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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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### Chapter 19.

An Act to increase the salary of the Register of Probate for the County of Androscoggin.

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

Salary of register of probate for Androscoggin county, increased. Section I. From and after January one, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, the register of probate for the county of Androscoggin shall receive an annual salary of one thousand dollars, to be paid from the county treasury, instead of the salary now provided by law.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 21, 1899.

### Chapter 20.

An Act to increase the salary of the Register of Probate for the County of Cumberland.

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

Salary of register of probate, Cumberland county, increased. Section 1. From and after the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the salary of the register of probate for the county of Cumberland shall be one thousand dollars, and an additional allowance of one thousand dollars for clerk hire, instead of the sum now provided by law.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 21, 1899.

#### Chapter 21.

An Act to amend Section six of Chapter one hundred and fifty-seven of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, relating to the rights of widows and widowers in the real estate of deceased husbands and wives.

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

Section 6, chapter 157, public laws 1895, amended. Section six of chapter one hundred and fifty-seven of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, is hereby amended so that said section six, as amended, shall read as follows:

Release of dower or rights to curtesy shall be deemed to be release of right and interest by descent. 'Section 6. All releases of rights to dower or curtesy in any manner heretofore or hereafter made, in estates conveyed or mortgaged by husbands or wives, shall be deemed to include and shall be construed to include all rights and interests by descent.'

Approved February 22, 1899.