to his knowledge that such offense has been committed, shall forfeit and pay a fine of twenty-five dollars (\$25) and the costs of prosecution. Any other person may make such complaint.

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

its passage.

Approved February 25, 1887.

## CHAPTER 353.

[H. F. No. 178.]

AN ACT TO PREVENT THE DESTRUCTION OF FISH IN LE SUEUR COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

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

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, to catch, kill or destroy, any fish in any manner whatever, in any of the lakes or in any of the inlets or outlets within the boundaries of Le Sueur county, Minnesota, between the first (1st) day of March and the first (1st) day of May in any year, and after the said first (1st) day of May it shall be lawful to take fish from any of the lskes or their inlets or outlets in Le Sueur county, only with hook and line, and during the months of January and February with spear through the ice.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons violating any of 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 five (5) dollars nor more than twenty-five (25) dollars and costs of prosecution.

SEC. 3. It is hereby made the duty of supervisors and constables of towns, also the trustees and marshals of incorporated villages, and all others residing or being within said county, having knowledge of the violations of any of the provisions of this act, to make complaint thereof to any justice of the peace within the county aforesaid; and said justice shall, upon such complaint being made, issue his warrant for the arrest of the offender, and shall, upon the arrest of such offender and the return of such warrant, proceed to hear and determine the matter in issue in the same manner as in other cases, and every person convicted of the violation of the provisions of this act, shall stand committed until such fine is paid; *Provided*, That such imprisonment shall not exceed thirty (30) days.

Sec. 4. All fines imposed and collected under this act shall be paid into the treasury of Le Sueur county, to be expended on the

roads and bridges in said county.

Sec. 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act in so far as relates to Le Sueur county is concerned, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 5, 1887.

## CHAPTER 354.

[H. F. No. 577.]

AN ACT TO PRESCRIBE THE MANNER OF CATCHING FISH IN OTTER TAIL COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. No person shall at any time take, catch or kill any fish of any kind, except sturgeon, from any of the waters of the county of Otter Tail, in this state, in any other manner than by angling for them with a hook and line.

SEC. 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction therefor shall be fined not less than ten dollars (\$10) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50) for each and every offense.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the chairman of the board of supervisors of each and every town in said county to prosecute all offenses

arising in his town under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 4. All prosecutions for offenses under this act shall, except as hereinbefore otherwise provided, conform to the provisions of the general statutes of this state.

SEC. 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby

repealed.

Sec. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved Feb. 21, 1887.