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Chapter 261.

An Act to amend Section sixty-seven of Chapter eighty-one of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter one hundred and seven of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, relating to Attachments.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 67, chapter 81, R. S., as amended by chapter 107, laws 1895, further amended.

Section sixty-seven of chapter eighty-one of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred and seven of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, is hereby amended by striking out after the word "situated" in the thirteenth line of said laws the words "subject to the exceptions named in this section," and also by striking out after the word "attachments" in the sixteenth line of said laws the words "in which case the time shall be extended for a further period of five years," and inserting in place thereof the words 'and at the expiration of five years from the time of such first, or any subsequent bringing forward, such attachment shall expire, unless within said period, it is again brought forward in like manner,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Attachment continues for thirty days after judgment.

-exceptions.

—attachment of real estate expires in five years, subject to exceptions.

-fees of register.

'Section 67. An attachment of real or personal estate continues for thirty days, and no longer, after final judgment in the original suit, and not in review or error; except attachments of equities of redeeming real estate mortgaged or taken on execution; or equities of redemption sold on execution; or an obligee's conditional right to a conveyance of real estate on execution; or property attached and replevied; or property attached belonging to a person dying thereafter, or specially provided for in any other case: but an attachment of real estate shall expire at the end of five years from the date of filing the same in the office of the register of deeds in the county or district where the said real estate or some part of it is situated, unless the said register shall, within said period, at the request of the plaintiff or his attorney bring forward the same upon the book of attachments, and at the expiration of five years from the time of such first, or any subsequent bringing forward, such attachment shall expire unless within said period it is again brought forward in like manner. The register shall be entitled to the same fee for bringing forward such attachment upon the said book of attachments, as for the original entry thereof.'

Approved March 23, 1897.