

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 326**Chapter 326.**

An Act pertaining to ice fishing and to close certain tributaries to certain Lakes and Ponds in Oxford County.

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

Fishing through the ice with more than five lines, by one family in certain waters prohibited.

Section 1. It shall be lawful for citizens of this state to fish through the ice, in the day time, with not more than five set lines to a family, and when under the immediate personal control of the person fishing, and to catch not exceeding twenty pounds or one fish in any one day, and convey the same to their own homes for consumption therein but not otherwise, in the following named lakes and ponds situated wholly or partly in Oxford county, namely: North and Bird ponds in the town of Norway, the Five Kezar's, Moose, Bear, Long, Two Speck, Papoose, and McWain ponds in the town of Waterford, Kneeland, Burnt Land, Songo, and Crooker ponds in the town of Albany, Proctor pond in the towns of Albany and Stoneham, Upper Stowe, and Horse Shoe ponds in the towns of Stoneham, Bradley, Dresser, Farrington, and Slab City ponds in the town of Lovell, Moose, Beaver, Long, Grandeur and Little Ponds in the town of Denmark, Lower Kezar, Lovewell's, Clay, Haley, Charles, Pleasant, Lower Kimball and Bog ponds lying wholly or partly in the town of Fryeburg, Rattle Snake and Burnt Meadow ponds in the town of Brownfield, Moose and Mud ponds in the town of Paris, Indian, Round and Twitchell ponds in the town of Greenwood, Hogan and Whitney, ponds in Oxford, the two Clemons ponds, Middle, Barker and South East ponds in Hiram, Bungamuck pond in Hartford, Keyes and Stearns ponds in Sweden, Bickford, Long and Colcord ponds in Porter, and North pond in Greenwood and Woodstock.

Close time for fish in certain waters in Oxford county established.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful to fish for, take, catch or kill any fish at any time in any of the streams which are tributary to Penneeseewassee lake in Norway, or Great and Cold brooks, tributaries to Upper Kezar pond, in Lovell, and the tributaries to Great and Cold brooks, and the tributaries of Upper and Lower Stowe ponds in Stoneham.

Open time for fishing shall begin when the ice is out.

Section 3. The open time for fishing in all the lakes in Oxford county shall begin as soon as the ice is out of said lakes in the spring instead of on the first day of May as now provided by law.

Penalty for violation.

Section 4. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be subject to the same penalties as are provided in the general law for illegal fishing.

Section 5. All acts or parts of acts, inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

CHAP. 327
 Inconsistent
 acts repealed.

Approved March 8, 1901.

Chapter 327.

An Act to amend the charter of the Portland Gas Light Company.

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

The Portland Gas Light Company is hereby authorized and empowered, in addition to powers conferred upon it by its charter and the purposes therein defined, to manufacture, furnish, distribute and sell gas within the limits of the city, of Portland for power, cooking, heating and all purposes for which gas may properly be used. This act shall not be construed as giving to said company exclusive rights in territory where it does not now have such rights under its charter.

Company
 authorized
 to furnish
 power for
 cooking, etc.

—shall not
 have exclu-
 sive rights.

Approved March 8, 1901.

Chapter 328.

An Act to prevent ice fishing in Little Sebago Pond in the towns of Gray and Windham.

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

It shall be unlawful to fish for, take, catch or kill in any way any fish in Little Sebago pond, in the towns of Gray and Windham, from October first to June fifteenth of each year, under a penalty of not more than thirty dollars nor less than ten dollars for each offense and one dollar additional for each fish caught, taken or killed in violation of this act.

Close time
 for fish in
 Little Sebago
 pond between
 October 1 and
 June 15
 annually.

—penalty.

Approved March 8, 1901.