

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1849.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1849.

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**Chapter 103.**

CHAP. 103.

An act to amend the thirty-second section of the one hundred and twenty-fifth chapter of the revised statutes.

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

That the thirty-second section of the one hundred and twenty-fifth chapter is amended by adding after the word town in the last line, “or plantation, though said plantation may be organized only for election purposes.”

When mortgages of personal property must be recorded.

[Approved July 17, 1849.]

**Chapter 104.**

An act empowering justices of the supreme judicial court or district courts to appoint guardians ad litem for insane persons.

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

SECT. 1. In all suits and prosecutions now pending in the supreme judicial court, or in any of the district courts, in this state, or which may hereafter be commenced in either of said courts, when any party to said suit or prosecution shall become insane, it shall be the duty of any justice of either of said courts, upon application made by the other party during the term of the court or in vacation, to appoint a guardian ad litem for such insane party.

When the justices of the S. J. or district court may appoint guardians for insane persons.

SECT. 2. The guardian so appointed, shall have full power and authority to appear in such suit or prosecution for such insane person or party, and prosecute the same to final judgment, and all his acts therein shall be binding on said insane person. But said guardian shall not in any court be liable for any costs in said suit or prosecution, but shall be entitled to a reasonable compensation for his services from said insane person.

Power of such guardians,

Not liable to costs.

Compensation.

[Approved July 19, 1849.]