

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 316.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED  
AND NINETY-SEVEN

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AN ACT to amend section eleven of chapter sixty-three of  
the Revised Statutes.

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

Section 1. Section eleven of chapter sixty-three of the  
2 Revised Statutes is hereby amended by striking out the  
3 words "except to the truth of accounts by them rendered,"  
4 in the second line of said section, and by striking out the  
5 word "or" after the word "probate" in the eighth line and  
6 inserting a comma in lieu thereof; and by inserting after  
7 the words "justice of the peace" in said line the words "or  
8 by any woman appointed by the governor, with the advice

9 and consent of the council, to administer oaths in the  
10 state ;' and by striking out all of said section after the  
11 word "recorded" in the tenth line, and inserting in lieu  
12 thereof the following, 'when executors, administrators,  
13 guardians and trustees reside without the state they may  
14 make oath to the truth of accounts, before a justice of the  
15 peace, a commissioner for the state of Maine or a United  
16 States consul.' So that said section as amended shall read  
17 as follows :

'Section 11. All oaths required to be taken by execu-  
19 tors, administrators, trustees or guardians, and all oaths  
20 required of commissioners of insolvency, appraisers and  
21 dividers of estates, or of any other persons in relation to  
22 any proceeding in the probate court, or to perpetuate the  
23 evidence of the publication of any order of notice, or of  
24 any notice of the time and place of sale of real estate by  
25 license of a judicial or probate court, may be adminis-  
26 tered by the judge or register of probate, by any justice  
27 of the peace, or by any woman appointed by the  
28 governor, with the advice and consent of the council, to  
29 administer oaths in the state ; and a certificate thereof,  
30 when taken out of court, shall be returned into the regis-  
31 try of probate, and there filed and recorded. When  
32 executors, administrators, guardians and trustees reside  
33 without the state, they may make oath to the truth of  
34 accounts before a justice of the peace, a notary public, a  
35 commissioner for the state of Maine or a United States  
36 consul.'



STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

March 17, 1897.

Reported by Mr. FLOYD of Brewer, from Committee on Legal  
Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*