

Receipt by the State of Maine

Whereas, by the 15th section of an Act of Congress of the United States, entitled, An Act to regulate the deposits of the public money, approved the 23d of June, 1836, it was enacted, That the money, which shall be in the Treasury of the United States on the first day of January, 1837, exceeding the sum of Five Millions of Dollars, shall be deposited with such of the several States in proportion to their respective representation in the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States, as shall by law authorise their Treasurers, or the competent authorities, to receive the same, on the terms hereafter specified; and the Secretary of the Treasury shall deliver to such Treasurers or other competent authorities, on receiving certificates of deposit therefor, signed by such competent authorities in such form as may be prescribed by the Secretary aforesaid.

And Whereas, the State of Maine has by an Act of its Legislature, passed on the twenty fifth day of January one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven, authorised and directed the Treasurer of the said State to receive its proportional share of the said surplus monies of the United States on deposit, with the said State upon the terms specified in the said Act of Congress.

And Whereas, the Secretary of the Treasury, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of Congress, and in conformity

with the provisions of the said Act of the Legislature of the State of Maine, has delivered to the Treasurer thereof the sum of three hundred eighteen thousand, six hundred twelve Dollars and seventy five cents, the same being the first instalment or one-fourth part of the ratable proportion of the said State in the surplus money in the Treasury on the first day of January, 1837.

Now therefore be it known that I Asa Redington Jr. Treasurer of said State do hereby certify that the said sum of three hundred eighteen Thousand, six hundred twelve Dollars and seventy five Cents has been deposited by the Secretary of the Treasury with the State of Maine and that for the safe keeping and repayment of the same to the United States, in conformity to said Act of Congress, the State of Maine is legally bound, and its faith is solemnly pledged.

And in pursuance of the authority of the Act of the Legislature aforesaid, for and in behalf of the said State, I hereby affix my signature and seal in testimony of the premises and of the faith of said State to pay the said money so deposited, and every part thereof, from time to time, whenever the same shall be required by the Secretary of the Treasury, for the purposes and in the manner and proportions set forth and described in the said recited 13th section of the Act of Congress aforesaid, and by a requisition or notice similar in form to that hereto annexed, addressed to the care of the Governor of the State.

Signed and sealed this 26th day of Jan'y. 1837
Asa Redington Jr.

Attest
Wm. Trafton