

[No. 91.]

AN ACT

Relating to fishing in the ponds on the peninsula, opposite the borough of Erie.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage of this act it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to fish in any of the ponds of water on the peninsula, opposite the borough of Erie, with a seine, drag nett or any other device calculated to draw the fish from said ponds in quantities; and any person or persons so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars for each and every such offence, one-half thereof to the complainant and the other half to the commonwealth, to be sued for and collected as debts of like amount are by law recoverable: *Provided*, That nothing contained in this act shall be construed to prevent any person from fishing in any of the said ponds with a hook and line.

HENDRICK B. WRIGHT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

B. CRISPIN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

DAVID R. PORTER.