

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 561

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*In Senate, March 21, 1913.*

*Reported by Senator Bailey from Committee on Legal Affairs, 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 provide for the determination and payment of damages in connection with the building of the State Bridge between the City of Old Town and the Town of Milford and the grading of the highway and approaches thereto.

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

Section 1. All damages sustained by any person, persons, or corporation by reason of the locating, building or repairing the state highway bridge, and the approaches thereto, between the city of Old Town and the town of Milford in the county of Penobscot, or by reason of the grading of the highway to conform to the approaches of said bridge, shall be determined by the county commissioners of Penob-

8 scot county, according to section seven, chapter twenty-  
9 three of the Revised Statutes. Any person or corporation  
10 claiming damages, as aforesaid, shall within sixty days after  
11 the opening of said bridge and its approaches to public travel  
12 present his claims in writing to said county commissioners.  
13 The said commissioners shall fix a time for hearing said  
14 claims, first giving thirty days notice to said claimants and  
15 the attorney general of the state of the time and place ap-  
16 pointed for said hearing.

Sect. 2. Any person aggrieved by the decision of said  
2 county commissioners may appeal to the supreme judicial  
3 court in the manner provided by chapter twenty-three of  
4 the Revised Statutes relating to ways.

Sect. 3. Said damages shall be paid by the state of Maine  
2 upon final judgment, upon warrant of the governor and  
3 council.