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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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CHAP. 168 in the county where such game or parts thereof, fish or shell fish are found, against the shipper or the person, having the same in possession, and together with all forfeitures shall be paid into the treasury of the county where the complaint is made, indictment found, or action brought.'

Shall not affect pending actions.

SECT. 3. This act shall not affect actions, complaints or indictments now pending.

Approved March 27, 1895.

Chapter 168.

An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to establish a Bounty on Seals."

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

Sec. 1, ch. 139, Public Laws of 1891, amended.

SECT. 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and thirty-nine of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, is hereby amended by striking out in the first line the words "fifty cents," and substituting the words 'one dollar,' and in the second line by striking out the words "Penobscot river and bay," and substituting the words 'this state,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

bounty on seals, established.

'SECT. 1. A bounty of one dollar for each and every seal killed in the waters of this state shall be paid by the treasurer of the town in which such seal is killed, to the person exhibiting to said treasurer the nose of such seal within thirty days after said seal was killed. Such treasurer shall destroy it and shall then proceed as in sections six and seven of chapter thirty of the revised statutes.'

Sec. 2, amended.

SECT. 2. Section two of said chapter is hereby amended by striking out said section and substituting in place thereof the following :

How carcasses shall be disposed of.

'SECT. 2. The carcasses of such seals when destroyed shall not be left derelict in any waters of the state, but shall be removed therefrom and properly disposed of by the person destroying them ; provided, however, that it shall be unlawful during the months of June, July and August to destroy seal in the waters of Casco bay by shooting with rifle or other long range weapon, which might endanger human life, under a penalty for a violation of either of the provisions of this

Unlawful to use long range rifles, in months of June, July and August.

section, of fifty dollars, to be recovered upon complaint or indictment before any court of competent jurisdiction.'

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—penalty.

SECT. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts, repealed.

Approved March 27, 1895.

Chapter 169.

An Act for the Protection of Dairymen.

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

SECT. 1. All bottles, pipetts or other measuring glasses used by any person, firm or corporation, or their agents or employes, at any creamery, butter factory, cheese factory or condensed milk factory, or elsewhere in this state, in determining by the Babcock test, or by any other test, the value of milk or cream received from different persons or parties at such creameries or factories, shall before such use be tested for accuracy of measurement and for accuracy of the per cent scale marked thereon. Such bottles, pipetts or measuring glasses shall bear in marks or characters ineffaceable the evidence that such test has been made by the authority named in section two of this act. And no inaccurate bottles, pipetts or other glasses shall bear such marks or characters.

Bottles and glasses used to measure milk or cream shall be tested for accuracy, and marked.

—shall bear evidence that test has been made.

SECT. 2. It is hereby made the duty of the director of the state college experiment station, or other competent person designated by him, to test the accuracy of all bottles, pipetts or other measuring glasses used by persons, firms or corporations in this state buying or pooling milk or cream, or apportioning butter or cheese made from the same, by the contents of butter fat contained therein. The director of the experiment station, or the person designated by him, shall mark such bottles, pipetts or other measuring glasses as are found correct, in marks or characters which cannot be erased, and which marks or characters shall stand as proof that they have been so tested. The director of the experiment station shall receive for such service the actual cost incurred, and no more, the same to be paid by the persons or corporations for whom it is done.

Duty of director of state college experiment station, to test all bottles, etc.

—shall mark all bottles, etc. found correct.

—compensation.