

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 69.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter fifty-one, section fifty-one,
relative to railroads.

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

Section fifty-one of chapter fifty-one of the revised
2 statutes is amended so as to read as follows :

3 *Sect. 51.* They shall keep an accurate account of
4 the receipts and expenditures of such road, and exhibit
5 it on request to any officer of the corporation or other
6 person interested. They shall from the receipts keep
7 the road, buildings and equipments in repair, furnish
8 such new rolling stock as is necessary, and the balance
9 after paying running expenses shall be applied to the
10 payment of any damages arising from misfeasance in
11 the management of the road, and after that according

12 to the rights of parties under the mortgage. They
13 shall not be personally liable except for malfeasance
14 or fraud. When all over due bonds and coupons
15 secured by the mortgage are paid they shall surrender
16 the road and other property to the parties entitled
17 thereto.

STATE OF MAINE.

**IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 4, 1876. }**

**Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary by Mr. PIKE
of Calais, and ordered printed under the Joint Rule.**

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*