

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 50.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section ninety-seven of chapter six of the revised statutes, relating to collection of taxes.

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

Section ninety-seven of chapter six of the revised
2 statutes, is hereby amended, by adding to said section
3 the following words : “and in case the person so ap-
4 pointed refuses to serve or give the requisite bond, then
5 they may appoint one of their board to act as consta-
6 ble and collector for the collection of taxes,” so that
7 said section, as amended, shall read as follows :

8 *Sect. 97.* When towns choose collectors, they may
9 agree what sum shall be allowed for the performance
10 of their duties ; but if none are chosen, or if those
11 chosen refuse to serve or give the requisite bonds, the

12 assessors may appoint a suitable person to act as con-
13 stable and collector for the collection of taxes ; and in
14 case the person so appointed refuses to serve or give
15 the requisite bond, then they may appoint one of their
16 board to act as constable and collector for the collec-
17 tion of taxes.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 20, 1874.

Reported from Committee on Legal Affairs, by Mr. FOSTER
of Oxford, and laid over to be printed under the Joint Rule.

SAMUEL W. LANE, *Secretary.*