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ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST LEGISLATURE

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Referred to Committee on Towns and Counties. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Jones of Farmington.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Duties of County Commissioners Concerning Bridle Paths and Trails in the Unorganized Territory.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 89, § 55, amended. Section 55 of chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes is amended by inserting after the first paragraph, a new paragraph, as follows:

'On similar petition they may also lay out, alter or discontinue bridle paths and trails, public or common landings and public parking places, and the procedure followed shall be in substance the same as is provided for highways. There shall be no obligation on the county to keep bridle paths and trails in repair or to break them out in winter, except that if any bridge is erected thereon, the county shall be under the same obligation to keep such bridge in a safe condition for the use of horses and riders as it is now to keep highway bridges in repair for the purposes for which they are used.'