

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 127.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINE.

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AN ACT to amend an act relating to recording devises of real estate in the registry of deeds.

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

Section two of chapter one hundred and eighty-  
2 six of the public laws of eighteen hundred and  
3 seventy-four, is hereby amended by striking out  
4 the word "ten" after the word "within," in the  
5 first line, and inserting in place thereof the word  
6 "thirty," so that said section, when amended, shall  
7 read as follows :

8 *Sect. 2.* Within thirty days after a will has been  
9 duly proved and allowed in the probate court, or  
10 in the supreme court of probate, it shall be the  
11 duty of the register of probate to make out and

12 certify to the register of deeds in the county where  
13 the real estate is situated, a true copy of so much  
14 of said will as devises real estate, with the descrip-  
15 tion of said real estate, so far as any description  
16 can be furnished from said will, and the name of  
17 the testator and of the devisee; and it shall be the  
18 duty of the register of deeds receiving such copy  
19 to forthwith file the same, minuting thereon the  
20 time of the reception thereof as aforesaid, and  
21 record the same in the same manner as now pro-  
22 vided by law for recording deeds of real estate.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 14, 1879. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. LOCKE  
of Portland, and ordered printed under the Joint Rule.

B. L. STAPLES, *Clerk.*