

# Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

#### SENATE.

No. 12.

## STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section one of chapter three hundred and fifty, of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, relating to the Erection and Maintenance of Booms in the Penobscot river.

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

Section 1. Section one of chapter three hundred and fifty 2 of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and 3 ninety-seven is hereby amended by striking out after the 4 word "river" in the sixth line of said section, the words "at 5 the head of Hersey island" and inserting in the place thereof, 6 the words 'about one hundred rods above Snow island' so 7 that said section as amended shall read as follows:

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'Section 1. The Katahdin Pulp and Paper Company, a 9 corporation existing under the laws of Maine, its successors 10 and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to locate, 11 erect, and maintain in the Penobscot river, between a line 12 drawn across the Penobscot river at the head of Mattanaw-13 cook island, so called, and a line drawn across said river 14 about one hundred rods above Snow island, so called, in said 15 towns of Lincoln and Chester, piers and booms for the 16 purpose of collecting, holding, separating and sorting out 17 logs, pulp wood and other lumber coming down said Penob-18 scot river. Provided, however, that at least two sorting 19 gaps are constructed, maintained and used for the passage of 20 logs, pulp wood and other lumber through said booms. Said 21 piers and booms shall be so located, constructed, maintained 22 and used that logs and lumber running down said river, 23 belonging to other parties, and not destined for use and 24 manufacture at the mills of said company, its successors and 25 assigns, shall not be unreasonably impeded or delayed, and 26 such logs and lumber of other parties, when stopped for sort-27 ing, shall be turned by as soon as they can be practicably 28 sorted out and separated from logs and lumber destined for 29 use and manufacture at said mills, and any stray logs, pulp 30 wood and other lumber not destined for use and manufacture 31 at the mills of said company, if found in the booms of said 32 company, shall be turned out thereof by said company, upon 33 demand of the owner or owners thereof in writing, at its 34 own charge and expense.

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

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IN SENATE, January 25, 1899.

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Reported by Mr. JONES from Committee on Interior Waters, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, Secretary.