

An Act to amend chapter sixty-two of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, respecting Fisheries and Fishing.

**WHEREAS**, with a view to secure the more efficient working of the Preamble.  
 "Act respecting Fisheries and Fishing," chapter 62 of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, it is requisite to make additions and amendments thereto :—

5 Therefore, by and with the consent of Her Majesty, etc., etc., etc., enacts as follows:

1. The first section of the said Act shall be amended by substituting Sec. 1 amend-  
ed. the words "Twenty-one," for the word "Nine," after the words "For any term not exceeding."
- 10 2. The fifth section of the said Act shall be amended by adding, Section 5  
amended.  
Proviso. "or more," after the word "four," in the seventh line of the said section, before the words, "overseers may be appointed;" provided always that the pay or salaries of all such overseers shall not exceed in the aggregate the amount allowed by the said section.
- 15 3. The eighteenth section of the said Act shall be amended by substituting Section 18  
amended. the word "five" for the word "three," before the words "inches in extension" in the third line; and by substituting the word "three" for the word "two" before the words, "and a half inches" in the fourth line.
- 20 4. The twenty-first section of the said Act shall be amended by Section 21  
amended. adding the words, "or near" after the words, "in any way whatever at," in the first and second lines.
5. The twenty-fifth section of the said Act shall be amended by Section 25  
amended. omitting the words, "knot to knot," in the second line.
- 25 6. The third section, and the six sub-sections thereof, of the said Section 3 to  
apply to deep  
sea-fishing. Act, shall refer to deep-sea fishing; and the words, "bait and fish" in the first line of the first sub-section shall mean "caplin, herring, lance, mackerel, squid, and smelt.
- 30 7. The following shall be substituted for the twenty-seventh section Addition to  
section 27. of the said Act :— "It shall not be lawful to fish for, catch or kill any kind of trout or lunge in any way whatever, between the first day of October and first day of December in any year, in Lower Canada.
- 35 8. The thirty-first and thirty-second sections of the said Act, Secs 31 and 32  
amended. and in as far only as regards the maskinonge, pickerel, or pike, are repealed, the killing or taking of which fish is hereafter permitted at any season, in both sections of the Province.
9. The thirty-fifth section of the said Act shall be amended by Section 35  
amended. adding the words: "Above high-water mark, for carrying on of the