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BROWN-FISH HATCHERIES.

Снар. 27

Philinda A. Brown, in favor of pension for. Chapter 27.

Resolve, in Favor of Philinda A. Brown of Topsfield.

Resolved, That a pension of ten dollars per month be allowed Philinda A. Brown, of Topsfield, Washington County, Maine, deserted widow of Moses E. Brown of Co. H. of the Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry, beginning with the first day of January, nineteen hundred and thirteen, and continuing during the pleasure of the Legislature and until otherwise ordered.

Approved February 14, 1913.

Chapter 28.

Resolve, in Favor of Preserving the Life of the Fish in the Several Fish Hatcheries and for the Temporary Operation of the Hatcheries and Feeding Stations for Fish in This State and for the Protection of Fish, Game and Birds.

Resolved, whereas the State of Maine has in operation ten fish hatcheries and feeding stations for fish, in the various parts of the state, in which there are approximately three hundred thousand live fish to be fed and raised for the purpose of stocking the lakes and ponds of the state, which fish have to be fed daily and help employed to feed and take proper care of them,

And whereas, there are approximately five millions of fish eggs in these hatcheries which are hatching and which require proper care and attention,

And whereas, in order to protect the fish, game and birds of the state a force of wardens must be employed,

And whereas, there is no provision by law by which the state can protect this large and valuable property, no funds being available for this purpose,

And whereas, by reason of the foregoing facts the appropriation called for in this resolve is exceedingly necessary for the purpose of the public health and safety, and in the opinion of this Legislature constitutes an emergency, as contemplated by the Constitution,

Resolved, that there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, to be expended by the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game, under the direction of the Governor and Council, for the temporary operation of the fish hatcheries and feeding stations and for the protection of fish, game and birds.

In view of the emergency set forth in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 14, 1913.

Fish hatcheries, in favor of operation of.

-fish, eggs, care of.

←wardens.

----appropriation necessary.

emergency preamble.

---Commissioners authorized to expend \$25,000.

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