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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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**Chapter 78**

An Act to amend Section twenty-nine of Chapter eighteen of the Revised Statutes, relating to ways across station grounds of Railroads.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Section twenty-nine of chapter eighteen of the revised statutes is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

'Section 29. No way shall be laid out through or across any land or right of way of any railroad corporation, used for station purposes, unless after notice and hearing the railroad commissioners adjudge that public convenience and necessity require it. When the tribunal having jurisdiction over the laying out of such way is satisfied, after hearing, that public convenience and necessity requires such laying out, such proceedings shall be suspended and petition filed by such tribunal with the railroad commissioners for their adjudication hereunder.'

Section 29 of chapter 18, R. S. amended.

Way shall not be laid out across land of railroad corporations unless after hearing.

—petition shall be filed with railroad commissioners.

Approved March 11, 1903.

**Chapter 79.**

An Act to amend Chapter sixty-one, Public Laws of eighteen hundred eighty-seven, relating to Loan and Building Associations.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Section 1. Section one hundred thirty-eight of chapter sixty-one, public laws of eighteen hundred eighty-seven, is hereby amended by striking out in the fifth line of said section, the word "six" and inserting in place thereof the word 'five,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 138 of chapter 61, public laws of 1887, amended.

'Section 138. When each unpledged share of a given series reaches the value of two hundred dollars, all payments of dues thereon shall cease, and the holder thereof shall be paid out of the funds of the association, two hundred dollars therefor, with interest at the rate of five per cent a year, from the time of such maturity to the time of payment; provided, that at no time shall more than one-half of the funds in the treasury be applicable to the payment of such matured shares, without the consent of the directors, and that before paying matured shares, all arrears and fines shall be deducted. Every share shall be subject to a lien for the payment of any unpaid dues, fines, interest, premiums and other charges received thereon, which may be enforced in the manner hereinafter provided.'

Payment of dues shall cease, when value reaches \$200.

—how holder of shares shall be paid.

—proviso.

—shares shall be subject to liens for dues.

Section 2. Section one hundred forty-eight of chapter sixty-one, public laws of eighteen hundred eighty-seven as amended by

Section 148 of chapter 61, public laws