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NINETY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 560

S. P. 219 In Senate, February 9, 1955 Referred to the Committee on Judiciary, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Weeks of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT Repealing Law Granting Letters Testamentary to Executor of Will Pending Appeal.

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

R. S., c. 154, § 59, amended. Section 59 of chapter 154 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed as follows:

'See. 59. Letters granted to executor, pending appeal. When a will has been proved and allowed by the judge of probate and an appeal made therefrom, he may, instead of appointing a special administrator as aforesaid, grant letters testamentary to the executor named in such will, who shall give bond and proceed in the settlement of such estate as if no appeal had been made; and after payment of the just debts and charges of administration, he shall retain in his hands all the remaining avails of such estate to await the result of the case in the supreme court of probate, and then pay the same, under the direction of the judge of probate, to the parties legally entitled thereto.'