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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1903.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 87.

An Act relating to the taking of lobsters within three miles of the islands of Matinicus and Criehaven, during the months of August and September, in each year.

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

Section 1. No person shall take, catch, kill or destroy any lobster or lobsters within three miles of the islands of Matinicus and Criehaven, between the first day of August and the first day of October in each and every year.

Close time on lobsters within three miles of Matinicus and Criehaven, from August 1 to October 1.

Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of the foregoing section shall be punished by a fine of one dollar for each and every lobster taken, caught, killed or destroyed contrary to the provisions of the foregoing section. Trial justices and judges of police and municipal courts shall have jurisdiction of all offenses under this act.

Penalty, one dollar for each lobster.

Section 3. This act shall take effect on the first day of August, nineteen hundred and three.

Approved February 26, 1903.

Chapter 88.

An Act authorizing and empowering Joseph C. Patchell of Reed Plantation, County of Aroostook, to erect and maintain piers and booms in the Mattawamkeag river.

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

Section 1. Joseph C. Patchell, his heirs and assigns, is hereby authorized and empowered to locate, erect and maintain piers and booms in the Mattawamkeag river, commencing at a point on the westerly side of said river twenty-five yards above Prouty rips, so called, and extending up the westerly side of said river to a point opposite the mouth of Hawkins brook.

Joseph C. Patchell authorized to locate piers and booms in Mattawamkeag river.

Section 2. Said piers and booms shall be so constructed that logs, pulp wood, and other lumber shall not be impeded or delayed in this passage down said river, and expense of such delay, if any, shall be paid by said Patchell.

Logs and other lumber shall not be impeded by said piers and booms.

Section 3. Said booms and piers shall also be so constructed that logs or other lumber belonging to other parties shall not run under and be retained in the booms of said Patchell; and if any logs, lumber, or other floatable material not owned by said Patchell be found within said booms, they shall upon notice in writing be turned out of said booms at said Patchell's expense.

How constructed.

—lumber detained in said booms, how turned out.