

Savings Banks Ordinance.

XIII. In case any Depositor in any Savings Bank shall die, leaving any sum of money in the said Savings Bank belonging to him or her at the time of his or her death, not exceeding in the whole, including interest, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, and probate of the Will of the deceased Depositor (if any Will have been made) or letters of administration of his or her estate and effects be not produced to the Commissioners, or if notice in writing of the existence of a Will and intention to prove the same, or to take out letters of administration be not given to the said Commissioners within the period of two months from the death of the said Depositor, and in the latter case, unless such Will be proved, or letters of administration taken out within the period of three months from the death of the said Depositor, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners to pay and divide the same to or amongst any person or persons who shall appear to such Commissioners to be the widow or entitled to the effects of such deceased Depositor according to Law, or according to any General Order which the Commissioners may make in that behalf, and the payment of any such sum of money shall be valid and effectual with respect to any demand of any other person or persons as next of kin, legatee, or personal representative of such deceased Depositor, against the funds of such Savings Bank or the Commissioners thereof; but, nevertheless, such next of kin, legatee, or representative shall have remedy for recovery of such money so paid as aforesaid, against the person or persons who shall have received the same.

Depositors dying leaving \$1,000, in case of no probate or letters of administration.

XIV. If any Depositor, being illegitimate, shall die intestate, leaving any person or persons who, but for the illegitimacy of such Depositor, would be entitled to the money due to such deceased Depositor, it shall be lawful for the Commissioners to pay the money due to such deceased Depositor to any one or more of the persons who shall have claimed such money, and who, in their opinion would have been entitled to the same according to Law, if the said Depositor had been legitimate.

Depositors dying intestate or illegitimate.

XV. Payment of any money by the Commissioners as aforesaid, to any person or persons having letters of administration, or probate of any Will, and appearing to be in force, shall be valid and effectual with respect to any demand of any other person or persons as the lawful representative or representatives of such Depositor against the funds of such Savings Bank and the Commissioners aforesaid; but, nevertheless, such representative or representatives shall have remedy for such money so paid as aforesaid, against the person or persons who have received the same.

Payment to persons having probate or administration effectual.

Remedy to representatives.

XVI. The said Commissioners may, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to receive deposits from any person who shall declare himself willing to act as a Trustee for the account of any other person disabled by idiocy, lunacy, or unsoundness of mind, and to allow interest and make payments as in the case of ordinary Depositors, and the receipt of such person so acting as Trustee shall be a sufficient discharge to the said Commissioners.

Persons of unsound mind may make deposits by Trustees.

XVII. Every Depositor shall, before depositing any sum in the said Savings Bank, sign a Declaration that he has no money in any other Savings Bank established under this Ordinance, and if any Depositor shall make a false Declaration the Commissioners may declare his deposit to be forfeited, and the same shall thereupon be forfeited to the use of Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors: and every Depositor shall, by depositing any money in the said Savings Bank, be held to have assented to and shall be bound by all the provisions of this Ordinance, and the Rules and Regulations made in pursuance thereof; and on making the first deposit, every Depositor shall receive a Book for entry of his deposit, which shall be called "The Depositor's Book," and every sum deposited or withdrawn shall be entered by the Cashier or Clerk therein, and initialed by at least two Officers of said Bank, and no money shall be repaid without the production of the said Book, which shall be deemed to be the Depositor's Voucher.

Depositor to sign declaration.

Depositor depositing bound by this Ordinance and the Rules and Regulations made in pursuance thereof.

Depositor's Book.

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