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Sec. 4. Inconsistent acts repealed. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Approved April 15, 1927.

Chapter 180.

An Act Reducing the Fishing License Fee for Non-Residents and Relating to Ice Fishing by Non-Residents.

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

P. L., 1917, c. 66, sec. 1; relating to non-resident fishing licenses, amended. Section one of chapter sixty-six of the public laws of nine-teen hundred and seventeen, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out all of said section, and by substituting therefor the following section:

'Sec. 1. License fee increased to \$3.15. Ice fishing license \$2.15. Persons not bona fide residents of the state, and not actually domiciled therein, except children under fourteen years of age, shall not fish for, take, catch or kill any kind of fish at any time in any of the inland waters of the state, or have the same or any part thereof in possession, without first having procured a license therefor as hereinafter provided. Such licenses shall be of such form and style as may be prescribed by commissioner of inland fisheries and game, and shall be issued by town clerks and other agents appointed by said commissioner, under such regulations as may be established by said commissioner and payment of a fee of three dollars and fifteen cents.

Provided, further, that the commissioner of inland fisheries and game may, upon payment of a fee of two dollars and fifteen cents by a nonresident of this state for a special ice fishing license, issue to such applicant a special license authorizing him to fish through the ice for landlocked salmon, trout, togue, black bass and white perch in waters open to ice fishing, in accordance with the general law of the state, such license to expire with the calendar year in which issued.'

Approved April 15, 1927.

Chapter 181.

An Act Relating to Ice Fishing in Cochnewagon Pond, in Kennebec County. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. I. Ice fishing in Cochnewagon pond, regulated. It shall be unlaw-

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ful for any person to fish for, take, catch or kill, at any time, any kind of fish on or through the ice in Cochnewagon Pond, which pond is situated in the town of Monmouth, in the county of Kennebec, except it shall be lawful to fish in said pond through the ice for pickerel and white perch, with not more than five set lines to a family, in the day time, when under the immediate personal supervision of the person fishing, on Saturday of each week, during February and March of each year.

Sec. 2. Daily limit established. It shall also be unlawful for any person or family to take, catch or kill in said pond more than fifteen pounds of pickerel and white perch in all, in any one day, while fishing through the ice, or to have in possession in any one day more than fifteen pounds of pickerel and white perch in all so taken in said pond.

Sec. 3. Penalties. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be subject to a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than thirty dollars and costs for each offense, and one dollar additional for each fish taken, caught, killed or had in possession in violation of any provision of this act.

Sec. 4. Jurisdiction of offenses granted to trial justices, police and municipal courts. In all prosecutions arising under this act, trial justices, police and municipal courts within their counties shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent jurisdiction with the supreme judicial court, and superior courts.

Sec. 5. Inconsistent regulations repealed. So much of the existing rules and regulations of the department of inland fisheries and game, relating to ice fishing in said Cochnewagon pond, as is inconsistent with the provisions of this act is hereby repealed.

Approved April 15, 1927.

Chapter 182.

An Act Relating to Fishing in the Tributaries to Upper Shin Pond and in the Tributaries to Seboeis River, in the County of Penobscot. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

P. L., 1925, c. 71, sec. 1; in part repealed; fishing in tributaries to Upper Shin pond and to Seboeis river regulated. So much of section one of chapter seventy-one of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-five as prohibits fishing in the tributaries to Upper Shin pond and in the tributaries to Seboeis river, in the county of Penobscot, from August fifteenth of each year to September fifteenth following, both days inclusive, in accordance with the general law of the state, is hereby repealed.

Approved April 15, 1927.