

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Seventy-first Legislature.

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SENATE.

No. 62

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND THREE.

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AN ACT to amend section 14 of chapter 51 of the Revised  
Statutes relating to the width of the location of railroads.

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

Section 1. Section 14, Chapter 51 of the Revised Statutes  
2 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

‘Sect. 14. A railroad corporation for the location, construc-  
4 tion, repair and convenient use of its road may purchase or  
5 take and hold as for public uses land and all materials in and  
6 upon it; through woodland and forest the land so taken shall  
7 not exceed six rods in width unless necessary for excavation,  
8 embankment or materials, and through all land other than  
9 woodland and forest the land so taken shall not exceed four  
10 rods in width unless necessary for excavation, embankment  
11 or materials.’

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.





STATE OF MAINE.

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IN SENATE, February 12, 1903.

Reported by Mr. WILSON, from Committee on Railroads, Telegraphs  
and Expresses, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary.*