

S. F. No. 219.

## CHAPTER 98.

To amend Sec.  
71 Chap. 46  
G. L. 1889.

*An act to amend section seventy-one (71) of chapter forty-six (46) of the general laws of 1889, (Probate Code.)*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That subdivision second of section seventy-one (71) of chapter forty-six (46) of the general laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Second. If the widow, or next of kin, or the person selected by them, is unsuitable or incompetent, or if the widow, or next of kin neglects for thirty days after the death of the intestate to apply for administration, or to request that administration be granted to some other person, the same may be granted if the deceased was a native of any foreign country, to the consul or other representative of the kingdom, state or country, of which the deceased was a native, residing in the State of Minnesota, who may have filed a copy of his appointment as such consul or representative with the secretary of the state, or to such person as such consul or representative may request to have appointed, if suitable and competent to discharge the trust; but if such deceased was not a native of any foreign kingdom, state or country, or if said consul or representative shall for thirty days after notice, served as required in section three hundred and seventeen (317) of this act, neglect to apply for administration or to request that administration be granted to some other person, the same may be granted to one or more of the principal creditors, if any such are competent and willing to take it, or to such other person as may be interested in the administration of the estate of the deceased.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 19th 1895.

Letters of administration, to whom granted.