

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the  
**LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY**  
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library  
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied  
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-second Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1925

---

Published by the Secretary of State, in accordance with the Resolves of the Legislature  
approved June 28, 1820, March 18, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

---

KENNEBEC JOURNAL PRINT SHOP  
AUGUSTA, MAINE

1925

---

---

Private and Special Laws

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Eighty-Second  
Legislature

1925

---

---

## Chapter 7.

An Act to Amend the Charter of Kennebec Log Driving Company as Amended by Chapter Four Hundred and Two of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty-five, and Further Amended by Chapter Thirteen and Chapter Fourteen of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, and by Chapter Two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-one.

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

**Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1885, c. 402, sec. 1; 1917, cc. 13 and 14; 1921, c. 2;** relating to incorporation, corporate rights, powers and duties of Kennebec Log Driving Co., amended. Section one of the charter of Kennebec Log Driving Company as amended by chapter four hundred and two of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, as amended by chapter thirteen and chapter fourteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen and as further amended by chapter two of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, is hereby amended by inserting before the word "and" in the twenty-fourth line of said section the following words:—"in Moose river between the head of Attean pond and of Wood pond and Moosehead lake," so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 1. Log driving rights extended to certain waters of Moose river.** That John White, Marshall French, Oliver B. Dorrance, George W. King, David Scribner, Ezra Carter, junior, David Wescott, Alvah Sweetser, John Bradley, E. H. Scribner, Levi M. Pratt, Aaron Capen, Phineas Pratt, Henry Bowman, Benjamin Weston, junior, and Josiah H. Hobbs, their associates and successors be and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate by the name and style of the Kennebec Log Driving Company, and by that name may sue and be sued, prosecute and defend to final judgment and execution, both in law and in equity, and may make and adopt all necessary regulations and by-laws not repugnant to the constitution and laws of the state, and may adopt a common seal, and the same may alter, break and renew at pleasure, and may purchase and hold real and personal estate sufficient for carrying on the business of the Kennebec Log Driving Company and may grant and raise money by loan or assessment for the same and for driving, securing, and forming into rafts, under rigging logs of the company. And said company shall drive to such place of destination on said Kennebec river as may be designated by the owners or by the directors of said company and may secure and form into rafts, under rigging all logs and other timber belonging to said company or any member thereof, that may be in Little Spencer stream between Big Spencer pond and Big Spencer stream and Big Spencer stream between its junction with Little Spencer stream and Dead river and in the North branch of Dead river from the mouth of Alder stream to Dead river

## CHAP. 7

and in Dead river from where said north branch enters the same to where said Dead river enters the Kennebec river in Moose river between the head of Attean pond and of Wood pond and Moosehead lake and in the East branch and Kennebec river for that purpose below the outlet of Moosehead lake at the dam. And said company may, for the purposes aforesaid, remove obstructions, erect booms, piers and dams where the same may be lawfully done. Said company shall have all the powers and privileges and be subject to all the liabilities incident to corporations of a similar nature.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1885, c. 402, sec. 4; relating to filing statement of logs driven; expenses making assessments, etc., amended. Section four of said act is hereby amended by inserting after the word "river" in the fifteenth line of said section the following words:—"in Moose river between the head of Attean pond and of Wood pond and Moosehead lake," so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 4. Account of expenses of logs driven in certain waters of Moose river to be kept separate. The members of said company owning logs or other timber to be driven down said rivers, shall, on or before the first day of May in that year, file with the clerk of the company a correct statement in writing, signed by a sworn surveyor, of all such logs or timber of the number of feet, full scale, with the mark or marks thereon, together with the place from which the logs are to be driven and their destination. And it shall be the duty of the directors to keep a separate and distinct account of all expenses incurred for driving the logs and other timber between Big Spencer pond and the junction of Little Spencer stream with Big Spencer stream and between the junction of Little Spencer stream and Big Spencer stream and Dead river and in the North branch of Dead river from the mouth of Alder stream to Dead river and in Dead river from where said North branch enters the same to where said Dead river enters the Kennebec river in Moose river between the head of Attean pond and of Wood pond and Moosehead lake and between Moosehead lake and the forks of the Kennebec river, and between said forks of the Kennebec river and the point of destination on the Kennebec river, and ascertain the number of feet, full scale, and ownership of said logs and other timber driven between said points, and assess thereon, to owners if known, or to owners unknown, making such discount for logs driven less than the whole distance as in their opinion may be right and equitable, a distinct and separate tax sufficient to pay said expenses, with such further sums as may be necessary to pay damages and losses for piers, booms, buoys, dams and other expenses as may be voted by the company or the directors. And the directors shall have power whenever they may deem it necessary or

## CHAP. 8

expedient, to cause a survey to be made of any or all logs driven, secured or rafted by the company, and the expense of such survey shall be assessed on such logs in the same manner as is herein provided for assessing the expenses of driving, securing and rafting the same. If any owner or agent shall refuse or neglect to file such a statement in the manner herein prescribed, the directors may assess such delinquent or delinquents for his or their proportion of expenses, such sum or sums as may be by the directors considered just and equitable, and such assessment shall be final; said assessment to be made at any time after the first day of July at the discretion of the directors. And said Company shall have a lien on all logs and other timber by them driven for the expense of driving, booming and securing, which shall not be discharged until all assessments shall be finally paid. The directors shall keep a record of the assessments in the office of the clerk, which shall be open to the inspection of all persons interested.'

Approved February 24, 1925.

---

### Chapter 8.

An Act Relating to Ice Fishing in Moose Hill Pond, in the Town of East Livermore, in the County of Androscoggin.

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

P. & S. L., 1921; relating to protection of water supply of town of East Livermore, amended; ice fishing in Moose Hill pond permitted. So much of chapter forty-two of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one as prohibits residents of this state from fishing through the ice in Moose Hill pond, in the town of East Livermore, in the county of Androscoggin, during the months of January, February and March of each year, in accordance with the general law of the state, is hereby repealed.

Approved February 26, 1925.

---

### Chapter 9.

An Act to Change the Name of Pleasant Pond, in the Towns of Whitefield and Jefferson, to Clary Lake.

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

**Sec. 1.** Name of Pleasant pond changed to Clary lake. The name of the pond known as Pleasant pond, situated in the towns of Whitefield and Jefferson, Lincoln county, is hereby changed to Clary lake.

**Sec. 2.** Inconsistent acts repealed. All acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

Approved February 26, 1925.