

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty - Third Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 2.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to cede to the United States of America
jurisdiction over certain land in Eastport, Maine.

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

SECTION 1. That there be and hereby is ceded
2 to the United States of America the jurisdiction of
3 such lot or parcel of land as may be selected in
4 the town of Eastport, as a site for a public build-
5 ing in said place. *Provided, always,* That this
6 cession of jurisdiction is granted and made upon
7 the express condition that the State of Maine shall
8 retain a concurrent jurisdiction with the United
9 States in and over the said tract of land and every
10 portion thereof, so far, that all process, civil or

11 criminal, issuing under the authority of said State,
12 or any officers thereof may be executed by the
13 proper officers thereof upon any persons amenable
14 to the same, within the limits and extent of said
15 tract of land in like manner and to like effect as if
16 said jurisdiction had not been ceded, saving, how-
17 ever, to the United States security to their property
18 within the limits and extent of such lot as may be
19 selected, an exemption of the same and said tract
20 of land from any taxation under authority of said
21 State or town whilst the same shall continue to be
22 owned, held, used and occupied by the United
23 States as a site for a public building, and not
24 otherwise.

SECT. 2. If compensation for such land is not
2 agreed upon, the estate may be taken for the in-
3 tended purpose by payment of fair compensation
4 to be ascertained and determined in the same man-
5 ner as and by proceedings similar to those provided
6 for ascertaining damages in locating highways, in
7 chapter eighteen of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when ap-
2 proved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, January 14, 1887.

**Reported by Mr. GOODNOW from the Committee on the Judiciary.
and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.**

C. W. TILDEN, Secretary.