## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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## SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

## SENATE

NO. 123

In Senate, Feb. 26, 1919.

Reported by Dr. Davies from Committee on Judiciary and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

P. F. CRANE, Secretary.

Presented by Mr. Butler of Franklin.

## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN

AN ACT to Amend Section Four of Chapter Ninety-three of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-eight, Relative to the Time of Holding the Civil Terms of the Municipal Court of the Town of Farmington.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section four of chapter ninety-three of the private and

- 2 special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight is here-
- 3 by amended by striking out the words "except in Septem-
- 4 ber, when it shall be held on the third Tuesday," in the
- 5 second and third lines of said section, so that said section
- 6 when amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 4. Said court shall be held on the fourth Tuesday 2 of each month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the

3 transaction of civil business, at such place within said town 4 as the judge shall determine, but the town may at any 5 time provide a court room, in which case the court shall 6 be held therein, and all civil processes shall be made re-7 turnable accordingly, and it may be adjourned from time 8 to time by the judge, at his discretion; but it shall be 9 considered in constant session for the cognizance of crim-10 inal actions; provided, that if said judge is prevented by II any cause from attending at the time said court is to be 12 held for civil business, it may be adjourned from day to 13 day by a constable of the town, without detriment to any 14 action then returnable or pending, until he can attend, when 15 said actions may be entered or disposed of with the same 16 effect as if it were the first day of the term; and it may 17 be so adjourned without day when necessary, in which 18 event pending actions shall be considered as continued, 19 and actions then returnable may be returned and entered 20 at the next term, with the same effect as if originally made 21 returnable at said term.'