

FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE.

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STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter ninety-six of the public laws of eighteen hundred sixty-two relating to the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indians.

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

SECTION 1. The second section of chapter ninety-2 six of the public laws of eighteen hundred sixty-two, 3 is hereby amended, by striking out from said section 4 the following words in the eight and ninth lines, 5 namely:...and not more than one hundred rods of 6 shore shall be sold in one lot," so that the section, 7 when amended, shall read as follows:

8 Sect. 2. The agent of the Penobscot tribe, under 9 the orders of the governor and council, is authorized 10 to lease the public farm on Orson island, and appro-11 priate the accruing rents to the use of the schools of

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12 said tribe; and the shores of the islands in the Penob-13 scot river belonging to said tribe shall be hereafter leased 14 for the purpose of booming or hitching logs, under the 15 orders of the governor and council. Such leases shall 16 not run longer than five years. Notice of the time 17 and place of such sale shall be given by publishing the 18 same in one of the daily papers of Bangor, thirty days, 19 and such notice shall specify the shores to be sold and 20 the limits of each lot.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, January 29, 1869.

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S. J. CHADBOURNE, Clerk.