

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1901.

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Section 4. Said sheriff shall procure all necessary food and provisions for the support of the prisoners confined in the jail in said county; employ a suitable person or persons to prepare the food for the prisoners and to serve the same at the expense of the county. All bills for such food and provisions and for the preparation and service of the same shall be audited and allowed by the county commissioners and paid from the county treasury monthly. Said sheriff shall from time to time consult with the county commissioners as to the quantity, kinds and quality of foods and provisions necessary and proper to be procured.

Shall procure food for prisoners.
—employ cook.

—all bills shall be audited by county commissioners.

—shall consult with commissioners as to food purchased.

Section 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

Section 6. This act shall take effect on the first day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and one.

When act shall take effect.

Approved March 22, 1901.

Chapter 270.

An Act for the Further Protection of Fish Weirs.

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

Section 1. From and after the time when this act takes effect it shall be unlawful to use any purse or drag seine within a distance of one-half of a nautical mile from any fish weir in any of the waters of this state east of White Head on the west shore of Penobscot river, under a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars for each offense for such unlawful fishing, to be recovered and applied as provided in section forty-eight of chapter two hundred and eighty-five of the public laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven; but purse and drag seines may be used for the taking of smelts and for the purpose of taking fish in weirs.

Unlawful to drag seine within half mile of any fish weir east of White Head.

—penalty for violation and how recovered.

—use of seines, lawful in certain cases.

Section 2. This act shall not be construed to permit the use of purse or drag seines in any water in which their use is now prohibited by special or general law.

Act does not permit use where prohibited by special or general law.

Approved March 22, 1901.