
FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 87.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT.

AN ACT to amend section one of chapter seventy-one of the revised statutes relating to powers of judges of probate.

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

Section one of chapter seventy-one of the revised statutes is hereby amended, by inserting in the second line thereof after the word "license," the words, "the leasing or," so that said section as amended shall read as follows :

SECTION 1. Judges of probate in the counties where the applicants hereinafter named were appointed, may license the leasing or the sale or exchange of real estate and certain interests therein, including land held

10 in mortgage and possession thereof taken for condition
11 broken, and land taken on execution, although the
12 right of redemption is not foreclosed, in whatever
13 county the same is situated, in the following cases, on
14 application :

15 Item fifth of said section one is hereby amended by
16 inserting in the fifth line thereof, after the word “ or,”
17 the words, “ to lease for any term of years or ;” and
18 after the word “ sale,” in the sixth line thereof, the
19 word “ lease,” so that said fifth article, as amended,
20 shall read as follows :

21 *Fifth.* Of the friends or guardians of minors and
22 other incapacitated persons, that the guardians or some
23 other suitable persons may be authorized to sell such
24 estate of the wards or any trees or timber standing
25 thereon, and place the proceeds at interest ; or to lease
26 for any term of years or to exchange any such estate,
27 when it fully appears that such sale, lease or exchange,
28 would be for the benefit of the wards.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 14, 1868. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. PLAIS-
TED of Bangor.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*