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SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

43.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT empowering the county commissioners of Penobscot county to purchase, take and appropriate land for a ferry landing in the town of Brewer.

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

Section 1. The county commissioners of Penob-

- 2 scot county are hereby authorized and empowered,
- 3 if they deem it expedient, to purchase for said
- 4 county, the whole or part of the land in the town
- 5 of Brewer from high to low water mark, situate
- 6 and lying at the northerly terminus of Wilson
- 7 street, so called, between the wharf known as Rol-
- 8 lins' wharf, and a line parallel with and in continu-
- 9 ation of the westerly side thereof, on the one side,
- 10 and that known as Arey's and Egery's wharf on

- 11 the other side, for a ferry landing to be used by 12 and with the ferry across the Penobscot river be-13 tween Bangor and Brewer.
- Sect. 2. If the owners of said land or any of 2 them refuse to sell the same, or, in the judgment 3 of said commissioners, ask an unreasonable price 4 therefor, said commissioners may appropriate and 5 take said land, or so much thereof as they deem 6 necessary to be held and used for the purpose 7 aforesaid. *Provided*, *however*, that the said commissioners shall proceed in the taking of said land 9 and the allowance of damages therefor to be paid 10 by said county, in the manner designated by law 11 for laying out and taking land for a public high-12 way, and all persons interested shall have the same 13 rights and remedies as are provided by law in case 14 of highways.

STATE OF MAINE.

In House of Representatives, February 9, 1881.

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ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.