

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

1864.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

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**Chapter 262.**

An act relating to illegitimate children.

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

Illegitimate children deemed legitimate in certain cases.

When the parents of any child which may be hereafter born illegitimate shall intermarry, such child shall be the legal heir of the father, as well as of the mother; shall follow and have his legal settlement, and shall be deemed legitimate to all intents and purposes.

Approved March 24, 1864.

**Chapter 263.**

An act additional to section seventeen of chapter seventy-one of the revised statutes, requiring certain proceedings by executors and administrators in the conveyance of real estate.

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

Chap. 71, sec. 17, R. S., amended.

Notice to heirs, &c.

—to give bond.

Before a judge of probate shall give authority to any one to execute deeds provided for under section seventeen of chapter seventy-one of the revised statutes, notice, such as the judge may deem sufficient, shall be given to the heirs and other parties interested, and he shall require of the party whom he may authorize to make such conveyance, to give a bond, in a reasonable sum, to account according to law, for the proceeds, or sum, which he may receive therefor.

Approved March 24, 1864.

**Chapter 264.**

An act requiring the secretary of state to furnish the clerks of courts in the several counties, a list of all persons commissioned and qualified as justices of the peace, justices of the peace and quorum, trial justices and notaries public.

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

Lists of justices of the peace, &c., to be furnished clerks of courts.

SECT. 1. The secretary of state shall, on or before the first day of June next, forward to the clerks of court in the several counties, a list of all justices of the peace, justices of the peace and quorum, trial justices and notaries public in this state, whose commissions shall then be in force, and the evidence of whose qualifications has been filed in his office. Such list shall contain the name and place