

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Seventy-first Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 163

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND THREE.

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred thirty-six, Public
Laws of 1887, relating to unclaimed deposits in savings
banks.

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

Section 1. Chapter one hundred and thirty-six, Public
2 Laws of 1887, is hereby amended by striking out all of
3 said chapter and substituting the following :

‘Sect. 1. The treasurer of every savings bank and in-
5 stitution for savings shall on or before the first day of
6 November annually cause to be published in a newspaper
7 in the place where the bank or institution is located, if

8 any, otherwise in a newspaper published in the nearest
9 place thereto, a statement containing the name, the amount
10 standing to his credit, the last known place of residence
11 or post-office address and the fact of death, if known, of
12 every depositor in said bank who shall not have made a
13 deposit therein or withdrawn therefrom any part of his
14 deposit or any part of the dividends thereon, for a period
15 of more than twenty years next preceding ; provided, how-
16 ever, that this act shall not apply to the deposits of per-
17 sons known to the treasurer to be living. Said treasurer
18 shall also transmit a copy of such statement to the bank
19 examiner to be placed on file in his office for public inspec-
20 tion. Any treasurer neglecting to comply with the pro-
21 visions of this statute shall be liable to a penalty of fifty
22 dollars.'

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

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, March 5, 1903.

Reported by Mr. TITCOMB from Committee on Banks and Banking,
and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary.*