

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 18.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

[S. 17.] AN ACT conferring additional powers upon the
supreme judicial court, relating to railroads.

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

SECTION 1. That in all cases where any foreign rail-
2 road company or railway company is or has been doing
3 business in this state, as the lessee of any railroad,
4 neglects and refuses, or has neglected and refused, for
5 the period of sixty days after demand, to pay and dis-
6 charge any judgment recovered by any person against
7 the company owning such leased road for any damages
8 to the property of such person by the doings, misdoings
9 or neglects of such foreign company, its agents or ser-
10 vants, and which judgment belongs in equity to such
11 foreign company to pay and discharge, the supreme

12 judicial court, on petition, is hereby authorized and
13 empowered to compel payment thereof by such foreign
14 corporation, and to make, pass and enforce all neces-
15 sary orders, decrees and processes for the purpose.

SECT. 2. Be it further enacted, that in all cases in
2 which any such judgment has been, or hereafter may
3 be recovered, and such foreign company has neglected
4 or hereafter may neglect, for the space of sixty days,
5 to satisfy and pay such judgment to such person, the
6 judgment creditor may have and maintain an action
7 upon the case against such foreign company for the re-
8 covery of the amount of such judgment with interest
9 and cost.

STATE OF MAINE

IN SENATE, February 4, 1875.

Reported from the Committee on Judiciary, by Mr. SWASEY,
and laid over to be printed under the Joint Rule.

SAMUEL W. LANE, *Secretary.*