

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Seventh Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 269.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED
AND NINETY-FIVE.

AN ACT to incorporate the Peaked Mountain Dam and
Improvement Company.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

SECTION 1. George E. Grant, Samuel M. Holway, and
2 William R. Pattangali, their associates and assigns, are
3 hereby incorporated under the name of the Peaked Moun-
4 tain Pond Dam and Improvement Company with all powers
5 and privileges of similar corporations.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to build dams,
2 side dams, remove rocks, and make all other necessary
3 improvements in the stream of water which connects
4 Peaked Mountain pond with Machias river, said stream

5 lying partly in Township No. 19, M. D., and partly in the
6 town of Northfield in Washington county, and for this
7 purpose the said corporation may take land and material
8 necessary to build such dams and make such improve-
9 ments; and may flow contiguous lands so far as necessary
10 to raise suitable heads of water. And if the parties cannot
11 agree on the damages either for lands and materials so
12 taken or for the damage occasioned by flowing land such
13 damages shall be ascertained and determined by the county
14 commissioners for the county of Washington.

SECT. 3. The said corporation may demand and receive
2 a toll for the passage of logs over said dams and improve-
3 ments of fifteen cents per thousand feet, board measure,
4 wood scale, for all logs that pass through any dam erected
5 and maintained by them on the said stream. And said
6 corporation shall have a lien upon all logs and lumber
7 which may pass over any of said dams and improvements
8 for the payment of said toll; but the logs of each particu-
9 lar mark shall be holden only for the toll of such mark;
10 and unless such toll shall be paid within twenty days after
11 such logs or lumber shall arrive at their destination said
12 corporation may seize said logs and lumber and sell them
13 at public auction so many and so much thereof as shall be
14 necessary to pay such toll, costs and charges; notice of
15 time and place of such sale shall be given two weeks before
16 said sale in some newspaper printed in Machias.

SECT. 4. Any or all owners of land from which the
2 logs or other lumber is cut, which passes through or over

3 said dams or improvements, shall have the right to take an
4 interest in the stock of said corporation in proportion to
5 their interest in said land, by paying their proportions of
6 the cost of building said dams and making said improve-
7 ments.

SECT. 5. When said corporation shall from tolls, be
2 reimbursed for its expenditures in making said dams and
3 improvements and repairs thereon, and six per cent annual
4 interest thereon, the tolls shall cease.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
March 1, 1895.

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Waters, and ordered printed under house rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*