

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

Senate Document

No. 63

S. P. 150

In Senate, Feb. 10, 1927.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Buzzell of Oxford.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Amend Chapter Sixty-eight of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-one, Relating to the Appointment of Public Administrators.

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

R. S., c. 68, sec. 29, as amended by chapter 166, section 29 of the public laws of 1921; relating to the appointment of public administrators, amended. Section twenty-nine of chapter sixty-eight of the revised statutes as amended by chapter one hundred sixty-six of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "any" in the fifth line of said section the words 'widow, or widower,' and by inserting after the

9 word "estate" in the sixth line of said section the following
10 words, 'provided such widow or widower, heirs or kindred,
11 who can lawfully inherit such estate, living out of this state,
12 shall fail to petition for administration on said intestate
13 estate within sixty days from the date of the death of said
14 intestate'; so that said section as amended shall read as
15 follows:

'Sect. 29. Providing for the appointment of public ad-
2 ministrator in each county. The governor, with the advice
3 and consent of the council, shall appoint in each county for
4 the term of four years, unless sooner removed, a public
5 administrator, who shall take out letters of administration
6 and administer on the estate of persons who die intestate
7 in such county, not known to have in the state any widow
8 or widower, heirs or kindred who can lawfully inherit such
9 estate; provided such widow or widower, heirs or kindred
10 who can lawfully inherit such estate, living out of this state,
11 shall fail to petition for administration on said intestate
12 estate within sixty days from the date of the death of said
13 intestate. Such public administrator shall account in like
14 manner, and give bond to the judge with like conditions,
15 as in cases of ordinary administration, and with the further
16 condition, in substance, that he will comply with the fol-
17 lowing section.'