

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 331

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIVE.

AN ACT to amend section 19 of chapter 77 of Revised Statutes
relating to title by descent.

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

Section 1. Section 19 of chapter 77 of the Revised Statutes
2 relating to title by descent, is amended by adding thereto the
3 following:

‘Money received for insurance on the life of a woman,
5 deducting the premium paid therefor within three years with
6 interest, does not constitute a part of her estate for payment
7 of debts, or for purposes specified in section one of chapter
8 sixty-eight, when the intestate leaves a widower or issue, but
9 descends, one third to her widower, and the remainder to her
10 issue; if no issue, the whole to the widower, and if no wid-

11 ower, the whole to the issue. It may be disposed of by will;
12 but in case the estate is insolvent, such disposition by will
13 shall be limited to the distribution of such money among the
14 widower and issue in such proportions as the testatrix may
15 designate.'

So that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 19. Money received for insurance on his life, deduct-
18 ing the premium paid therefor within three years with inter-
19 est, does not constitute a part of his estate for payment of
20 debts, or for purposes specified in section one of chapter
21 sixty-eight, when the intestate leaves a widow or issue, but
22 descends, one third to his widow, and the remainder to his
23 issue; if no issue, the whole to the widow, and if no widow,
24 the whole to the issue. It may be disposed of by will; but
25 in case the estate is insolvent, such disposition by will shall
26 be limited to the distribution of such money among the widow
27 and issue in such proportions as the testator may designate.

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29 deducting the premium paid therefor within three years with
30 interest, does not constitute a part of her estate for payment
31 of debts, or for purposes specified in section one of chapter
32 sixty-eight, when the intestate leaves a widower or issue, but
33 descends, one third to her widower and the remainder to her
34 issue; if no issue, the whole to the widower, and if no wid-
35 ower, the whole to the issue. It may be disposed of by will;
36 but in case the estate is insolvent, such disposition by will
37 shall be limited to the distribution of such money among the
38 widower and issue in such proportions as the testatrix may
39 designate.'

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Augusta, March 2, 1905.

Reported by Mr. WEATHERBEE from Committee on Legal Affairs
and ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*