

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 274

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*In Senate, Feb. 7, 1913.*

*Came from the House referred to the Committee on Education and on motion by Senator Murphy of Cumberland laid on the table for printing pending reference in concurrence.*

*W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT authorizing the trustees of the Western State Normal  
School to take land for school purposes.

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*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

Section I. The trustees of the Western State Normal  
2 School at Gorham, if in their opinion public exigency re-  
3 quires it, may take land or rights therein for the purpose of  
4 constructing a building for educational purposes at said Gor-  
5 ham, Maine, having first obtained the consent of the Gover-  
6 nor and Council thereto.

Sect. 2. Upon deciding to take such land for said purpose, they shall cause the same to be surveyed, located and so described that the same can be identified and such description and a plan thereof shall be filed in the registry of deeds for Cumberland County. The filing of such plan and description shall vest the title to the lands and rights aforesaid in the State of Maine.

Sect. 3. For all land or rights therein so taken the owner thereof shall be entitled to damages to be paid by the State and which shall be estimated and determined by the county commissioners of the County of Cumberland on written application of either the owner thereof or of the trustees of said Western State Normal School, within one year after the filing of the description and plan as hereinbefore provided.

Sect. 4. An appeal from the award of said county commissioners may be had to the Supreme Judicial Court in the same manner as provided in the laying out of highways under Section 8, Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes.