

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1878.

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the said works have been paid for, that no more toll shall afterwards be collected than is sufficient to keep said works in repair. CHAP. 56.

SECT. 5. Said corporation shall keep an accurate account of all their expenditures and disbursements, and also of their receipts for tolls, which shall be open for inspection at all reasonable times to any person interested in the same. Any person owning timber land from which the timber can be hauled into said stream, shall have the right, at any time before these improvements are made, to become a stockholder in this company, and to take a number of shares bearing the same proportion to the whole that the quantity of such land he owns bears to all the land from which the timber can be conveniently hauled into said stream.

Account of expenditures and receipts.

Who may be stockholders.

Approved February 15, 1878.

Chapter 56.

An act to prevent the throwing of refuse Lumber into the Pattens Pond stream, in Surry, Hancock county.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

SECT. 1. No person shall cast or throw into the Pattens Pond stream, at or below the lower mills on said stream, any slabs, bark, buttings, board or stave edgings, or any refuse lumber of any kind, or shall place, pile or deposit the same on the banks of said stream, in such negligent manner that portions thereof may fall or be washed into said stream, whereby the free course of migratory fish may be obstructed or affected, or the navigation of tide waters be obstructed or affected thereby, under a penalty for each offense, if the quantity shall not exceed one cord, of not less than five or more than ten dollars, and if the quantity cast or thrown into said stream, or which shall fall or be washed in as aforesaid, shall exceed three cords, under a penalty of not less than twenty or more than fifty dollars, one-half of the above fine to be paid to the prosecutor, and one-half to the town wherein the offense was committed.

Obstruction of Pattens Pond stream, prohibited.

Penalty.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 15, 1878.