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registry of deeds in each county where real estate affected by it is located,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 9. Determining fact that omission was intentional or was occasioned by mistake. A child, or the issue of a deceased child not having any devise in the will, takes the share of the testator's estate, which he would have taken if no will had been made, unless it appears that such omission was intentional, or was not occasioned by mistake, or that such child or issue had a due proportion of the estate during the life of the testator. Upon the hearing on the petition for allowance of such will, or thereafter prior to allowance of the final account, upon special petition alleging the facts and after such reasonable notice as the judge of probate may order, evidence may be offered in the probate court and the judge of probate may determine as a fact that such omission was intentional or was not occasioned by mistake, or that such child or issue had a due proportion of the estate during the life of the testator, from which decree an appeal will be to the supreme court of probate. Upon final judgment being entered such child or issue shall be thereupon barred from claiming his said share in the testator's estate, a copy of such decree shall be filed in the registry of deeds in each county where real estate affected by it is located.'

Approved April 5, 1929.

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## Chapter 233.

An Act Relative to Penalty for Making False Affidavit of Application for Pension for the Blind.

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

R. S., c. 148, sec. 19; relating to penalty for making false affidavit. Section nineteen of chapter one hundred and forty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the words "be deemed guilty of perjury and shall be subject to the penalty provided by law therefor" and by inserting in place thereof the words, "be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding eleven months, or both" so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 19. Penalty for false affidavit specified. Whoever makes a false affidavit in order to secure the benefit herein provided, shall upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding eleven months, or both.'

Approved April 5, 1929.