

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 114.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT requiring accounts and claims against towns,
cities, etc., to be verified by oath.

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

SECTION 1. Every person presenting an account or
2 claim against any town, village corporation, city,
3 county, or the state, for services rendered, articles
4 furnished, or expenses incurred, may be examined,
5 under oath, to make true answers, by the officer or
6 officers whose duty it is to audit such account, claim
7 or demand ; and before the same shall be approved and
8 allowed by said officer or officers, said claimant shall
9 be required to make oath that the same is just and
10 true.

SECT. 2. All auditing officers are hereby authorized
2 to administer oaths required by the preceding section.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 1, 1877. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. PIKE of Calais and
ordered printed under the Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*