

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTIETH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

40.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT defining the notice on petitions for assessment of damages for lands taken by railroad corporations.

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

SECTION 1. In all cases of petition to the county
2 commissioners of any county praying for the assess-
3 ment of damages on account of any railroad corporation
4 having taken any lands therein, the notice to be given
5 to the adverse party of the time and place of the hear-
6 ing thereon, shall be a personal notice of fourteen days,
7 or by publication of the petition and order of notice
8 thereon in some newspaper published in said county,

9 two weeks successively, the last publication to be
10 fourteen days before said hearing.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 10, 1871. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary by Mr. WILSON,
and printed under the rules.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*