

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 108.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section fifty-three of chapter eighteen of the revised statutes, relating to appeal from the decision of municipal officers.

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

Section fifty-three of chapter eighteen of the revised
2 statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the word
3 “ assessed,” the words ‘ by a committee or jury,’ so
4 that the same shall read, when amended, as follows :
5 *Sect. 53.* “ When a way or street is raised or
6 lowered, by a surveyor or person duly authorized, to
7 the injury of an owner of land adjoining, he may,
8 within a year, apply in writing to the municipal offi-
9 cers, and they shall view such way or street, and as-
10 sess the damages, if any occasioned thereby, to be
11 paid by the town, and any person aggrieved by said

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12 assessment of damages, on petition to the county
13 commissioners, may have them assessed by a committee
14 or jury, in the manner provided respecting high-
15 ways.”

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 26, 1874. }

Reported from Committee on Judiciary, by Mr. CORNISH,
and ordered to be printed under the Joint Rule.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*