

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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PASSED BY THE

FORTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1866.

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1866.

PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1866.

Chapter 46.

CHAP. 46.

An act in addition to chapter sixty-four of the revised statutes in relation to foreign wills.

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

SECT. 1. Any will, made and executed in any foreign country, or in any other of the United States, according to the laws thereof, shall be valid and have the same force and effect in this state, as if made and executed herein in the manner prescribed by the laws thereof, and when offered for probate may be proved and allowed in this state, in the county where the testator was a resident at the time of his death ; proof of execution may be taken in the manner provided by the laws of this state, with respect to wills made and executed therein. When, by such proof, it clearly appears to the judge that such will was made and executed according to the laws of the state or country where made and executed, he may decree probate thereof, and proceed in the settlement of the estate according to the provisions of the will, in the manner provided by the laws of this state, in the settlement of estates by wills made and executed therein.

Wills executed in foreign countries made valid.

Proof in probate, where and how made.

Judge may decree probate and settle estate.

SECT. 2. All acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved February 23, 1866.

Chapter 47.

An act relating to public highways in the cities of this state.

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

Nothing in any city charter, or in acts additional thereto, shall be so construed as to deprive county commissioners of the power to lay out, alter or discontinue county roads, within the limits of such cities.

Powers of co. commissioners to include cities.

Approved February 23, 1866.