

SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 18.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE.

AN ACT to provide for an annual examination of the accounts of the treasurer of state.

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

The governor and council shall annually appoint 2 a committee, consisting of not less than three citi-3 zens of the state, who shall carefully examine the 4 accounts of the state treasurer as embodied in his 5 annual report, and certify in writing the result of 6 such examination; and said certificate shall be 7 appended to his report. They shall also examine 8 all cancelled bonds and coupons and destroy the 9 same by burning in the presence of the treasurer, 10 giving him a certificate of such destruction. They 11 shall make a sworn report of their doings as such 12 committee to the governor and council, and said 13 report shall be entered on the records of the 14 governor and council and filed in the office of the 15 secretary of state. The compensation of said 16 committee shall be fixed by the governor and 17 council and paid from the contingent fund of the 18 governor and council.

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IN SENATE, February 1, 1883.

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Reported by Mr. YOUNG, of Cumberland, from the Committee on Financial Affairs, laid on the table to be printed under the Joint Rules.

C. W. TILDEN, Secretary.