

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE.

No. 245

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to amend sections thirteen and fourteen of chapter  
seventy-three of the Revised Statutes, relating to sales of  
estates of non-resident owners.

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

Section 1. Section thirteen of chapter seventy-three of  
2 the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by inserting, after,  
3 each of the two words "state" in line three, the words 'or  
4 in a foreign country,' so that said section, as amended, shall  
5 read as follows:

'Sect. 13. The supreme judicial and probate courts may  
7 grant licenses to continue in force for three years, to execu-  
8 tors and administrators of persons dying out of the state  
9 or in a foreign country, guardians of wards living out of  
10 the state or in a foreign country, or some other suitable  
11 person on their petition, to sell and convey real estate or  
12 any interest therein in the state, as if such deceased persons  
13 had died, and such wards lived in the state, and such execu-  
14 tors, administrators or guardians had been here appointed;  
15 and all proceedings in such cases, before any probate court,  
16 shall be had before the judge of probate for the county  
17 where the real estate or any part thereof lies, and the bond  
18 required shall be given to him.'

Sect. 2. Section fourteen of chapter seventy-three of the  
2 Revised Statutes is hereby amended by striking out the word  
3 "certified" in the first line and inserting in lieu thereof the  
4 words 'duly authenticated'; and by inserting after the word  
5 "states" in line three the words 'or in a foreign country,' so  
6 that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 14. A duly authenticated copy of the appointment  
8 of such executor, administrator or guardian, by any court  
9 of probate having jurisdiction in any other of the United  
10 States or in a foreign country, examined and allowed by  
11 any judge of probate in this state, and filed and recorded in  
12 his county, is sufficient proof of appointment to entitle him  
13 to the benefit of the preceding section.'

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.



STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 21, 1907.

Reported by Mr. WEEKS from Committee on the Judiciary, and  
ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*