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AS PASSED BY THE

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gations in said application are true, may appoint two or more commissioners, who shall, after being duly sworn, and after notifying the parties as directed in their commission, meet at a convenient time and place and determine whether any and what amount shall be allowed on each claim, and report to him at such time as he may limit. Sections five, six, seven, eight, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen and seventeen of chapter seventy-one apply to such claims, and the proceedings thereon. No action shall be maintained on any claim so committed unless proved before said commissioners; and their report on all such claims shall be final, saving the right of appeal.'

Approved April 4, 1923.

Chapter 146.

An Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Seventy of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Allowance to Minor Children.

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

R. S., c. 70, sec. 18; relating to allowances to minor children, if no widow, in insolvent estates, amended. Section eighteen of chapter seventy of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out after the word "estates" in the first line thereof, the words "if there is no widow," and in the seventh line, after the word "estates," the words "where there is no widow," so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 18. Allowances to minor children may be made in cases where deceased left a widow. In all insolvent estates, 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, 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 shares will be insufficient for their support and education.'

Approved April 4, 1923.

Chapter 147.

An Act to Amend Section Thirteen of Chapter Eighty of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Waiver of Provisions of Will.

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

R. S., c. 80, sec. 13; relating to waiver of provisions of a will, amended.