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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

## HOUSE

# NO. 204

House of Representatives, Feb. 9, 1917.

Referred to Committee on Interior Waters and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Meserve of Naples.

## STATE OF MAINE

#### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

AN ACT to amend Chapter three hundred fifty-four of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred eighty-nine relating to throwing refuse into Songo River and adjacent waters.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: Chapter three hundred sixty-four of the Private and Spe-2 cial Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine prohibiting 3 the throwing of waste in the waters of Long Lake and the 4 Songo River, is hereby amended by inserting after the words 5 "Long Lake" in the third line of section one of said act the 6 following words 'Sebago Lake,' also by adding to the end

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7 of said section one the following: 'And every person, firm 8 or corporation using said waters for the purpose of driving 9 logs or pulpwood shall remove all stray, sunken or dead 10 logs and pulpwood from said waters within fifteen days 11 after said logs or pulpwood are boomed out of said waters,' 12 so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any owner or owners 2 of mills, meadows or other lands on the shores or banks of 3 Long Lake, Sebago Lake or the Songo River, or any of the 4 tributaries or streams running into said lake or river in the 5 county of Cumberland, or any person or persons employed 6 in or about said mills, or on or about said meadows or other 7 lands, or any person or persons whatsoever to throw or cast 8 brush, wastewood and stumps, edgings or trimmings of 9 boards, bolts, laths, shingles or other lumber, shavings, saw-10 dust, bark, chips and chippings, into any of the aforesaid II waters or allow the same to be deposited in such a manner 12 that it may be washed therein. And every person, firm or 13 corporation using said waters for the purpose of driving 14 logs, or pulpwood, shall remove all stray, sunken or dead 15 logs, and pulpwood from said waters within fifteen days 16 after said logs or pulpwood are boomed out of said waters."