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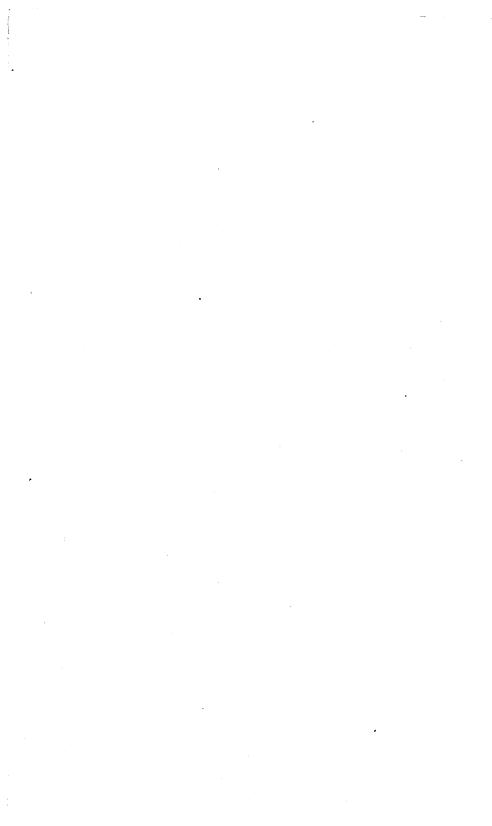
STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIX.

AN ACT additional to chapter sixty-one of the revised statutes, and to the laws additional thereto, relating to married women.

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

- Section 1. The contracts of any married woman,
- 2 made for any lawful purpose, shall be valid and bind-
- 3 ing, and may be enforced in the same manner as if
- 4 she were sole, and her separate property shall be
- 5 holden by attachment or levy on execution in any suit
- 6 brought to enforce such contract, but she shall not be
- 7 liable to arrest on any writ in such suit, or on any
- 8 execution issued on a judgment recovered in the same.
- SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved 2 by the governor.



STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 15, 1866.

Reported by Mr. BARKER, from Committee on the Judiciary.

THOMAS P. CLEAVES, Secretary.