

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 15.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOUR.

AN ACT to amend section sixty-five of chapter fifty-four of the revised statutes relating to embezzlement of property of deceased persons.

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

SECTION 1. Section sixty-five of chapter sixty-four of
2 the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding after
3 the word "effects" in the fifth line thereof the follow-
4 ing, "or real estate," so that said section as amended
5 shall read as follows :

6 *Sect. 65.* Upon complaint made to the judge of pro-
7 bate by an executor, administrator, heir, legatee,
8 creditor or other person interested in the estate of a
9 person deceased against any one suspected of having
10 concealed, embezzled, or conveyed away any of the

11 money, goods, effects or real estate of the deceased,
12 or of aiding others in so doing, he may cite such sus-
13 pected person to appear before him to be examined on
14 oath in relation thereto, and may require him to pro-
15 duce for the inspection of the court and parties all
16 books, papers or other document within his control
17 relating to the matter under examination.

SECT. 2. This act shall not apply to any examina-
2 tion touching the estate of persons deceased at the
3 date of its approval.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 4, 1874.

Reported from the Committee on Judiciary by Mr. BOYLE of
Waldo, and laid over to be printed under the Joint Rule.

SAMUEL. W. LANE, *Secretary.*