

CHAPTER 349.

[H. F. No. 360].

AN ACT REGULATING THE CATCHING OF FISH IN LAKE SIGEL,
LYON COUNTY:

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That no person shall at any time take, catch, or kill any fish of any kind in the waters of that lake, situated in sections numbered thirty-four (34), and thirty-five (35), township number one hundred and nine (109) north, of range number forty (40) west of the fifth (5th) meridian, Lyon county, state of Minnesota, and commonly called Lake Sigel, in any other manner than by angling for them with a hook and line. And no person shall, at any time, put into the waters of said lake any fish berries or any deleterious substance whatever with the intent to kill or take fish.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons offending against the provisions of this act shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than five (5) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100) and shall forfeit all fish in his or their possession, and shall forfeit any device or implement or substance used in the commission of the offense, together with the costs of prosecution.

SEC. 3. All prosecutions for the violation of this act shall be commenced and prosecuted in the same manner as other criminal actions before justices of the peace.

SEC. 4. The person making complaint under the provisions of this act shall receive one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the fine imposed in case of conviction the balance of the fine shall be disposed of in the manner provided for the disposal of fines in the justice court.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 2, 1887.

CHAPTER 350.

[H. F. No. 360.]

AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT TO PREVENT THE DESTRUCTION OF
FISH IN THE WATERS OF LAKE PEPIN, IN THE COUNTIES OF
GOODHUE AND WABASHA, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful, at any time, to take, catch or kill any pike, pickerel, bass or other fish, except minnows for bait, in the lake known as Lake Pepin, or within one (1) mile from its

head and within one (1) mile from its foot, in the counties of Goodhue and Wabasha, and state of Minnesota, except by angling with a hook and line.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons who shall net, seine, snare or impound any fish within the above prescribed limits, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a fine of not less than five (5) nor more than fifty (50) dollars for each and every offense, and the confiscation and destruction of all fish, and unlawful apparatus found in his or their possession.

SEC. 3. All prosecutions under the provisions of this act shall be commenced by complaint, under oath, within thirty (30) days from the time the offense was committed, and all fines collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) to the complainant, and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) into the common school fund of the county in which the offense was committed.

SEC. 4. Suits may be commenced and prosecuted by any person, under oath, having knowledge of the violation of this act, before any justice of the peace of the county wherein such offense was committed, and it shall be the duty of the county attorney of the county wherein the suit is commenced, to prosecute each suit.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 2, 1887.

CHAPTER 351.

[S. F. No. 525.]

AN ACT TO REGULATE THE CATCHING OF FISH IN LAKE ANN, IN THE TOWN OF VICTOR, IN THE COUNTY OF WRIGHT.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, kill or destroy any fish in any manner whatever in Lake Ann, in the town of Victor, in the county of Wright, or in any inlet or outlet of said lake within one mile from said lake except with hook and line.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons who shall violate the provisions of the preceding section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than two dollars (\$2) nor more than twenty dollars (\$20), together with the costs of prosecution, and to be committed to the county jail until such fine and costs are paid; *provided*, that no such commitment shall be for more than the term of twenty (20) days.

SEC. 3. All prosecutions under the provisions of this act shall be