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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Bonds for the Treasurer of State, His Deputy and Employees.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 16, § 2, amended. The last paragraph of section 2 of chapter 16 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed, as follows:

'The Treasurer of State, his deputy and employees shall not be required to give bonds under the provisions of this section.'

- Sec. 2. R. S., c. 18, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 18 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 'Sec. 2. Bond. The condition of the Treasurer's bond shall be for the faithful discharge of all the duties of his office and the fidelity of all persons by him entrusted with any of its concerns, and that during his continuance in office he will not engage in trade or commerce, or act as broker, agent or factor for any merchant or trader; and that he, or his executors, administrators or sureties, or their executors or administrators, shall render a just and true account of all his agents' and servants' doings and transactions in the office, to the Legislature, or to such committee as it appoints, on the 1st day of each regular session of the Legislature, previous to the choice of a new treasurer, and at any other time when required by the Legislature or the Governor and Council; and that he will settle and adjust said account and faithfully deliver to his successor in office or to such person as the Legislature appoints, all moneys, books, property and appurtenances of said office, in his, or any of his agents' possession, and pay over all balances found due on such adjustment. Such bond, when ap-

proved as the Constitution prescribes, shall be lodged in the office of the State Auditor.'

Sec. 3. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund the sum of \$1,620 to carry out the purposes of this act.