

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1909

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-fourth
Legislature

1909

Chapter 323.

An Act to amend Chapter two hundred and sixty-four of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five, relating to fishing in Thompson pond.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Chapter two hundred and sixty-four of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five is hereby amended by striking out all of said chapter and substituting therefor the following:

'Section 1. There shall be an annual close time on Thompson pond, situated in the counties of Oxford, Cumberland and Androscoggin, from September first to January first of the following year, during which time it shall be unlawful to take, catch or kill any kind of fish except black bass. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be subject to the same penalty as is provided in the general law of the state for the illegal fishing for and catching of trout and land-locked salmon.

'Section 2. In all prosecutions arising under this act, municipal and police courts and trial justices, within their respective counties, shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent jurisdiction with the supreme judicial and superior courts, and all fines, penalties and forfeitures received by any person for any violation of this act, shall be paid forthwith by the person receiving the same to the state treasurer, to be credited to fines and license fees for the protection of birds and game.'

Chapter
264, special
laws, 1905,
amended.

Fishing in
Thompson
pond, to
regulate.

—penalty.

Jurisdic-
tion of
courts.

—fines,
how dis-
posed of.

Approved March 26, 1909.

Chapter 324.

An Act to prohibit the taking of scallops in West Penobscot Bay from April first to October first of each year.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Whereas, the scallop beds of Penobscot bay are in grave danger of being exhausted and destroyed by a continuous open time during the coming season, and the public health, peace and safety will be conserved by their immediate protection, be it therefore enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. No person shall take, catch, kill or destroy any scallop, or scallops in the waters of Penobscot bay or its tributaries, from April first to October first of each year, west of a line drawn from Cape Rosier to the north point of North Haven, and following the northwest shore of said North

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