

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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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.

1903.

Chapter 400.

An Act to change the name of the Plantation of Winterville.

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

In honor of his excellency the governor, the name of Winterville plantation in the county of Aroostook is hereby changed, and the name shall be hereafter known as Hill plantation.

Winterville
plantation,
name
changed.

Approved March 28, 1903.

Chapter 401.

An Act to authorize William C. Farrell and Henry A. Gagnon to construct a dam or dams across Hammond brook, in Aroostook county, and build and maintain piers in said brook, and improve said brook for driving purposes.

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

Section 1. William C. Farrell and Henry A. Gagnon, their heirs and assigns, are hereby authorized to erect and maintain a dam or dams, with piers, booms and sluices, on Hammond brook, in Cyr plantation, in Aroostook county, and improve said stream by removing therefrom, trees, brush, rocks, or other obstructions, to facilitate the driving of logs and lumber down said stream, and the holding of logs and lumber to be manufactured at the mill of said Farrell, situated on said stream.

Dam, piers,
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authorized
on Hammond
brook.

Section 2. Said Farrell and Gagnon, their heirs and assigns, may purchase land and materials for building said dams and making said improvements, and flow contiguous lands so far as necessary to raise suitable heads of water, and land necessary for landing logs and lumber on said stream. And if the parties owning lands flowed or used for landings cannot agree upon the damages therefor, the said damages shall be estimated by the county commissioners for the county of Aroostook, as provided by law in case of taking lands for public highways, and for the damage occasioned by flowing land, the said Farrell and Gagnon, their heirs and assigns, shall not be liable to an action at common law, but the person injured may have a remedy, by complaint for flowing, in the manner provided by chapter ninety-two of the revised statutes.

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—damages,
how
estimated.

Section 3. Said Farrell and Gagnon, their heirs and assigns, may demand and receive toll for the passage of logs and lumber cut and hauled above the mill of said Farrell, and driven over

Tolls.