## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

### SIXTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE

1899.

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## PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

1899.

#### Снар. 65

#### Chapter 65.

An Act to amend section thirteen of Chapter sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter fifty-one of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, relating to probate of Foreign Wills.

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

Section 13, chapter 64, R. S., as amended by chapter 51, public laws, 1895, furtner amended.

Section thirteen of chapter sixty-four of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter fifty-one of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, is hereby amended, by striking out in the tenth and eleventh lines the words "the first publication to be three weeks at least before the time so assigned," so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Wills proved in other states or countries, may be allowed in this state.

'Section 13. A will proved and allowed in another state or country, according to the laws thereof, may be allowed and recorded in this state in the manner and for the purposes hereinafter mentioned. A copy of the will and the probate thereof, duly authenticated, shall be produced by the executor, or by any person interested, to the judge of probate in any county in which there is estate, real or personal, on which the will can operate; whereupon the judge shall assign a time and place for hearing, and cause public notice thereof to be given. After such hearing, if the judge considers that the instruments should be allowed in this state as the will of the deceased, he shall order the copy to be filed and recorded.'

-proof, notice, hearing and decree.

Approved March 11, 1899.

#### Chapter 66.

An Act relating to the jurisdiction of Municipal and Police Courts.

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

Jurisdiction of municipal and police courts.

-act shall not enlarge jurisdiction. A municipal or police court shall not have jurisdiction in any civil matter unless the defendant or a party summoned as trustee resides within the county in which such court is established. This act shall not enlarge the jurisdiction of any municipal or police court under acts heretofore passed for the establishment thereof.

Approved March 11, 1899.