

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE NO. 385

House of Representatives, Feb. 23, 1917.

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W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Hartwell of Old Town.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and thirty-two, of the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and thirteen, relating to the Ferry between Indian Island, so-called, and the City of Old Town.

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

Section 1. Section two of chapter one hundred and thirty-
2 two, of the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred
3 and thirteen, is hereby amended by striking out the word
4 "April," in the seventh line thereof and inserting in place
5 thereof the word 'March,' so that said section as amended
6 shall read as follows:

‘Sect. 2. The following rates of toll are hereby established
2 for passengers: for each passenger a resident upon Indian
3 Island and each member of said Penobscot tribe of Indians
4 wherever resident, the sum of two cents; for all other passen-
5 gers, five cents each; the rate of toll for each article of
6 freight or baggage shall be established by the said tribe at
7 their annual meeting held on the first Monday in March of
8 each year by a majority vote of the members of the tribe
9 attending such meeting.’

Sect. 2. Section five of said chapter one hundred and
2 thirty-two, is hereby amended by striking out in the second
3 line thereof the word “April,” and inserting in place thereof
4 the word ‘March’; also by adding to said section the follow-
5 ing words: ‘No such ferry man shall be eligible for election
6 in any two successive years. No person shall operate the
7 ferry boat at such ferry who is not a member of the Penob-
8 scot Tribe of Indians and any person not a member of said
9 tribe operating said ferry boat shall be fined not less than
10 five dollars nor more than twenty dollars for each offense;’
11 so that as amended said section shall read as follows:

‘Sect. 5. The members of the said tribe shall at their an-
2 nual meeting held on the first Monday in March of each
3 year, elect by majority vote a suitable ferryman who shall
4 be in charge of said ferry during the following year, such
5 election being however subject to the approval of the agent
6 of the tribe. No such ferryman shall be eligible for election
7 in any two successive years. No person shall operate the

8 ferry boat at such ferry who is not a member of the Penob-
9 scot Tribe of Indians and any person not a member of said
10 tribe operating said ferry boat shall be fined not less than
11 five dollars nor more than twenty dollars for each offense.'