

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 924

House of Representatives, March 24, 1915.

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C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN

AN ACT to amend sections 13 and 14 of chapter 4 of the Re-
vised Statutes, as amended, relating to Road Commis-
sioners.

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

Section 1. Section thirteen of chapter four of the revised
2 statutes as amended by chapter seventy-nine of the public
3 laws of nineteen hundred seven and as amended by chapter
4 two hundred of the public laws of one thousand nine hun-
5 dred and nine, and as amended by chapter two hundred
6 thirteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and thirteen,
7 is hereby further amended so that said section shall read as
8 follows:

'Sect. 13. Each town at its annual meeting may elect by
10 major vote a road commissioner who shall hold his office
11 for the term of one year from the date of his election. Any
12 town may at its option elect not more than three commis-
13 sioners whose powers and duties shall be the same as pre-
14 scribed for a single commissioner. No person shall at the
15 same time hold the office of road commissioner and select-
16 man. Should any town fail to elect a road commissioner
17 or commissioners, the selectmen shall appoint one or more
18 road commissioners. The expenditure of all sums of money
19 shall be under the supervision of the selectmen.'

Sect. 2. Section fourteen of chapter four of the revised
2 statutes is hereby amended so that said section shall read as
3 follows:

'Sect. 14. Moderator, town clerk, selectmen, assessors and
5 overseers of the poor, treasurer, auditor, school committee,
6 road commissioners and town agent shall be elected by bal-
7 lot, and the other said officers by ballot, or if not so elected,
8 they shall be appointed by the selectmen. The town agent
9 shall act under the direction of the selectmen and shall re-
10 ceive from the treasury of the town such compensation for
11 his services as may be fixed by vote of the town; otherwise,
12 as the selectmen shall allow.'