
FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 114.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT in addition to an act to provide for the restoration of the records of the court of probate for Cumberland county, passed March first, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

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

SECTION 1. All the provisions of the ninth, tenth, 2 eleventh, twelfth and fourteenth sections of said act, 3 relating to the return, verification and record of copies 4 or abstracts of certain accounts therein specified, and 5 to the effect of such verification and record, shall apply 6 to any accounts of administration which had been set 7 tled before the fourth day of July, eighteen hundred 8 sixty-six ; and any executor, administrator, guardian,

9 trustee, assignee or surviving partner may at any time
10 voluntarily present to the court a copy or abstract as
11 nearly as may be of any account settled before the
12 day aforesaid, and a copy or abstract as nearly as may
13 be of any inventory returned and recorded before that
14 date, for verification and record as provided in said
15 sections. Upon the presenting or return of any such
16 copies or abstracts of accounts under the sections afore-
17 said or under this section, the judge shall order notice
18 to all parties interested, unless they assent in writing
19 thereto, of the time assigned for a hearing thereon,
20 and may in his discretion order like notice upon any
21 such copy or abstract of inventory. And the record
22 of any such inventory or abstract of inventory, when
23 verified, and certified copies thereof, shall be prima
24 facie evidence in any court.

SECT. 2. The third section of said act shall be
2 amended by striking out from the first line the words
3 “of the record.” The fourth section shall be amend-
4 ed by striking out from the third line the words “of
5 record.” The sixth section shall be amended by strik-
6 ing out from the last sentence but one of the same the
7 words “or that such statement be established as the
8 substance of the will,” and from the last sentence the
9 words “or of the substance of the same.”

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 21, 1868. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. REED
of Portland.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*