

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 44.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

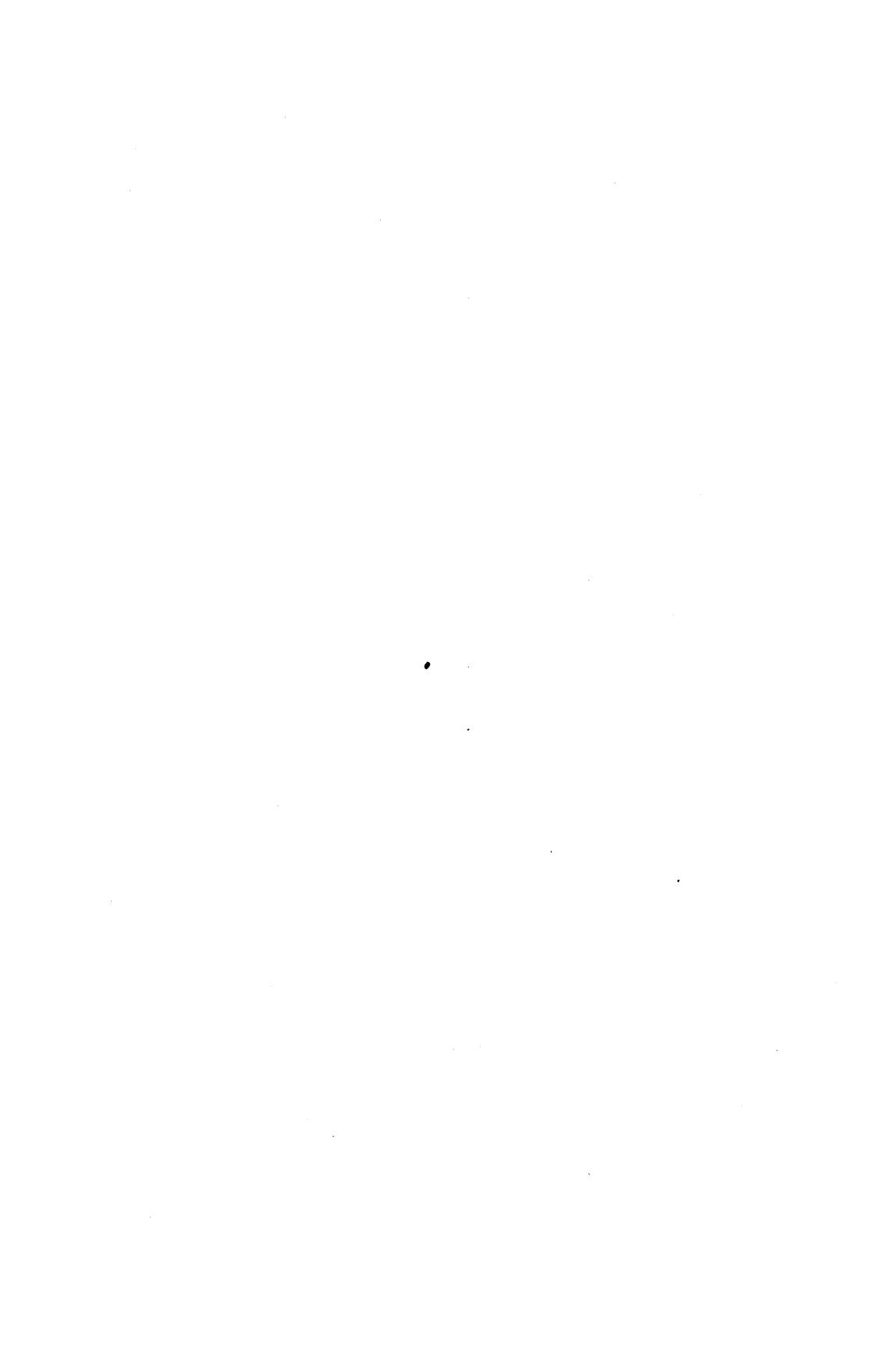
AN ACT giving further authority to notaries public
to take acknowledgments and administer oaths.

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

SECTION 1. Notaries public, in addition to the
2 powers which they now have, may take acknowl-
3 edgment of deeds and other instruments, and ad-
4 minister oaths in all cases where a justice of the
5 peace can act.

SECT. 2. Any and all such acts hitherto per-
2 formed by any notary public are hereby made as
3 valid as if the same had been performed by a
4 justice of the peace.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when ap-
2 proved.



STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 16, 1883.

Reported by Mr. LEBROKE, from the Committee on Judiciary,
and laid on the table to be printed under the Joint Rules.

C. W. TILDEN, *Secretary*.