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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 479

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and ordered printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Authorizing the Penobscot Development Company to
Construct and Maintain Booms and Piers in the Aroostook
River in the Town of Ashland.

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

Section 1. The Penobscot Development Company, a cor-
2 poration organized under the laws of Maine, its successors
3 and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to erect
4 and maintain piers and booms in the Aroostook river in
5 the town of Ashland, between the highway bridge, so-called,
6 and piers of the Ashland Manufacturing Company just
7 above the mouth of the Big Machias, for the purpose of
8 holding all logs and lumber coming down said river for
9 their use.

Sect. 2. All piers and booms authorized by this Act shall
2 be so constructed and maintained as not to impede naviga-
3 tion or to unreasonably hinder or delay the driving of logs
4 and lumber at all times.

Sect. 3. All logs and lumber belonging to other parties
2 and caught in said boom shall be forthwith turned out by
3 said Penobscot Development Company, its successors or
4 assigns at their own expense.

Sect. 4. All persons damaged by reason of the rights or
2 exercise of the rights granted said company by this act may
3 recover the amount of said damages in an action at law
4 against said Penobscot Development Company, its success-
5 ors or assigns.