

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 465

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*In Senate, March 13, 1913.*

*Reported by Senator Hersey from Committee on Judiciary,  
and ordered printed under joint rules.*

*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 to amend sections eighteen and nineteen of chapter  
twenty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of 1869 and  
amendments thereof and additions thereto, relating to the  
Charter of the City of Ellsworth.

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

Section 1. Sections eighteen and nineteen of chapter  
2 twenty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of 1869 and  
3 amendments thereof and additions thereto are hereby  
4 amended by striking out the word "majority" wherever it  
5 appears in said sections and in place thereof inserting the  
6 word 'plurality.'

Sect. 2. The street commissioner shall be elected by a  
2 plurality vote of the qualified electors of the city and shall  
3 receive such compensation as the aldermen shall vote there-  
4 for.

Sect. 3. All city and ward officers elected by the people  
2 shall hold their offices for one year from the second Mon-  
3 day of March and until their successors are elected and  
4 qualified.

Sect. 4. In case of vacancy in the ward officers or that of  
2 street commissioner the vacancy shall be filled by appoint-  
3 ment by the aldermen, such appointees to hold the office  
4 for the remainder of the term.

Sect. 5. All parts of the city charter and amendments and  
2 additions thereto inconsistent with this act are hereby  
3 repealed.