

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SECT. 5. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine of not more than fifty dollars.

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Penalty for violation.

SECT. 6. It shall be the duty of the local boards of health within their respective jurisdictions and of the state board of health, to enforce this act as far as comes within their power, and when said state board of health knows or has reason to believe that any penalty or forfeiture has been incurred by reason of neglect to comply with said act, it shall, at its discretion, give notice thereof, in writing, to the county attorney of the county in which said penalty or forfeiture has occurred, and upon receipt of such notice the county attorney shall prosecute the defaulting person or persons.

Enforcement of act.

Approved February 23, 1889.

Chapter 214.

An Act to amend section one of Chapter seventy-five of Revised Statutes, relating to the descent of Real Estate.

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

Clause two of section one of chapter seventy-five of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto the words, "and mother in equal shares"; so that such clause as amended, shall read as follows :

Clause 2, sec. 1, ch. 75, R. S. amended.

‘II. If no such issue, it descends to his father and mother in equal shares.’

Father and mother.

SECT. 2. Clause three of the same section is hereby amended by inserting after the word "descends," in the first line, the words, 'one-half to his mother and the remainder,' and striking out the word "mother" in the second line; so that said clause as amended, shall read as follows :

Clause 3, amended.

‘III. If no such issue or father, it descends one-half to his mother and the remainder in equal shares to his brothers and sisters, and when a brother or sister has died, to his or her children or grandchildren by right of representation.’

Mother, brother and sister.

Approved February 23, 1889.