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FEE SCHEDULE – REGISTER OF WILLS AND CLERK OF ORPHANS' COURT	
ACCOUNTS (FIRST & FINAL): Executors, Administrators, Trustees, and Guardians	
1 st Page (including advertising)	146.00
Each additional page	6.00
---No charge for Petition for Adjudication/Statement of Proposed Distribution	
*****AUTOMATION FEE COLLECTED ON ALL FIRST FILINGS*****	
GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY & ADMINISTRATION (including real estate)	
ESTIMATED ESTATE VALUE	
\$ 0.00 not exceeding \$ 1,000.00 (each additional page of Will after first page - \$6.00)	32.00
Over \$ 1,000.00 not exceeding \$ 5,000.00	42.00
Over \$ 5,000.00 not exceeding \$ 10,000.00	61.00
Over \$ 10,000.00 not exceeding \$ 20,000.00	72.00
Over \$ 20,000.00 not exceeding \$ 30,000.00	84.00
Over \$ 30,000.00 not exceeding \$ 40,000.00	96.00
Over \$ 40,000.00 not exceeding \$ 50,000.00	106.00
Over \$ 50,000.00 not exceeding \$ 75,000.00	120.00
Over \$ 75,000.00 not exceeding \$ 100,000.00	132.00
Each additional \$ 100,000.00 or fraction thereof	48.00
Letters of Administration dbncta	25.00
Petition for Letters Testamentary (petition requests alternate executor)	25.00
ADOPTIONS	
Petition for Adoption	43.00
JCS Fee (First Filing)	40.25
Automation Fee (First Filing)	10.00
Report of Intention to Adopt (some exception, request waiver of fee from Judge)	75.00
Termination/Petition to Confirm Consent (Voluntary-Involuntary)	32.00
Birth Certificate Application (State issued – check payable to Vital Records) Required – Birth Certificate Application and Certificate of Adoption	20.00
AFFIDAVIT	14.00
AFFIDAVIT OF DEATH	25.00
ANSWERS briefs, finding of facts, conclusions of law, stipulation, motions, disclaimer & praecipes, conveyance	14.00
AMENDED PETITION	14.00
APPEAL to Supreme to Superior Court, certificate of record and bond (county fee) Check payable to higher court (state fee)	72.00 90.25
AUTOMATION FEE (collected on all first filings requiring a JCS fee and marriage license applications)	10.00
BIRTH AND DEATH CERTIFICATES – 1893 – 1905	5.00
BOND – (twice the amount of personal property)	14.00
CAVEAT	14.00
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE	14.00
CITATION (including Proof of Service)	14.00
CLAIM/SATISFACTION CLAIM AGAINST ESTATE	14.00
CODICIL Each additional page of Codicil	21.00 6.00
COPIES – per page	.50
DISCHARGE OF TRUSTEE & APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE -requires judges signature	15.00
ELECTION TO TAKE UNDER OR AGAINST WILL	16.00
ENTRY OF APPEARANCE	14.00

ESTATE INQUIRY FEE - per name (request must be in writing)	7.00
EXEMPLIFICATION OF RECORD (Issuing with certifications) Each additional page of documents requested	25.00 6.00
EXEMPLIFICATION OF RECORD (filing) Each page of document filed with exemplification Estate Number	32.00 7.00 6.00
EXEMPTION – Widow or Children	14.00
FAMILY SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT	32.00
FOREIGN ADOPTION FILING to obtain US Birth Certificate	43.00
Birth Certificate application – State Issued – check made payable to Vital Records	20.00
JCS Fee	40.25
GUARDIANSHIP	
Petition & Appointment – (may include Citation with Notice)	25.00
JCS Fee	40.25
Assignment of estate number	6.00
Automation	10.00
INHERITANCE TAX RETURN (Filed in Duplicate)	
Filing	14.00
Supplemental	5.00
Filing certified copy of Inheritance Tax paid in another county & estate number	27.00
Filing Citation Inheritance Tax Appraisalment	120.00
Certificate of Inheritance Tax paid in Mifflin County	N/C
INVENTORY	
Inheritance or Guardian	14.00
Supplemental	5.00
ISSUING ESTATE FILE NUMBER	6.00
JCS FEE (collected on all first filings requiring a JCS fee and marriage license applications)	40.25
MARRIAGE LICENSE	50.00
Out of State Affidavit	14.00
MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS	14.00
MINOR'S SETTLEMENT	
Petition for Approval	14.00
JCS Fee	40.25
Estate Number	6.00
OBJECTIONS	14.00
PETITION (No charge for Orders)	14.00
Petition including 4 pages with 7 pages of exhibits	14.00
Petition over 4 pages (each page after 4)	6.00
Flat fee for exhibits 8 pages and over	25.00
PETITION FOR SALE OF REAL ESTATE (petition & order)	25.00
PETITION FOR SMALL ESTATE	25.00
JCS Fee	40.25
Assignment of estate number	6.00
PROOF OF PUBLICATION	14.00
RELEASE	14.00
RENUNCIATION (each)	6.00
REPORT OF GUARDIAN OF INCAPACITATION – (Person and/or Estate)	14.00
SEAL – REGISTER OF WILLS/ORPHANS' COURT CERTIFICATION	4.00
SHORT CERTIFICATE	6.00
SUBPOENA	6.00
WITHDRAWAL OF CLAIM/OBJECTIONS	14.00