

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 4.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to amend chapter 130 of the Private Laws of 1866  
entitled "An Act to incorporate the Sebec Dam Company."

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

Chapter one hundred and thirty of the Private Laws of  
2 1866 is hereby amended so that said act shall read as fol-  
3 lows, viz :

Section. 1. John Morrison, Edward Robinson, E. S. Rob-  
2 inson, their associates, successors or assigns, are hereby  
3 constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the  
4 Sebec Dam Company, with all the privileges and powers of  
5 similar corporations.

Sect. 2. Said company are authorized to raise their dam, 2 at the Sebec mills, to a height to enable them to obtain a 3 sufficient head of water on Sebec pond to drive logs and run 4 the mills on said Sebec river, and said company may demand 5 and receive a toll of five cents per thousand feet, board 6 measure, stumpage scale, on all logs which may be driven 7 through said dam, and shall have a lien on all logs for the 8 payment of tolls; and if said toll is not paid within thirty 9 days after the passage of the logs or a major part of them, 10 the company may advertise such logs for sale, in some news- 11 paper printed in the county of Piscataquis, giving ten days' 12 notice of the time and place of sale, and sell at public auction 13 so many of said logs as shall be necessary to pay the charges 14 and tolls.

Sect. 3. Said company shall keep a true and accurate 2 account of the sums said company may expend for such 3 improvements, and when the tolls received shall have paid 4 the costs of the improvements and six per cent annual inter- 5 est, and all sums necessary for repairs, the toll shall be abol- 6 ished.

Sect. 4. For all lands flowed by said company, the 2 owners shall be entitled to the same remedies that are pro- 3 vided in chapter ninety-two of the Revised Statutes in case 4 of flowing lands by the erection of dams for mills.



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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Augusta, January 12, 1899.

Reported by Mr. FREESE of Argyle, from Committee on Interior  
Waters, and ordered printed and recommitted.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*