

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Sixth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 114.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT relating to boomage rights of the Pejepscot Paper
Company and its power to hold corporate stocks and
bonds.

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

SECTION 1. The Pejepscot Paper Company, a corpora-
2 tion duly organized and existing under the laws of the
3 State of Maine, which organization is hereby ratified, con-
4 firmed and declared to be legal and valid, is hereby
5 authorized and empowered to acquire, hold and dispose of
6 shares of capital stock and mortgage bonds of other cor-
7 porations.

SECT. 2. Said Pejepscot Paper Company, its successors
2 and assigns, is hereby authorized and empowered to locate,

3 build and maintain in the Androscoggin river in the
4 vicinity of Simpson's rips, so called, in the towns of
5 Brunswick, Durham and Topsham, dams, piers, booms
6 and side booms, with all the incidents thereof, for the
7 purpose of booming and holding logs, spars and other
8 lumber, said works to be so constructed as to provide for
9 prompt and convenient passage of all logs, spars and
10 other lumber that may come within the same without
11 unreasonable or unnecessary obstruction or delay. Said
12 company, its successors and assigns, shall provide upon
13 said booms a sufficient number of men to pass said logs
14 and lumber by said works, using reasonable diligence to
15 do so; and should they neglect and refuse so to do, the
16 owners of such logs and lumber may supply the necessary
17 help to accomplish that object at the reasonable charge
18 and expense of said boom and pier owners, and controlling
19 the same for the time being.

SECT. 3. Said Pejepsco Paper Company, its successors
2 and assigns, may boom and hold all logs, spars or other
3 lumber which may come within said boom whenever
4 the owners thereof shall in writing request said company
5 so to do, which request shall be filed with the said com-
6 pany and be by it preserved for the examination of any
7 person interested; and said company, its successors and
8 assigns, may thereupon demand, collect and receive a
9 reasonable toll for each and every thousand feet so boomed
10 and held for each season or part of a season, during which
11 the same shall be so boomed or held, and shall have a lien

12 thereon as provided by the statutes of the State of Maine ;
13 *provided, however*, that said company, its successors and
14 assigns, shall be held only to ordinary care in the con-
15 struction of said works, and reasonable diligence in so
16 holding and keeping such logs, spars and other lumber.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, March 3, 1893.

Reported by Mr. SEIDERS, from Committee on the Judiciary, and laid
on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary.*