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ADMINISTRATION WITHOUT BOND.

as herein described, and the expense of constructing such state CHAP. 238 highways shall be borne wholly by the state, except as otherwise provided in section twenty-three. The Commission shall be sole arbiter of the designation of the state and state aid highways, but shall, as to state highways, after reasonable notice by publication give all parties interested an opportunity to be heard thereon before commencing such construction. Except as provided in section twenty-three, the construction of state highways shall be paid for wholly from the proceeds of the state bond issue herein provided for, and such proceeds of the aggregate of such bonds shall be expended equitably among the various counties."

Approved March 31, 1915.

Chapter 238.

An Act to Provide for Granting Administration in Certain Cases without Giving Bond.

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

Section I. A judge of probate may in his discretion grant administration or administration with the will annexed, upon any estate, to the widow or next of kin, without requiring bond for the faithful discharge of the duties of the trust, whenever all persons interested in said estate who are of full age and legal capacity, other than creditors, assent in writing thereto; provided that public notice shall first be given upon the petition for such appointment. The judge of probate may, however, upon or after granting letters of administration or letters of administration with the will annexed, whenever it appears necessary or proper, require that a bond be given as in other cases.

Section 2. Letters testamentary shall not issue under the provisions of section ten of chapter sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, nor shall administration or administration with the will annexed be granted without bond under the provisions of the preceding section, unless the petition for probate of the will or for administration contains an application that no bond be reguired, and the fact of such application is stated in the public notice on such petition.

Approved March 31, 1915.

Judge of probate may grant administration without bond, as herein provided.

-proviso.

-may re-quire bond.

Applica-tion for no bond must be stated in public notice on petition.

-exception.

—hearings shall be had before commencing construc-tion.

Construction work shall be paid from proceeds of bonds.