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CHAP. 324 herein shall be construed as changing in any way the common law burden of proof as to such matters as are so put in issue under the pleadings.'

Approved April 2, 1915.

Chapter 324.

An Act to Amend Chapter Forty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Appointment of Guardians by Consent.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Ch. 42, Sec.
1, P. L.,
1911,
amended.

Section 1. Section one of said chapter forty-two of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred eleven is hereby amended by substituting in the fifth and sixth lines and in the last line of said section in place of the words "guardian over him," the words 'conservator of his estate,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Conserva-
tor of es-
tate may be
appointed
by judge
of probate.

'Section 1. Whenever any person shall deem himself unfitted, by reason of infirmities of age or physical disability, to manage his estate with prudence and understanding, he may apply to the judge of probate for the county in which he resides, for the appointment of a conservator of his estate, and thereupon the said judge of probate may upon hearing, after such notice as he may order, appoint some suitable person as conservator of his estate, and such appointment shall not disfranchise the person for whose estate such conservator is appointed.'

Ch. 42, Sec.
2, P. L., 1911,
amended.

Section 2. Section two of said chapter forty-two is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

Conserva-
tors of es-
tates shall
be bonded.

'Section 2. The person so appointed shall give bond to the judge of probate in such sum and with such sureties, resident in the State, or with a surety company authorized to do business in the State, as surety, as the judge accepts, conditioned as provided in section ten of chapter sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes and all provisions of law relating to giving notice of appointment and to the management of estates of adult persons under guardianship shall apply to such conservator.'

Approved April 2, 1915.