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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1903.

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STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 186

Chapter 186.

An Act to repeal Sections twenty-three and twenty-four of Chapter thirty-nine of the Revised Statutes, relating to Paper.

Sections 23
and 24 of
chapter 39, R.
S. repealed.

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

Section 1. Sections twenty-three and twenty-four of chapter thirty-nine of the revised statutes are hereby repealed.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 28, 1903.

Chapter 187.

An Act to amend Sections thirty-eight, forty and fifty-one of Chapter sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, relating to Executors and Administrators.

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

Sections 38 of
chapter 64, R.
S., amended.

Section 1. Section thirty-eight of chapter sixty-four of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the first fifteen words and inserting in place thereof the following: 'Every executor or administrator within three months after his appointment or within such further time, not exceeding three months, as the judge allows,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

Executor or
adminis-
trator shall
give notice of
appointment
within three
months.

'Section 38. Every executor or administrator within three months after his appointment or within such further time, not exceeding three months, as the judge allows, shall cause notice of his appointment to be posted in two or more public places to be specified by the judge in the town where the deceased last dwelt, if in the state, and shall give such further notice as the judge in writing directs.'

Section 40 of
chapter 64,
amended.

Section 2. Section forty of chapter sixty-four is amended so that the same shall read as follows:

Notice proved
by affidavit,
filed and
recorded.

'Section 40. An affidavit of the executor or administrator or of the person employed by him to give such notice shall be filed with a copy of the notice in the probate court within one year after his appointment, and the register shall note thereon the time of filing, enter the same on his docket, and record said affidavit, and such record is evidence of the time, place and manner in which the notice was given.

—affidavit
shall be filed
within four
months

In case an appeal is taken from the appointment of an executor or administrator, then said affidavit shall be filed, noted,