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Seventieth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 330

STATE OF MAINE.

IN TIJE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND ONE.

AN ACT to amend section thirty of chapter forty-six of the Revised Statutes, relating to Banks and Trust Companies.

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

Section thirty of chapter forty-six of the Revised Stat-2 utes relating to banks and trust companies is hereby 3 amended, as follows:

1st. By inserting after the word "banks" and before 5 the word "and" of the first line thereof the following: 6 'treasurers of trust and banking and safe deposit com-7 panies.'

2nd. By inserting after the word "corporations" and 9 before the word "and," in the tenth line thereof, the 10 following: 'and also the value of the real estate, vaults

11 and safe deposit plant, owned by any bank or trust and 12 banking or safe deposit company, in which it does busi-13 ness and which is taxed as other real estate is taxed in the 14 town in which it is located and the amount for which it is 15 valued by the assessors of such municipality for the year 16 previous.'

3rd. By adding after the word "property" in the last line 18 thereof the following: 'deducting the assessed value of 19 the real estate of any bank, trust and banking or safe 20 deposit company as herein provided.'

So that said section, when amended, shall read as 22 follows:

'Cashiers of banks, treasurers of trust and banking and 24 safe deposit companies, and clerks or treasurers of other 25 corporations shall ascertain the residences of all stock-26 holders in either and no dividend shall be paid to any 27 stockholder, whose residence, for the time being, is not 28 entered on the books thereof; and the cashiers of banks, 29 and clerks or treasurers of all corporations holding prop-30 erty liable to be taxed, shall, by the eighth day of April 31 annually, return under oath, to the assessors of each town, 32 in which any of its stockholders reside, the names of such 33 stockholders, the amount of stock owned by them on the 34 first day of such April, and the amount of stock paid into 35 such corporations, and also the value of the real estate, 36 vaults and safe deposit plant, owned by any bank or trust 37 and banking or safe deposit company, in which it does 38 business and which is taxed as other real estate is taxed 39 in the town in which it is located and the amount for 40 which it is valued by the assessors of such municipality 41 for the year previous, and such return shall contain in the 42 body thereof, or by note annexed thereto an abstract of

43 section thirty-two of chapter six; and such returns shall

44 be the basis of taxation on such property, deducting the

45 assessed value of the real estate of any bank, trust and

46 banking or safe deposit company, as herein provided.'

STATE OF MAINE.

IN House of Representatives, Augusta, March 7, 1901.

Reported by Mr. FULLER of Kennebunk, from Committee on Banks and Banking, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.