

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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THE LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

DURING ITS SESSION

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TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE.

No. 14.]

[SENATE.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND
FORTY-NINE.

AN ACT additional on banks and banking.

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

SECTION 1. If the bank at which payment of any
2 bill, note or draft shall have been demanded and
3 refused, shall at any time afterwards, cause a legal
4 tender to be made, at the place of residence of the
5 person who made such demand ; or at the Merchant's
6 Bank, Boston, or at any other bank in said city
7 selected by the holder, if the person making such
8 demand is not a citizen of this state ; or at the place

9 of business of any known owner, or assignee of such
10 person, or of his agent, of the amount of such bill,
11 note, check or draft, and all interest, damages and
12 costs, which may have accrued at the time of such
13 tender, all interest and damages shall thereupon cease
14 on account of the same ; and no person shall recover
15 interest or damages against any bank for any bill,
16 note, check or draft, payment of which was tendered
17 on presentment, in gold or silver of the legal cur-
18 rency of the United States.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with
2 the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, June 19, 1849.

ORDERED, That 350 copies of the foregoing Bill, (reported from the committee on banks and banking,) be printed for the use of the Legislature.

ATTEST: **DANIEL T. PIKE,** *Secretary.*