

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 71.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT additional respecting railroads.

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

SECTION 1. No railroad company shall construct or
2 maintain any track or run any engines or cars on any
3 street or highway so near any depot of any other rail-
4 road, as to endanger the safe and convenient access to
5 and use of such depot for ordinary depot purposes.

SECT. 2. No railroad company shall take the grounds
2 occupied by any other railroad company, and necessary
3 for its use for depot purposes, without the consent of
4 such company. When application is made to take
5 any such grounds, the railroad commissioners upon
6 notice and hearing thereon, shall determine whether
7 the land proposed to be taken is necessary as afore-

8 said or not, and whether any public necessity requires
9 it to be taken.

SECT. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with
2 this act, are so modified as to render them consistent
3 therewith.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 15, 1872. }

Reported from the Committee on Railroads, Ways and Bridges,
by Mr. PALMER of Bangor,, and printed under the Rule.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*