

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Fifth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 179.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to regulate the tolls of the Machias Boom.

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

SECTION 1. The fees or tolls of the proprietors of the
2 Machias Boom are hereby revised and altered so that said
3 corporation shall be entitled to receive of the respective
4 owners of logs and timber which shall be rafted and
5 secured at said boom by any person or persons the follow-
6 ing respective fees or tolls: for sorting and rafting logs
7 and lumber, so secured at said boom, a price per stick not
8 to exceed such prices as the owners of such logs and lum-
9 ber shall in writing agree to perform such sorting and
10 rafting for, at their own expense, such agreement by them
11 signed to be filed with said corporation before each rafting

12 season shall open, to be for the season then next ensuing,
13 and if accepted, to bind such owners to be responsible for
14 the acts, default or negligence of all persons employed
15 thereunder, and to also provide therein that if at any time
16 the said corporation is dissatisfied with the count of the
17 logs, then it shall be authorized to employ a man to take
18 account of them and his count shall be final, his wages to
19 be paid one-half by the corporation and one-half by the
20 log-owners, such wages to be in addition to the prices
21 aforesaid ; for the boomage of each pine, spruce or hem-
22 lock mill log or stick five-eighths of a cent ; for the boom-
23 age of each cedar stick, one-quarter of a cent ; provided,
24 however, that all the fees or tolls of said corporation shall
25 at all times hereafter be subject to the revision or altera-
26 tion of the legislature.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. }
February 28, 1891. }

Tabled pending second reading by Mr. MULLEN of Old Town, and
ordered printed.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*