

# EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

### SENATE

## NO. 139

In Senate, Feb. 23, 1923.

Reported by Mr. Buzzell from Committee on Judiciary and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

L. ERNEST THORNTON, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Phillips of Hancock.

#### STATE OF MAINE

#### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE

AN ACT to Create a Board of Road Commissioners in the Town of Mt. Desert.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: Section I. The town of Mount Desert in the county of 2 Hancock, at any annual town meeting may elect, in the 3 manner prescribed for the election of town officers in 4 chapter one hundred and ninety-one of the private and 5 special laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, a board 6 of three road commissioners, one for a term of one year, 7 one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three 8 years, and thereafter shall elect one each year for a three 9 years' term.

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Said board shall serve instead of the road commissioner 2 or commissioners, provided for by general statute, and have 3 the same powers in relation to the construction and repair 4 of roads, bridges and sidewalks as the road commissioners 5 and the municipal officers have under such general statute, 6 and be subject to the same duties in relation thereto.

The compensation of such commissioners shall not exceed 2 fifty dollars each, per year. They shall employ a super-3 intendent or superintendents of roads, not one of their own 4 number. Such superintendent shall be under the control 5 of said board of commissioners, and be subject to dis-6 charge by them.

Sect. 2. This act shall not become operative until it is 2 ratified by said town of Mount Desert at an annual town 3 meeting or a special town meeting called by a warrant 4 containing an article for the purpose.

At any annual meeting ratifying this act the board thus 2 provided for may be elected.

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