CHAPTER 357.

PROBATE OF WILLS BY CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT.

S. F. 437.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in sections two hundred fifty (250), three thousand two hundred sixty-one (3261) and three thousand two hundred eighty-three (3283) of the code and providing for the admission to probate of wills of decedents by clerks of the district court.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Probate of wills by clerk — objections — district court trial. That the law as it appears in section two hundred fifty (250) of the code be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"Fourth. The admission to probate of wills of decedents, when not

"Fourth. The admission to probate of wills of decedents, when not contested, and the making of necessary orders in relation thereto, including orders for the issuance of commissions to take depositions and proof may be made before the clerk in the same manner as is made in open court. If on or before the date set for hearing before the clerk written objections to the probate of such will shall be filed the clerk shall proceed no further, but the proceeding shall stand for trial before the district court on such objections without further notice."

- 1 SEC. 2. Hearing. That the law as it appears in section three 2 thousand two hundred sixty-one (3261) of the code be amended by 3 inserting between the words "notice" and "shall" in the third line of 4 said section the words, "except in case of proof of wills."
- SEC. 3. Probate jury trial. That the law as it appears in section three thousand two hundred eighty-three (3283) of the code be and the same is hereby amended by striking from the third line of said section the following words: "which shall be during a term of court."

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CHAPTER 358.

STATE RAILROAD COMMISSION.

S. F. 532.

AN ACT making appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases and to investigate and determine all cases within its jurisdiction.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. State railroad commission — administration of duties 1—appropriation. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in 2 the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of eighty-five