

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 164

House of Representatives, Feb. 10, 1911.

*Introduced by Mr. Perkins of Mechanic Falls, who moved its
reference to the committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.
By him tabled for printing pending reference to a committee.*

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to prohibit the throwing of sawdust and other mill
waste into the lakes, ponds and streams in the State of
Maine.

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

Section 1. No person shall put or allow the same to be done
2 by any person within his employ, into any of the lakes, ponds
3 or streams in this State, any mill waste, slabs, edgings, saw-
4 dust, or any other mill waste of a fibrous nature created in
5 the manufacture of any sawn or planed lumber, or shall
6 place or deposit the same on the banks of any of said waters
7 in such negligent or careless manner that the same shall
8 fall and be washed into any of said waters, or with the in-

9 tent that the same shall fall or be washed into any of said
10 waters.

Sect. 2. Whoever shall violate any of the provisions of
2 this section shall be subject to a penalty of not less than
3 fifty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars and costs
4 of prosecution for each offense.

Sect. 3. In all prosecutions arising under this act, munici-
2 pal and police courts and trial justices, within their re-
3 spective counties, shall have, upon complaint, original and
4 concurrent jurisdiction with the Supreme Judicial and
5 Superior Courts, and all fines, forfeitures and penalties
6 received for violation of this act shall be paid forthwith by
7 the person receiving the same to the State treasurer.

Sect. 4. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act
2 are hereby repealed.

