

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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THE LEGISLATURE,

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

DURING ITS SESSION

A. D. 1833.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED
AND THIRTY-THREE.

AN ACT relative to Highways.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and*
2 *House of Representatives, in Legislature as-*
3 *sembled, That all Highways or County Roads,*
4 heretofore established by the Courts of Sessions
5 or County Commissioners of the respective
6 Counties, or which may hereafter be established
7 by said County Commissioners, which have not
8 already been opened and made, shall be opened
9 and made at the expense of the respective
10 Counties, in which they lie. And it is hereby
11 made the duty of the said Commissioners to
12 cause said Highways or County Roads to be
13 opened and made, within such periods of time
14 as they may think suitable, and for the expenses
15 thereof, they are authorized to issue their orders

39 examined and approved by said Commissioners
40 or some person or persons by them appointed,
41 whose approval shall be expressed in writing,
42 and filed in the office of the Clerk of the Courts:
43 *Provided*, That nothing, in this Act contained,
44 shall be construed to exonerate any town or
45 plantation, or the Proprietors of any lands in
46 unincorporated places, from the obligations, im-
47 posed thereon by Law, of keeping said High-
48 ways or County Roads in repair, after they
49 shall have once been made, examined and ap-
50 proved as aforesaid.

SEC. *Be it further enacted*, That all Acts
2 and parts of Acts, inconsistent with the provis-
3 ions of this Act, be, and the same hereby are
4 repealed.

STATE OF MAINE.

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
January 16, 1833. }**

ORDERED, That three hundred copies of the foregoing Bill be
printed for the use of the Members.

[Extract from the Journal.]

Attest:

ASAPH R. NICHOLS, *Clerk.*