CHAPTER 156.

AN ACT TO PRESERVE THE FISH IN LAKE WASHINGTON, IN LE SUEUR COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That if any person or persons shall spear, net, or in any manner take or catch any fish in Lake Washington, in Le Sueur county, in said State, or from any or either of the outlets or inlets of said lake, between the first (1st) day of December and the first (1st) day of April of each and every year, such person or persons shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in the sum of two dollars (\$2) for each and every fish so speared, netted, or in any manner taken or caught as aforesaid therefrom, and such person or persons shall stand committed to the county jail of said county until such fine be paid.

SEC. 2. That all prosecutions under this act shall be commenced within one year from the time of the commission of any offense thereunder, and not afterwards. And the same shall be upon complaint, under oath, before any justice of the peace in said county. And all fines imposed and collected under this act shall be paid into the treasury of said county, for the use of the common schools therein.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 16, 1877.

CHAPTER 157.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE FISHING WITH NETS IN LAKE WHIPPLE AND PELICAN LAKE, POPE COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That it shall be lawful for any person, at all times, to catch fish with nets, in which the meshes are not less than two (2) inches across, in Lake Whipple and Pelican Lake, Pope county. SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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