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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE NO. 120

House of Representatives, February 7, 1919.

Reported by Mr. Burns from Committee on Indian Affairs and ordered printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Brewster of Dexter.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to Leasing the Shores in the Penobscot River Belonging to the Penobscot Tribe of Indians, and to Amend the Same.

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

Revised statutes, chapter fourteen, section thirty-nine, is

- 2 hereby amended by striking out the following words of
- 3 said section: "Notices of the time and place of leasing shall
- 4 be given by publishing the same in one of the daily papers
- 5 of Bangor for thirty days, and shall specify the shores to
- 6 be leased and the limits of each lot," so that said section
- 7 shall read as follows:

'Sect. 39. Lease of island shores; proceedings; rents of

2 shores, how appropriated. R. S., c. 13, sec. 35. The shores 3 of the islands in the Penobscot river belonging to said tribe 4 shall be leased for booming or hitching logs, under the 5 orders of the governor and council. Such leases shall not 6 run longer than five years. All sums received from rent 7 of said shores shall be paid to the treasurer of state, to be 8 held in trust, and paid to said tribe on warrant of the gov-9 ernor and council as provided in section one, chapter two 10 hundred and sixty-seven, of the special laws of eighteen 11 hundred and seventy-three.'