

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 120.

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Amendment to bill “an act authorizing any city or town in this state to raise money to aid in the construction of any railroad,” Senate Document No. 38, moved by Mr. HUTCHINGS of Brewer.

## B.

Amend by striking out sections one, two, three and 2 four, and inserting in their place the following :

3 SECTION 1. Any city or town in this state may, by  
4 a two-thirds vote, grant money to aid the construction  
5 of any line of railway now chartered or that may here-  
6 after be chartered in this state, not to exceed in all  
7 the sum of five per cent. on the last state valuation ;  
8 payments to be made in sums not exceeding one per  
9 cent. per annum of the valuation aforesaid. And it  
10 shall be lawful after such grant for any city or town  
11 to raise by a majority vote the sums aforesaid, and to  
12 apply the same as aforesaid, and to assess the neces-  
13 sary amount on the polls and estates in each town as  
14 other taxes are raised by authority of law. And it

15 shall be lawful for each city and town, by a two-thirds  
16 vote, to pay the right of way or land damages agreed  
17 upon, assessed or awarded, in the construction of any  
18 line or lines of railway, through their respective cities  
19 or towns, in addition to the donation of money con-  
20 templated in this section, and to pay for the same as  
21 other debts of cities or towns are paid, and to raise  
22 by a majority vote the necessary moneys therefor, by  
23 assessments, as for other town debts.

STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 2, 18675. }

Offered by Mr. HUTCHINGS of Brewer, and ordered to be printed.

FRANKLIN M. DREW, *Clerk.*