

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

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**Chapter 32.****CHAP. 32.**

An act amending chapter sixty-six of the revised statutes relating to insolvent estates.

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

SECT. 1. Section two of chapter sixty-six of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by striking out the word "class," in the second line as printed, and inserting in its place, the words "four classes"; also by substituting the word "the," for the word "a," in the third line as printed, so that said section as amended, shall read—

Ch. 66, sect. 2,  
R. S. amended.

"SECT. 2. When an estate is not sufficient to pay more than such expenses and claims of the first four classes, the administrator is exonerated from payment of any claim of the subsequent class, without making a representation of insolvency."

When representation of insolvency need not be made.

SECT. 2. Section three of the same chapter is hereby amended, by inserting the words "of the fifth class," after the word "debts," in the second line as printed, so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Ch. 66, sect. 3,  
R. S. amended.

"SECT. 3. When an estate appears to be insufficient to pay the debts of the fifth class, on representation thereof by the administrator to him, the judge of probate is to appoint two or more commissioners, to receive and decide upon all claims against the estate, except those of the administrator. They are to be first sworn, and are to make report to the court of all claims presented, and of their disposition, with the sum allowed on each claim."

When representation is to be made.

Commissioners sworn; report.

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

[Approved March 25, 1858.]

**Chapter 33.**

An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops.

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

SECT. 1. No person shall be allowed, at any time, to sell, by himself, his clerk, servant or agent, directly or indirectly, any intoxicating liquors, except as hereafter provided.

Sale of intoxicating liquors.

SECT. 2. No person shall manufacture any intoxicating liquor, for unlawful sale. Any manufacturer of intoxicating liquors shall be allowed to sell intoxicating liquors manufactured by him within

Manufacture restricted. Manufacturer may sell in certain cases.