

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC LAWS
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CHAP. 245**Chapter 245.**

An Act to amend Section twenty-five of Chapter sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, relating to allowances to Widows and Minor Children.

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

Sec. 25, ch. 65,
R. S. amended.

Section twenty-five of chapter sixty-five of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words: 'and in solvent estates where there is no widow, the judge may, at his discretion, make an allowance from the personal estate of said deceased, to minor children under twelve years of age, when the income from their distributive share will be insufficient for their support and education,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Allowance to
minor children,
if no widow.

'SECT. 25. In all insolvent estates, if there is no widow, the judge may make a like allowance from the personal estate to the minor children of the deceased, under fourteen years of age; and to those between fourteen and twenty-one years of age, who from ill health are unable to labor. And if there is a widow and such children by a former wife, the judge may, at his discretion, divide such allowance among the widow and such children of a former wife. And in solvent estates, where there is no widow, the judge may, at his discretion, make an allowance from the personal estate, to minor children under twelve years of age, when the income from their distributive share will be insufficient for their support and education.'

Approved March 2, 1889.

Chapter 246.

An Act to authorize towns and cities to raise money for the support of Evening Schools.

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

Cities and towns
authorized to
raise money for
support for
evening schools.

SECT. 1. Cities and towns may raise and appropriate money for the support of evening schools, in addition to the sum they raise for the support of the common schools. Said evening schools shall admit persons of any age, shall teach only the elementary branches, and shall be under the direction and supervision of the local school board.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 2, 1889.