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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1874.

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ment is paid within thirty days after demand made upon any such agent or the insurance commissioner by the officer holding the execution, the commissioner may, on notice and hearing of the parties, suspend the power of the company to do business in this state until it is paid; and if the company or any agent thereof issues any policy in this state during such suspension, said company and agent shall each forfeit not exceeding one hundred dollars. But any policy so issued shall be binding on the Policies valid. company in favor of the holder.'

Снар. 227. doing business in this state unless judgment be paid in thirty days. Penalty for issuing policies dur-ing suspension.

All notices and processes which by any law, bylaw or provision of any policy, any insured or other person has occases, how served. occasion to give or serve on any such company, may be given to or served on its agent, or on the insurance commissioner, as provided in said section sixty-three, with like effect as if given or served on the principal. Such agents and the agents of all domestic companies shall be regarded as in the place of the company in all respects regarding any insurance effected by them. The company shall be bound by their knowledge of the risk and of all Company bound matters connected therewith. Omissions and misdescriptions known to the agent shall be regarded as known by the company, and waived by it the same as if noted in the policy.'

Notices and pro-

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Chapter 227.

An act to define certain duties of county commissioners.

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

The county commissioners in the several counties are hereby Indexes in the directed to make all new and additional volumes of index hereafter necessary in the registries of deeds, after the form known as ledger index, so that the same surnames shall be recorded together in each volume; and they are authorized in each county, if they deem it expedient, to change all volumes of index now in the registries of deeds to said form.

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