

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

EXTRA SESSION OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 1853,

AND THE

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1854.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1854.

CHAP. 306. shall have all the privileges and be subject to all the duties and liabilities of corporations as defined by the laws of this state.

First meeting. **SECT. 3.** The first meeting of the corporation may be called by any two of the corporators in such manner as they may think proper.

[Approved April 6, 1854.]

Chapter 306.

An act to prevent the destruction of pickerel in Taylor pond.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Pickerel,
destruction of
prohibited.

SECT. 1. If any person shall at any time within three years take from or destroy any pickerel in Taylor pond or brook in the town of Auburn, or any stream emptying into the same, he shall forfeit and pay a fine of one dollar for each and every pickerel so taken or destroyed. Said fine to be recovered by an action of debt for the use of any person who may sue for the same.

Penalty for
violation.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved April 6, 1854.]

Chapter 307.

An act to amend "An act authorizing John O'Donald to build and maintain a fish weir in tide waters," approved March twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred fifty-three.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. The first section of said act is hereby amended by striking out so much thereof as is contained between the word from in the seventh line and the word thence in the eleventh line, and inserting the following: A. Yearsley's northeast corner, John O'Donald's northwest corner, on E. Lawrence's south line, at the head of Resolution dock, so called, on a plan and survey of Seward neck by Solomon Cushing, May fourth, seventeen hundred ninety-five, south twenty-five degrees east, so that the same when amended shall read as follows:

SECT. 1. John O'Donald, of Lubec, is hereby authorized to build and maintain a fish weir in tide waters in Johnson's Bay, so called, in Lubec, in front of his own land and within the limits herein described, as follows: Beginning at the southeast point of his land and on the southwest side of said point, thence running south by west until it shall intersect a line extended from A. Yearsley's northeast corner, John O'Donald's northwest corner, on E. Lawrence's south line, at the head of Resolution dock, so called, on a plan and survey of Seward neck by Solomon Cushing, May fourth, seventeen hundred ninety-five, south twenty-five degrees east; thence on said intersected line westerly to the shore; thence by the shore of said O'Donald's land to the place of beginning.

CHAP. 308.

Fish weir, limits of, defined.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved April 6, 1854.]

Chapter 308.

An act to prevent the destruction of pickerel in North pond, South pond and Round pond in the county of Oxford.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. If any person or persons at any time, in any season of the year from the fifteenth of November in each year to the fifteenth of April following, shall spear or take in any manner any pickerel in North pond, South pond or Round pond, in the county of Oxford, or in so much of their tributary streams as are located in the towns of Greenwood, Woodstock or Hamlin's Grant, he or they shall forfeit and pay for each and every pickerel so speared or taken, a fine of one dollar, to be sued for and recovered in an action of debt, before any court of competent jurisdiction, one half thereof to the use of the town where the offense shall be committed and the other half to the use of the person who shall sue for the same.

Pickerel, destruction of, prohibited.

Penalty for violation.

SECT. 2. This act shall be in force and take effect from and after its approval by the governor, and remain in force ten years.

[Approved April 6, 1854.]