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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Flanders of Auburn.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to the Powers and Duties of Guardians.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. R. S. c. 81, § 9, amended. Section 9 of chapter 81 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 9. Annual accounting of guardian. The bureau may require of every guardian or conservator who shall receive on account of his ward any monies from the bureau, that he shall file with the said bureau annually on the anniversary date of the appointment, in addition to such other accounts as may be required by the court, a full, true and accurate account in duplicate under oath of all monies so received by him, of all disburse-ments thereof, and showing the balance thereof in his hands at the date of such account, and how invested.'

Sec. 2. R. S. c. 81, § 10, amended. Section 10 of chapter 81 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 10. Penalty for failure to file account. If any guardian or conservator shall fail to file with said bureau any account of the monies received by him from the bureau on account of his ward within 30 days after such account is required by the bureau, or shall fail to furnish copies of his accounts to said bureau as required by this chapter, such failure shall be cause for removal by the court on petition of said bureau. The court shall have, in addition hereto, the same authority to impose penalties, cite to an accounting, and to remove guardians for cause as provided in the general guardianship laws of this state.'