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PERSONAL MENTION.

M. Fahrman is in the city from Goldendale. E. K. Russell, of 10-Mile, is in the city today. J. H. Berger and wife, of Grass Valley, are visitors in the city. Mrs. J. B. Haverly and son, George, are visitors from Boyd today.

HOUSE BILL NO. 5.

To Protect Sturgeon In The Columbia River—A Diversity of Opinion As to Its Contents.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature by Curtis which is of especial interest to fishermen along the Columbia river. Its object is the protection of sturgeon in said waters. For some time this industry has been followed by many with fair results. However, this season's catch is proving that unless some action is taken to protect the young sturgeon, the species will become extinct in the waters of the Columbia.

This morning a communication was received from Representative Roberts saying that the bill had passed the second reading and that the committee would report favorably on its passage this morning. Its final consideration will, however, be postponed until Saturday, and in the meantime Mr. Roberts desires to hear from those whom the bill will most effect, that he may act for their best interests in the matter.

Following is the contents of the document in question:

Section 1 Hereafter it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to take, capture, kill, or have in their possession, either the same has been taken, captured or killed, any sturgeon between the first day of March and the first day of November in each and every year, under a penalty of twenty dollars for each and every sturgeon so taken, captured, killed, or had unlawfully.

Section 2. It shall not be lawful at any time to take or kill any young sturgeon under four feet in length, or fish for the same by any device or appliance whatever in the waters of the Columbia river; and any person or persons fishing with gill nets, fish-nets, fish-wheels or other fishing apparatus whatever in the waters of the Columbia river, who, on lifting, drawing, taking up or removing any of said nets, or other fishing apparatus, shall find young sturgeon under four feet in length entangled or caught therein, shall immediately, with care and the least possible injury to the fish, disentangle and let loose the same and transmit the fish to the water without violence. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this section, or having in their possession...

slon young sturgeon under four feet in length, either for consumption or sale, or who is known to willfully destroy the same, for so offending shall, on conviction thereof, be punished with a fine of ten dollars for each and every fish so caught, sold or destroyed.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful to cast, extend, set, use, or continue, or assist in casting, extending or using any Chinese sturgeon lines, or lines of a similar character, in the waters of the Columbia river. The fish commissioner and any of his deputies are hereby authorized to arrest forthwith any person or persons detected in setting or using any Chinese sturgeon lines, or lines of similar character, in the waters of the Columbia river. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section, shall be fined in a sum not less than twenty-five dollars and not more than one hundred dollars.

Section 4. Inasmuch as there is urgent need for the protection of sturgeon as provided by this act, the same shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

There seems to be a diversity of opinion among fishermen as to the contents of the bill. Some question the advisability of allowing section 3 to be included, asserting that if such section pass, there will be no need of the remainder of the bill being considered, as fishing for sturgeon will, of necessity cease. Indeed, all concur in this belief, saying that no other method save that of the Chinese gear will warrant them in fishing at all, as before this means was employed the industry was practically unknown. However, many consider that, in view of the fact that these lines cannot be used without catching the young sturgeon, and thus are a menace to the industry, they should be prohibited at least for a time.

The so-called Chinese lines are those which are so constructed that from the main line, which is upheld by floats, extend a number of lines, on the end of which are large hooks. These drag the bottom of the river, and the sturgeon, as they attempt to pass are entrapped. Thus it is impossible to prevent the "small fry" from being caught with the larger ones; and when once they encounter the hook they are generally so badly lacerated that though they are afterward extricated and thrown back, they cannot live.

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