

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Seventh Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 89.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section ten of chapter seventeen of the
Revised Statutes, relating to Fences and Buildings front-
ing on public ways.

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

Section 10 of chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes is
2 hereby amended by adding to said section after the last
3 word thereof, the following, and amendments thereto:
4 Unless the owner of same shall be estopped as therein pro-
5 vided, from justifying his occupation within the limits of
6 said way, so that the section as amended shall read, 'Sec-
7 tion 10. The erection and maintenance of water mills
8 and dams to raise water for working them upon or across

9 streams not navigable as provided in chapter 92, shall not
10 be deemed a nuisance unless they become offensive to the
11 neighborhood, or injurious to the public health, or unless
12 they occasion injuries or annoyances of a kind not author-
13 ized by said chapter. Fences and buildings fronting on
14 public ways, commons, or lands appropriated to public
15 use, shall not be deemed nuisances when erected for the
16 times and in the manner provided in section 95 of chapter
17 18, and amendments thereto, unless the owner of the
18 same shall be estopped as therein provided from justify-
19 ing his occupation within the limits of said way.'

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 8, 1895. }

Reported by Mr. PLUMMER of Dexter, from Committee on Legal
Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*