

Seventy-first Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 58

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND THREE.

AN ACT authorizing the Estes Lumber Company to locate piers and booms in the Kennebec river opposite lands of said company in Solon and Embden.

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

Section 1. The Estes Lumber Company, a corporation 2 existing under the laws of Maine, its successors and assigns, 3 are hereby authorized and empowered to locate, erect and 4 maintain in the Kennebec river, opposite the land of said 5 company in the towns of Solon and Embden, piers and booms 6 for the purpose of collecting and holding all logs, pulp wood 7 and other lumber coming down said Kennebec river, that 8 belongs to said company. Said piers and booms shall be so 9 located, constructed, maintained and used as not to impede 10 or to unreasonably obstruct the common use of said Kennebec

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11 river or to unreasonably delay logs and lumber running down
12 said Kennebec river, belonging to other parties and not
13 detained for use and manufacture at the mills of said com14 pany, its successors or assigns.

Sect. 2. Said Estes Lumber Company, its successors and 2 assigns, by aid of such piers and booms, are hereby author-3 ized and empowered to separate and sort out from the logs, 4 pulp wood and other lumber coming down said Kennebec 5 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 in 9 this act and located, erected and maintained as aforesaid, all 10 logs, pulp wood and other lumber coming down said Ken-11 nebec river, which are destined and intended for use and 12 manufacture at the mills of said company, erected upon said 13 Kennebec river.

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

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



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IN SENATE, February 12, 1903.

On motion by Mr. GOODWIN of Somerset, laid on the table to be printed, pending reference in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, Secretary.