

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE.

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SENATE.

No. 25.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVEN.

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AN ACT additional to an act to incorporate the proprietors of the Bangor Bridge, also an act additional to an act incorporating the proprietors of the Bangor Bridge.

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

SECTION 1. The present rate of tolls of the Bangor  
2 Bridge Company shall continue for the term of and  
3 during the remainder time of its charter, excepting  
4 that all female foot passengers may pass free, and that  
5 each chaise, chair or sulky drawn by one horse shall  
6 pay ten cents instead of sixteen cents.

SECT. 2. That whenever the receipts from tolls and  
2 other sources, after deducting necessary repairs and  
3 expenses, shall exceed an average annual dividend of

4 ten per cent. upon the cost of construction, of building  
5 and re-building the bridge, then the excess over and  
6 above said dividend shall be held and invested as a  
7 surplus or reserve to reimburse the stockholders for  
8 said cost of construction, or paid to said stockholders  
9 in instalments for that purpose.

SECT. 3. The Bangor Bridge Company shall sell and  
2 convey their bridge and adjoining lands now held by  
3 them and its franchise to the county of Penobscot or  
4 the city of Bangor, or to said city of Bangor and the  
5 town of Brewer, or any other town or towns, whenever  
6 said county, city, town or towns shall pay to the  
7 treasurer of said company, for the purpose of making  
8 said bridge free to public travel, the cost of construc-  
9 tion, of building and rebuilding the bridge, exclusive  
10 of any sums paid for the adjoining lands as aforesaid,  
11 deducting therefrom any sums held by said company  
12 as surplus or reserve or which may have been paid to  
13 said stockholders over and above the said ten per cent.  
14 dividend as provided in section two.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect from and after  
2 the first day of April next.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN SENATE, February 1, 1867.

Laid on the table on motion of Mr. PORTER, and the usual number of copies ordered to be printed for the use of the Legislature.

THOMAS P. CLEAVES, *Secretary.*