

## Sixty-Seventh Legislature.

No. 204.

## STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section four of chapter 508 of the Private and Special Laws of 1885, relating to the Norway Municipal Court.

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

Section four of chapter 508 of the Private and Special 2 Acts for 1885, is hereby amended so that said section as 3 amended shall read as follows:

Section 4. Said court shall be held on the first Tuesday 5 of each month at ten o'clock in the forenoon for the trans-6 action of civil business at such place within said town as 7 the judge shall determine, but the town may at any time 8 provide a court room, in which case the court shall be held

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9 therein, and all civil processes shall be made returnable 10 accordingly, provided, however, that said court shall be 11 held on every Tuesday at the usual hour, for the entry 12 and trial of actions of forcible entry and detainer, and 13 such actions shall be returnable accordingly, and be 14 heard and determined and judgment entered on the 15 return day of the writ unless continued for good 16 cause, may be adjourned from time to and it 17 time by the judge at his discretion; but it shall be in 18 constant session for the cognizance of criminal actions; 19 provided that if said judge is prevented by any cause from 20 attending at the time said court is to be held for civil 21 business, it may be adjourned from day to day by any 22 deputy sheriff or a constable of the town, without detri-23 ment to any action then returnable or pending until he 24 can attend, when said actions may be entered or disposed 25 of with the same effect as if it were the first day of the 26 term; and it may be so adjourned without day when nec-27 essary, in which event pending actions shall be considered 28 as continued, and actions then returnable may be returned 29 and entered at the next term with the same effect as if 30 originally made returnable at said term.'

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Reported by Mr. HARLOW, from Committee on Legal Affairs, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, Secretary.