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NINETY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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H. P. 534 House of Representatives, January 31, 1951 Referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Delahanty of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Rights of Inheritance of Children or Their Issue
Omitted in Will of Parent.

R. S., c. 155, § 9, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 9 of chapter 155 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'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; but the natural child of a testator, who has been legally adopted by a person other than the testator and his spouse, shall not come within the terms of this section.'