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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-second Legislature

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STATE OF MAINE

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river, Denny's bay and tributaries, established; exceptions. No smelts shall be caught, taken or fished for between the first day of April and the first day of September in each year in the waters of Cobscook river, Cobscook Bay, Orange river, Denny's river or any of the bays, coves or tributaries of the same, but the catching, taking or fishing for smelts by nets in said waters during the month of September shall not be deemed illegal. Nothing in this act shall apply to smelts taken in fish weirs or traps maintained and operated for the catching of sardines and herring.

- Sec. 2. Penalty. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall pay a fine of one hundred dollars for each offense.
- Sec. 3. Inconsistent acts repealed. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, so far as the same relate to this act, are repealed.

Approved March 25, 1925.

Chapter 43.

An Act Relating to the Taking of Clams in Steuben.

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

- Sec. 1. Limited to residents. It shall be unlawful for any person not a resident of the town of Steuben, in the county of Washington, to dig clams for commercial purposes within the limits of said town.
- Sec. 2. Non-residents may dig for bait or home consumption; limit one bushel. Persons not residents of the town of Steuben may be permitted to dig for clams for fish bait or home consumption within the limits of said town; provided, however, that no person shall dig for purposes mentioned in this section during any one day more than one bushel of clams.
- Sec. 3. Penalty for violation of act. Whoever violates the provisions of sections one and two of this act shall for each offense be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

Approved March 25, 1925.

Chapter 44.

An Act to Prohibit the Building of Smelt Traps in the Waters of Harrington River, in Washington County.

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

Sec. 1. Smelt traps prohibited in Harrington river; smelt fishing regulated; open time enlarged. The building of smelt traps in the waters of

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Harrington river, Washington county, or fishing in any other way in said river for smelts except by using the regular seine, the smelt net without wings or with hook and line is unlawful; in addition to the time already provided by the general law, it shall also be lawful to so fish for and catch smelts in said river, between April one and April fifteenth, and such may be sold and shipped from the state.

- Sec. 2. Penalty. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be subject to a penalty of not less than twenty dollars, nor more than forty dollars and costs for each offense.
- Sec. 3. Inconsistent acts repealed. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith so far as the same relate to the subject matter of this act, are hereby repealed.

Approved March 25, 1925.

Chapter 45.

An Act to Extend the Charter Granted to the Salisbury Cove Water Company, for the Taking of Water from Lake Wood, and Furnishing Water to the Village of Salisbury Cove, for Two Years.

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

- Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1915, c. 49, as amended; charter extended. The act of incorporation of the Salisbury Cove Water Company, being chapter forty-nine of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and fifteen, and extended for two years under chapter eighteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, and extended for two years under chapter thirty-five of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, and extended for two years under chapter seventy-three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-one, and extended for two years under chapter nineteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-three, is hereby further extended for two years from the date when this law becomes effective, with the same force and effect in all respects as if said incorporation were hereby granted.
- Sec. 2. Existing statutes not affected; rights conferred subject to R. S., c. 55. Nothing herein contained is intended to repeal, or shall be construed as repealing, the whole or any part of any existing statute, and all rights and duties herein mentioned shall be exercised and performed in accordance with all the applicable provisions of chapter fifty-five of the revised statutes and acts amendatory thereof or additional thereto.

Approved March 25, 1925.