

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 16.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT authorizing and empowering the Katahdin Pulp and
Paper Company to erect and maintain piers and booms in the
Penobscot River.

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

Section 1. The Katahdin Pulp and Paper Company, a
2 corporation existing under the laws of Maine, its successors
3 and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to locate,
4 erect, and maintain in the Penobscot river, in the towns of
5 Lincoln and Chester, in the county of Penobscot, between
6 a line drawn across the Penobscot river at the head of
7 Mattanawcook Island so called, and a line drawn across said

8 river at the outlet of Cambolasse stream, in said town of
9 Lincoln, piers and booms for the purpose of collecting,
10 holding, separating and sorting out logs, pulp wood and
11 other lumber coming down said Penobscot river. Said
12 piers and booms shall be so located, constructed, maintained
13 and used, that logs and lumber running down said river
14 belonging to other parties and not destined for use and
15 manufacture at the mills of said company, its successors or
16 assigns, shall not be unreasonably impeded or delayed, and
17 such logs and lumber of other parties, when stopped for
18 sorting, shall be turned by as soon as they can be practicably
19 sorted out and separated from logs and lumber destined for
20 use and manufacture at said mills, and any stray logs, pulp
21 wood and other lumber not destined for use and manufac-
22 ture at the mills of said company, if found in the booms of
23 said company, shall be turned out thereof by said company,
24 upon demand of the owner or owners thereof in writing, at
25 its own charge and expense.

Sect. 2. Said Katahdin Pulp and Paper Company, its
2 successors and assigns, by aid of such piers and booms, are
3 hereby authorized and empowered to separate and sort out
4 from the logs, pulp wood and other lumber coming down
5 said river, all logs, pulp wood and other lumber destined and
6 intended for use and manufacture at the mills of said com-
7 pany. And said company is also hereby authorized and
8 empowered to hold within the piers and booms mentioned
9 in this act, and located, erected and maintained as aforesaid,
10 all logs, pulp wood and other lumber coming down said

11 Penobscot river, which are destined and intended for use and
12 manufacture at the mills of said company.

Sect. 3. Said Katahdin Pulp and Paper Company, its
2 successors and assigns, may enter upon, take and hold such
3 lands as may be necessary for the location, erection and
4 maintenance of the piers and booms mentioned in this act,
5 and connecting the same with the shores, and may, with
6 their agents and teams, pass and repass over said shores, and
7 to and from the same, over the lands of other persons, for the
8 purposes aforesaid, and for the operation and management
9 of said piers and booms. Making compensation therefor as
10 provided in case of damage for lands taken in laying out
11 highways.

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

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, January 26, 1897.

Laid on table to be printed on motion by Mr. ENGEL of Penobscot,
pending reference to Committee on Interior Waters in concurrence.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary*.