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SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 436

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to enable Edwin W. Doyle to maintain the upper dam on Flander's stream in town of Sullivan, Hancock county.

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

Section 1. Edwin E. Doyle, his heirs and assigns, is hereby

- 2 authorized to repair and maintain the upper dam, so called,
- 3 on Flander's stream in the town of Sullivan, Hancock county.

Sect. 2. Said Doyle, his heirs and assigns, may flow Bean's

- 2 meadow, so called, and other lands bordering upon and con-
- 3 tiguous to said pond and stream so far as necessary to raise
- 4 suitable heads of water, and land necessary for landing,
- 5 booming and driving logs and lumber in said pond and
- 6 stream in connection with the operation of Bean's mill, so

7 called, in said stream from October 1st to July 1st in each 8 year. And if the said Doyle, his heirs or assigns, has not 9 or shall not hereafter acquire such rights by virtue of his 10 purchase and ownership of said mill and all appurtenances, 11 which rights have long been used in connection with the operation of said mill, then if the parties owning lands used for 13 landings cannot agree upon the damages therefor, the said 14 damages shall be estimated by the county commissioners for 15 the county of Hancock, as provided by law in case of taking 16 lands for public highways, and for the damage occasioned 17 by flowing land, the said Doyle, his heirs and assigns, shall 18 not be liable to an action at common law, but the person 19 injured may have a remedy, by complaint for flowing in the 20 manner provided by chapter 94 of the Revised Statutes.

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

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STATE OF MAINE.

House of Representatives, Augusta, March 9, 1905.

Reported by Mr. TRACY from Committee on Legal Affairs and ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, Clerk.