

Fees for issuing licenses.

Monthly accounting by agents.

Treasurer not liable for agents' collections.

Effective Jan. 1, 1924.

urer shall receive for their services fifty (50) cents for each resident fisherman's license so issued, and a fee of seventy-five (75) cents for each non-resident fisherman's license so issued. The commissioners or other agents of the Treasurer shall monthly transmit to the Treasurer all fees so collected by them together with a full account of the same.

The Treasurer shall not be liable for the defalcation or failure to account for the fees so collected by any commissioner or other agent so appointed.

Section 11. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of January, 1924.

Approved May 4, 1923.

CHAPTER 95.

AN ACT

[H. B. 49]

To supplement the fish laws of the United States applicable to Alaska; to conserve the salmon supply of Alaska; to provide for closed seasons for salmon fishing, and for other purposes, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful to take or fish for salmon for commercial purposes, except by trollers, in the waters of Alaska between the 57th and 60th degrees of north latitude and east of 139th meridian west longitude from the tenth day of August to the first day of September in each year.

Two closed salmon seasons in Alaska, except for trollers, dates depending on location.

Section 2. That it shall be unlawful to take or fish for salmon for commercial purposes, except by trollers, in the waters of Alaska south of the 57th degree of north latitude and east of 139th meridian from the 20th day of August to the 9th day of September in each year.

Section 3. That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof for each and every offense be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or by imprisonment in jail for not less than ten days nor more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court. Penalty for violation.

Section 4. This Act shall not be so construed as in anywise to alter, amend, modify or repeal any of the fish laws of the United States applicable to Alaska, or any act of Congress whatsoever relating to the fisheries of Alaska whether designed to regulate the same or passed for any other purpose whatsoever, but all such laws and acts of Congress shall be and remain in full force and effect. The purpose of this Act is not to alter, amend, modify or repeal any of such laws, but to provide for further and additional regulation of the fisheries with a view of giving additional protection to the salmon and insuring a future supply thereof, and this Act shall be construed so as to carry out the intention herein expressed and not otherwise. Act, how construed.

Section 5. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act shall be in effect immediately upon its passage and approval. Emergency.

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