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CHAPTER 612.

AN ACT to create section 4560a—38 of the statutes relating to catching rough fish minnows for bait.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read:

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No. 619, S.]

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CHAPTER 613.

AN ACT to amend subsection 5 of section 1828 of the statutes, relating to railroad corporations.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Subsection 5 of section 1828 of the statutes is amended to read:

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shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than fifty dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Any shipment made or had in possession in violation of this act may be seized, confiscated and sold by any warden as provided by law.

All packages or parcels used for shipping fish shall be so constructed that the same may be easily opened for inspection, otherwise the state fish and game warden or any of his deputies shall be authorized to open same in any way so as to inspect the contents and shall not be held liable for damages.

(Ch. 611, 1907.)

Game carrier, receiving unlawful shipment; penalty. Section 4560a—37. It shall be unlawful and is hereby prohibited for any common carrier or agent, servant or employe of a common carrier, to receive for transportation or to transport any package or parcel containing fish or game unless the same shall be labeled as provided in section 4560a—36 of this act or to receive a shipment without taking a signed statement from the shipper that said person is the consignor of such shipment. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of this section shall be required to forfeit to the state of Wisconsin a sum not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars in the discretion of the court. (Ch. 611, 1907.)

Minnow seines and nets: minimum dimensions; game fish set free; penalty. Section 4560a—38. It shall be lawfull to use a minnow seine not more than twenty feet in length or five feet in depth or a minnow dip net not more than five feet in diameter in any of the inland waters except waters which contain trout of any variety or in Turtle Creek located in Walworth and Rock counties for the purpose of taking rough fish minnows for bait, provided that all game fish taken by such nets be immediately returned to the waters where taken. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars or by imprisonment until such fine is paid, not exceeding thirty days.

(Ch. 612, 1907.)