

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1901.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Section 2. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense.

Approved March 1, 1901.

Chapter 300.

An Act prohibiting the taking of Shell Fish from the shores and flats of Little Whaleboat Island in the Town of Harpswell.

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

Section 1. No person shall, between the date of the approval of this act and the first day of July, nineteen hundred and six, take, dig, or in any manner destroy, or interfere with the growth of any shell fish in or upon the shores or flats of Little Whaleboat island, in the town of Harpswell, under a penalty of not less than ten dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars for each and every violation of the provisions of this section.

Close time for shell fish till 1906, established in Harpswell.

—penalty for violation.

Section 2. The shores and flats of said island shall, at all times during the period mentioned in the preceding section, be at the disposal of the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries, and of the United States commissioner of fisheries, for the purposes and uses expressed in section thirty-eight of chapter forty-two of the public laws, approved on the eighth day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine.

Shores and flats under jurisdiction of state and United States commissioner of fisheries.

Section 3. The owners of said shores and flats, or said commissioners, shall cause public notice of the provisions of this act to be published for three successive weeks in some public newspaper published in the county of Cumberland, and also by posting copies of this act in conspicuous places near said shores and flats.

Public notice of this act shall be given by owners of shores.

Section 4. The penalty provided for in section one may be recovered by complaint, indictment, or action of debt in the name of the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries, or his successor in said office, and all fines and penalties recovered under this act, shall be paid to the state treasurer, and added to the appropriation for sea and shore fisheries.

Penalty for violation.

Section 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 1, 1901.