

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, January 19, 1949.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Paine of Portland.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-NINE

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**AN ACT Relating to Fees Payable to Registers of Deeds.**

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Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

**Sec. 1. R. S., c. 79, § 232, amended.** The 2nd paragraph of section 232 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 380 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

‘Recording a deed, mortgage or lease, or description of a family burying ground, \$1; mortgages requiring a 2-page printed form in the record books, \$2;’

**Sec. 2. R. S., c. 79, § 232, amended.** The next to the last paragraph of section 232 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 380 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

‘In all cases where books with printed forms are not furnished therefor, registers of deeds shall receive for receiving, filing and recording any instrument by law entitled to record, the sum of \$1.50 for the first 500 words, and the sum of ~~20c~~ 25c for each 100 words or fraction thereof in excess of 500 words. **If the instrument contains the names of more than 2 parties thereto, other than the husband and wife of the grantor or grantee, an additional fee of 20c each shall be charged for indexing the names of additional grantors or grantees or other parties thereto.**’