and sluice-ways, as shall have been decided upon in the manner provided by this act.

This Act passed February 15, 1825.]

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