## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SEVENTY:FOURTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE. No. 566

## STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT authorizing George F. L'Abbee of Eagle Lake Plantation to maintain a dam in Wallagrass River.

### Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. George F. L'Abbee of Eagle Lake Plantation, 2 in the county of Aroostook, State of Maine, his heirs and 3 assigns, are hereby authorized to maintain a dam now erect-4 ed on leased land on Wallagrass stream, near the southwest 5 corner of Block 24 about two hundred feet below the lower 6 lake on said stream, in Wallagrass Plantation, county of 7 Aroostook, for the purpose of raising a head of water and of 8 making said stream floatable and of facilitating the driving 9 of logs and lumber upon the same.

- Sect. 2. Said George F. L'Abbee for the above purposes 2 may flow contiguous lands so far as necessary to raise suita-3 ble heads of water, and if the parties cannot agree upon the 4 damages, said L'Abbee shall not be liable to an action at com-5 mon law, but the person injured may have a remedy by com-6 plaint for flowage, in which case the same proceedings shall 7 be had as when a complaint is made under the statutes of 8 this State for flowing lands occasioned by raising a head of 9 water for the working of mills.
- Sect. 3. Nothing in this act shall be construed as giving to 2 said George F. L'Abbee, his heirs or assigns, any title to the 3 land occupied or flowed by said dam.
- Sect. 4. The right of said L'Abbee to maintain the dam un-2 der this act shall terminate on the expiration of the lease of 3 the land occupied by said dam.

### STATE OF MAINE.

House of Representatives, Augusta, March 12, 1909.

Reported by Mr. BIGNEY from Committee on Interior Waters and ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, Clerk.