

the doing of which, the law allows her forty days from the probate of the will: if she neglects to enter her election within that time, the law will conclude her by the bequests in the will, and she may not thereafter claim her thirds. Where the testator doth bequeath part of his personal, and devise also part of his real estate to his wife, instead of her thirds and dower, it is at her election either to accept both, or to stand to the devise of the real estate instead of her dower, and refuse the bequest of the personal estate, and in lieu thereof claim her thirds; or she may accept the latter, and refuse the former, at her will and pleasure.

Direction
with regard
to the inven-
tory.

The making of the inventory is the next thing in view; for the finishing of which three months are allowed.

How the inventory is to be formed, what is therein to be inserted, by whom to be signed, with other particulars relating to it, is treated of under the preceding head of *inventory*, page 12. which see.

The inventory must also contain accidental sums of money (if any) received by the executor, or administrator, in the course of their administration; as for instance.

If