

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1846.

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and March 16, 1842.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1846.

CHAP. 177.

Chapter 177.

An Act in addition to the one hundred and twelfth chapter of the revised statutes.

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

Power of judge of probate to sell real estate in certain cases.

SECTION 1. The judge of probate, under whose authority the guardian of any insane or otherwise incapacitated person, has been or may be appointed, shall have power to license the sale of any real estate or of any interest therein, in whatever county the same may be situate, held and owned by the wife of such insane or incapacitated person, or by him in right of his wife ; upon application of the wife of such insane or incapacitated person, with the consent of his guardian, upon such terms and conditions, as the judge may require ; *provided*, that such license shall not be granted, unless the judge shall be satisfied that such sale is necessary for the support of the wife, her husband or children, or will be manifestly for her advantage.

Proviso.

Manner of proceeding.

SECT. 2. The proceedings upon such application, and the authority of the judge of probate, shall be the same in all respects as are or may be provided in reference to applications contained in the first section of the one hundred and twelfth chapter of the revised statutes ; and the deed given upon such sale shall be executed by the wife jointly with the guardian of her husband.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved June 8, 1846.]

Chapter 178.

An Act to increase the salary of the register of probate for the county of York.

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

Increase of salary allowed to the register of probate for York county.

The salary of the register of probate, in and for the county of York, is hereby established at the sum of six hundred and twenty-five dollars per annum, instead of five hundred and fifty dollars, as is now provided by law.

[Approved June 8, 1846.]