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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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PUBLIC LAWS

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**Chapter 111.**

An Act to amend Section four of Chapter one hundred and fifteen of the Revised Statutes, relating to the Register of Probate in Lincoln County.

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

Section 1. On 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 of the county of Lincoln shall be seven hundred dollars per annum, instead of the sum now established by law.

Salary of register of probate, Lincoln county, established.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 17, 1899.

**Chapter 112.**

An Act to prohibit advertising Debtors.

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

Section 1. No person, firm or corporation, shall publicly advertise for sale in any manner whatever, or for any other purpose whatever, any list or lists of debts, dues, accounts, demands, notes or judgments, containing the names of any or all of the persons who owe the same. Any such public advertisement containing the name of but one person who owes as aforesaid, shall be construed as a list within the meaning of this act. Any person, firm or corporation, violating the provisions of this act shall be liable in an action of debt to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars, and not less than twenty-five dollars, to each and every person, severally and not jointly, whose name appears in any such list.

Publishing lists of debts, etc., of persons who owe the same, prohibited.

—rule of construction.

—penalty for violation.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall not apply to executors, administrators, guardians, trustees, trustees in bankruptcy, assignees in insolvency, sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, collectors of taxes, town treasurers, or any other officials whose official duties require them to publish any such list or lists.

Act does not apply to executors, etc., or officials..

Approved March 17, 1899.