

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1880.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1880.

Act to prevent the taking of fish from Dexter pond, in the county of Penobscot, for the term of three years," is hereby repealed. CHAP. 208

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 13, 1880.

Chapter 208.

An act to prevent the destruction of Smelts and Eels in Salt Pond and its tributaries, in the towns of Bluehill, Sedgwick and Brooklin.

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

SECT. 1. All persons are forbidden to take any smelts in the Salt Pond in the towns of Bluehill, Sedgwick and Brooklin, Hancock county, in any other manner than by hook and line. *Taking of smelts restricted.

SECT. 2. All persons are forbidden to take any eels in the stream at Thurston's Mills, on the line between Sedgwick and Brooklin, county of Hancock, in traps or seines, or in any other manner than with spear or gaft, or hook and line. Taking of eels restricted.

SECT. 3. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one dollar for each fish so caught, and forfeiture of all traps and seines so used, to be recovered by complaint before any trial justice in said county, one-half to the use of complainant, and the other half to the use of the town in which such complaint shall be made. Penalty for violation.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 13, 1880.

Chapter 209.

An act to authorize the inhabitants of the Town of Caribou to build and maintain Piers and Booms, for the Protection of the Bridge over the Aroostook River in said town.

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

SECT. 1. The inhabitants of the town of Caribou, in the county of Aroostook, are hereby authorized and empowered to build and forever maintain all necessary piers, to guard Piers and booms to protect bridge, authorized.

CHAP. 210 and protect the bridge now built across said river, in said town, or any other bridge hereafter built in the same locality, and attach to said piers, and to the shore on either side of said river, booms, so as to effectually protect said bridge from injury and damage, by reason of the floating of logs and lumber down said stream, also to prevent logs and lumber from lodging against said bridge, and they may do any and all other acts necessary to protect the abutments and piers of said bridge from gullyng and washouts; *provided, however,* that the said river shall not thereby be unreasonably obstructed, or its free use prevented for the running of logs and lumber at all times.

River not to be obstructed.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 13, 1880.

Chapter 210.

An Act to amend An Act entitled "An Act to amend 'An Act for supplying the City of Bangor with Water,' approved February twenty-two, eighteen hundred and seventy-five," approved February eleven, eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

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

Sec. 2, ch. 260, special laws 1876, amended.

Section two of chapter two hundred sixty of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, entitled "An Act to amend An Act entitled 'An Act for supplying the city of Bangor with water,' approved February twenty-two, eighteen hundred and seventy-five," approved February eleven, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, is hereby amended by inserting in the thirty-third line of said section, after the word "act," the following words: 'upon application of one hundred or more tax payers, in the town of Brewer, to be supplied with water, said city may lay and maintain aqueducts or pipes over, under, and across the Penobscot river, above the Bangor toll bridge, for conducting, discharging, and distributing water in said town of Brewer, and secure the same by any works suitable therefor; and may do any and all other acts in said town, necessary to be done to this end, which said city is authorized by this act to do in the city of Bangor, and subject to the same liabilities therefor, so that said section as amended shall read as follows: