

ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

,

STATE OF MAINE

1899.

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Chapter 13.

An Act to amend Section one of Chapter three hundred and fifty of the Private and Special laws of eighteen hundred ninety-seven, relating to the erection and maintenance of booms in the Penobseot River.

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

Section 1. Section one of chapter three hundred and fifty of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninetyseven is hereby amended by striking out after the word "river" in the sixth line of said section, the words "at the head of Hersev island" and inserting in the place thereof, the words 'about one hundred rods above Snow island,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 1. The Katahdin Pulp and Paper Company, a corporation existing under the laws of Maine, its successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to locate, erect, and maintain in the Penobscot river, between a line drawn across the Penobscot river at the head of Mattanawcook island, so called, and a line drawn across said river about one hundred rods above Snow island, so called, in said towns of Lincoln and Chester, piers and booms for the purpose of collecting, holding, separating and sorting out logs, pulp wood and other lumber coming down said Penobscot river. Provided, however, that at least two sorting gaps are constructed, maintained and used for maintained, the passage of logs, pulp wood and other lumber through said booms. Said piers and booms shall be so located, constructed, maintained and used that logs and lumber running down said river, belonging to other parties, and not destined for use and manufacture at the mills of said company, its successors and assigns, shall not be unreasonably impeded or delayed, and such logs and lumber of other parties, when stopped for sorting, shall be turned by as soon as they can be practicably sorted out and separated from logs and lumber destined for use and manufacture at said mills, and any stray logs, pulp wood and other lumber not destined for use and manufacture at the mills of said company, if found in the booms of said company, shall be turned out thereof by said company, upon demand of the owner or owners thereof in writing, at its own charge and expense."

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 9, 1899.

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Section 1, chapter 350, special laws 1897. amended.

Company authorized to build piers and booms in Penobscot river.

-sorting

-shall not obstruct passage of logs.