

## CAP. V.

An Act for Erecting and Maintaining a Boom on the River Kouchibouguasis, in the County of Kent.

*Passed 8th March, 1830.*

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS, it has been found necessary to erect a Boom over the River Kouchibouguasis, in the County of Kent, for the purpose of securing such Timber as may be hauled out and thrown into the same, in a general deposit, until it can be conveniently rafted, by the respective owners, to the different places of destination:—And whereas, it is necessary that proper regulations should be established to insure the safe delivery of the same to the owners.

Justices of Kent in General or Special Sessions, to make regulations respecting Booms, appoint Boom Masters, and establish their fees.

*I. Be it therefore enacted by the President, Council and Assembly,* That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace in the County of Kent, in their General Sessions, or at any Special Sessions for that purpose holden, to make and establish such Rules and Regulations as to them may appear necessary, respecting such Booms as have been erected, or may hereafter be erected on the said river Kouchibouguasis, and to appoint Boom Masters from time to time, and to establish their fees for attending such booms, and superintending the safe delivery of the Lumber passing through the same: *Provided always,* that no Special Sessions shall be held unless five Justices are present.

Five Justices to constitute Special Sessions.

Penalty for violating rules.

Mode of recovery.

*II. And be it further enacted,* That any person or persons who may violate any of the rules so to be made as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay the sum of four pounds, with costs for each and every offence, to be recovered upon conviction thereof, by the Oath of one or more credible Witness or Witnesses, before any one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County