

Consent received or paid by executor or administrator... shall allow the executor or administrator the salary of...

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid...

the Advice and Consent aforesaid that if the Residuary Legatee... or persons dying in this province and who ought to have the residue of such deceased persons Estate do dwell in England or other parts of her Majesty's Dominion out of this province... shall the Executor or Administrator... the Residue of all the real and personal Estate (after Debts and Legacies there paid) into money or other Effects for the best advantage of the persons to whom due and returns the same to such Residuary Legatee or kindred as aforesaid. that then the Comissary General shall allow to such Executor or Administrator the usuall Salary allowed by Merchants to their Factors (viz) ten per Cent.

And whereas it sometimes happens that persons of great Estate dying in this province leave their Books very imperfect so that it cannot be exactly known what Debts are due upon such Books unless the Executor or Administrator take the pains to carry about such Books from one Shop Dealer to another to settle accounts which many times proves a very considerable charge to the Executor or Administrator and requires a very great deal of trouble and Charge and many times there appear Discounts or defalcations or receipts to bar such Book Debts or the Debtors whose Accounts are old are insolvent and the Executors or Administrators for such their great pains and ^{diligence} have hitherto had no allowance

Therefore Best it should be a discouragement to Executors and Administrators that having no salary therefor they should receive pay of improve the Testators or other Estates

Be it enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent aforesaid... Comissary General that he shall have such Consideration... no doubt shall arise to him thereby to recompense... beneficial to and for the Comissary General to allow... Administrator some thing in the whole for such pains and... discretion of such Comissary General not exceeding five...