

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 87.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section twelve of chapter one hundred and forty of the revised statutes, relating to the accounts of the warden of the state prison.

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

SECTION 1. Section twelve of chapter one hundred and forty of the revised statutes is amended as follows: strike out the word "annually" after the word "December" in the last sentence of said section, and insert the words "March, June, September and" before the word "December," wherever it occurs in said section; also annex to said section the sentence: "Vouchers for all expenditures shall be taken in duplicate, one copy of each to be filed at the prison and the other with

11 the governor and council;” so that said section
12 as amended shall read as follows:

13 *Sect. 12.* The warden shall not carry on or be
14 concerned in the business of trade and commerce
15 during his continuance in office; he shall reside
16 constantly within the precincts of the prison, and
17 shall have the care, custody and charge of the
18 prison, and of the convicts therein, in conformity
19 to their sentences, and of the lands, buildings,
20 machines, tools, stock, provisions, and of every
21 other kind of property belonging to or within the
22 precincts of the same. He shall be the treasurer
23 of the prison, receive, pay out, and be accountable
24 for all moneys granted for maintaining it, or
25 derived from the manufactures or other concerns
26 thereof; make in the books of the prison regular
27 entries of all its pecuniary and other concerns,
28 and, on the first day of March, June, September
29 and December of each year, he shall render to the
30 inspectors a fair account of all the expenses and
31 disbursements, receipts and profits of the prison,
32 with sufficient vouchers therefor, and a statement
33 of its general affairs, for the year then past,
34 including the number of convicts received and
35 discharged during the year, and the number

36 remaining; and a similar account and statement,
37 examined and approved by the inspectors; he shall
38 also render, under oath, on the first day of March,
39 June, September and December, to the governor
40 and council, and settle all his accounts with them
41 when they require it. Vouchers for all expendi-
42 tures shall be taken in duplicate, one copy of each
43 to be filed at the prison and the other with the
44 governor and council.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when
2 approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, March 9, 1883.

Reported by Mr. STUBBS of Franklin, from the Committee on
Legal Affairs, laid on the table to be printed under the Joint Rules.

C. W. TILDEN, *Secretary.*