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S. P. 199

In Senate, February 3, 1955

Referred to the Committee on Welfare, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Martin of Kennebec.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT Relating to Pauper Relief.**

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

**R. S., c. 94, § 20, amended.** The 1st sentence of section 20 of chapter 94 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The father, mother, grandfather, grandmother, children and grandchildren, by consanguinity, living within the State, **or owning property within the State,** and of sufficient ability, shall support persons chargeable in proportion to their respective ability.'