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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1850.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 161.

An act in addition to an "act establishing town courts."

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

Powers of justices of the peace and quorum in case of vacancy in the office of justice and recorder of town courts.

SECT. 1. That whenever a justice and recorder of any town court have both died or removed from the state, any disinterested justice of the peace and of the quorum of the county, shall have power to issue original and renew old executions in the same manner and under the same legal restrictions as such deceased or absent town justice or recorder might do, if alive or present; and the execution shall be enforced and obeyed like all other executions issuing from lawful authority: *provided nevertheless*, that this power shall not be in force for more than four years from and after the death or removal of such town justice or recorder; *and provided also*, that such disinterested justice shall file in the office of the clerk of the courts for said county, a certified copy of each execution he may issue by virtue of this act.

Proviso.

Judgments and records, how certified.

SECT. 2. That any justice of the peace and of the quorum as aforesaid, may make and certify copies of judgments and other records of such deceased or absent town justice or recorder, which documents thus certified shall have the same validity as if made and certified by such town justice or recorder himself.

[Approved July 17, 1850.]

Chapter 162.

An act fixing the times of holding the district court in the county of Franklin.

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

Terms of western district court for Franklin county, changed.

SECT. 1. The terms of the district court for the western district, within and for the county of Franklin, shall commence on the last Monday in March, and on the Monday next but one preceding the first Tuesday in October, annually; and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Processes, how disposed of.

SECT. 2. All writs, warrants, complaints, executions, petitions, recognizances, orders, certificates, reports and all processes of every kind whatever, commenced for, pending in, or returnable to said court for and within said county, shall be returned