

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Fourth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 139.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section 67 of chapter 64 relating
to embezzlements of property of deceased persons.

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

SECTION 1. Section one is hereby amended by
2 striking out all after the word "examination" in
3 the tenth line and by adding thereto after the word
4 "examination" above mentioned, the words 'such
5 examination may be extended over any period of
6 time not exceeding twenty years before the time
7 said complaint is filed in the probate court,' so that
8 said section as amended shall read as follows, to
9 wit:

'SECT. 67. Upon complaint by an executor,
11 administrator, heir, legatee, creditor or other person

12 intrusted in the estate of a person deceased,
13 against any one suspected of having concealed or
14 conveyed away any money, goods, effects or real
15 estate of the deceased, or of having fraudulently
16 received any such money, goods, effects, or real
17 estate, or of aiding others in so doing, the judge
18 of probate may cite such suspected person to appear
19 before him to be examined on oath in relation there-
20 to, and he may require him to produce for the
21 inspection of the court and parties all books, papers,
22 or other documents within his control relating to
23 the matter under examination, such examination
24 may be extended over any period of time not ex-
25 ceeding twenty years before the time said complaint
26 is filed in the probate court.'

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 26, 1889.

Reported by Mr. WALTON from Committee on Judiciary, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

C. W. TILDEN, *Secretary*.