

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

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CHAP. 167

Provisions of ch. 53, public laws 1878, to apply, where no interest has been paid for more than three years.

Holders of scrip and bonds due and unpaid, may commence suit for foreclosure of mortgage.

SECT. 3. The provisions of chapter fifty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, shall apply to cases in which no interest has been paid for more than three years, as well as to cases in which the principal has been overdue for more than three years, as therein provided.

SECT. 4. Whenever the principal of any scrip or bonds issued by a railroad corporation shall have been due and payable more than three years, or no interest has been paid thereon for more than three years, a corporation formed by the holders of such scrip or bonds, or if no such corporation has been formed, the holders of not less than a majority of such scrip or bonds, may commence a suit in equity for the purpose of foreclosing such mortgage; and the court may decree a foreclosure of such mortgage, unless the arrearages are paid within such time as the court may order.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 6, 1883.

Chapter 167.

An Act relating to the laying out of ways across railroads.

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

R. R. commissioners to determine when ways across lands of railroad companies may be laid out.

SECT. 1. No way shall be laid out through or across any land or right of way of any railroad corporation, used for station purposes, unless after notice and hearing the railroad commissioners adjudge that public convenience and necessity requires it.

Manner and conditions of crossing, how determined.

SECT. 2. When any way is laid out across a railroad, the railroad commissioners, upon application of the parties owning or operating such railroad, shall, upon notice and hearing, determine the manner and conditions of crossing such railroad, subject to the same rights of appeal provided by chapter forty-three of the public laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

Adjudications of commissioners to be recorded.

SECT. 3. All adjudications of the railroad commissioners relating to ways shall be recorded in the office in which the location of the way is by law to be recorded.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 7, 1883.