

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

1860.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 141.****CHAP. 141.**

An act additional concerning the location of railroads.

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

SECT. 1. Any railroad corporation within this state that has constructed, or shall construct and put in operation its railroad, may at any time amend, correct and perfect the location of its roadway, of the width allowed by law, and file a new description thereof, and of the land taken, whenever they have failed, for any cause, to acquire the land actually embraced in the roadway; and in case the parties cannot agree upon the value of the land so taken, either party may apply to the county commissioners to appraise the same; and the same proceedings may be had as on an original taking of land under its charter and the laws of the state.

Location of roadway may be amended.

Value of land taken, how settled.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved February 29, 1860.]

**Chapter 142.**

An act additional to chapter one hundred and thirteen of the revised statutes relative to service of citation on creditors.

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

The citation named in the twenty-fourth section of said chapter one hundred and thirteen may be served upon the attorney of record in the suit, or any known authorized agent of the creditor, by the same officer and in the same manner as is provided in said section twenty-four for service upon the creditor, and such service shall be sufficient.

Citation served upon attorney or agent, sufficient.

[Approved February 29, 1860.]

**Chapter 143.**

An act additional to chapter eighteen of the revised statutes relating to ways.

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

SECT. 1. When the municipal officers of a town lay out a way, as provided in section eighteen of chapter eighteen of the revised statutes, they shall determine whether it shall be a town way or a private way; and if a private way whether the same shall be subject to gates and bars.

Duty of officers in laying out way.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

[Approved February 29, 1860.]