## FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 62.

## STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section thirty-six of chapter eighteen of the revised statutes, relating to ways.

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

The thirty-sixth section of chapter eighteen of the

- 2 revised statutes, is hereby amended, by striking out
- 3 the words "two years" in the fourth line of said sec-
- 4 tion, and inserting in place thereof the words "one
- 5 year," so that said section, as amended, shall read as
- 6 follows: If the judgment of the commissioners is
- 7 wholly reversed, they shall proceed no further; and
- 8 no petition praying for substantially the same matter
- 9 shall be entertained by them for one year thereafter.
- 10 If their judgment is affirmed in whole or in part, they

11 shall carry into effect the judgment of the appellate 12 court, as if made by them; and the party appealing 13 or prosecuting shall pay the costs incurred since the 14 appeal, if so adjudged by the appellate court, which 15 may allow costs in such cases to the prevailing party, 16 to be paid out of the county treasury. The compensation of the committee is to be the same as commission-18 ers would have for like services, to be allowed by the 19 court. The costs are to be collected as provided in

20 section three.

## STATE OF MAINE.

In Senate, February 29, 1868.

Reported by Mr. SNELL, from the Committee on Legal Reform, and printed under the Joint Rule.

THOMAS P. CLEAVES, Secretary.