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of said Pittsfield Village Corporation shall survive for the purpose of prosecuting and defending all actions and causes of action to which said Pittsfield Village Corporation is a party, and collecting payment of all claims and demands now existing in favor of or against said Pittsfield Village Corporation and all needful processes growing out of the same.

- Sec. 2. Town of Pittsfield authorized to assume liabilities of village corporation. The town of Pittsfield may, at a meeting legally called by a warrant and containing an article for that purpose, by vote, assume all the outstanding liabilities of said Pittsfield Village Corporation on the day when this act takes effect, and in case said town so votes, they shall have authority to raise money by loan upon town orders, notes or bonds which shall be valid claims upon said town, with which to discharge such liabilities, and thereupon all the property and assets of said Pittsfield Village Corporation shall become the property of and vested in said town.
- Sec. 3. Act not effective until accepted by town. This act shall take effect when accepted by a majority of the legal voters of Pittsfield present and voting at any annual meeting of said town, the warrant containing an article for that purpose.

Approved March 27, 1925.

Chapter 60.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Ninety-three of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-eight, as Amended by Chapter Forty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen, Relating 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:

- P. & S. L., 1878, c. 93, sec. 4; 1919, c. 40; relating to terms of the Farmington municipal court, amended. Section four of chapter ninety-three of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, as amended by chapter forty of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word "accordingly" in the sixth line of said section the words, 'except that actions of forcible entry and detainer may be made returnable for entry and trial on any Tuesday in the year and said court shall be held on every Tuesday of each month at ten o'clock in the forenoon for the entry and trial of cases of forcible entry and detainer, and judgment may be entered on the return day of such writs unless continued for good cause,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:
- 'Sec. 4. Forcible entry and detainer cases may be made returnable any Tuesday. Said court shall be held on the fourth Tuesday of each month,

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at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the transaction of civil business, at such place within said town as the judge shall determine, but the town may at any time provide a court room, in which case the court shall be held therein, and all civil processes shall be made returnable accordingly, except that actions of forcible entry and detainer may be made returnable for entry and trial on any Tuesday in the year and said court shall be held on every Tuesday of each month at ten o'clock in the forenoon for the entry and trial of cases of forcible entry and detainer, and judgment may be entered on the return day of such writs unless continued for good cause, and it may be adjourned from time to time by the judge, at his discretion; but it shall be considered in constant session for the cognizance of criminal actions; provided, that if said judge is prevented by any cause from attending at the time said court is to be held for civil business, it may be adjourned from day to day by a constable of the town, without detriment to any action then returnable or pending, until he can attend, when said actions may be entered or disposed of with the same effect as if it were the first day of the term; and it may be so adjourned without day when necessary, in which event pending actions shall be considered as continued, and actions then returnable may be returned and entered at the next term, with the same effect as if originally made returnable at said term.

Approved March 27, 1925.

Chapter 61.

An Act Relating to the Salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Portland.

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

P. & S. L., 1891, c. 150, sec. 3, as amended; relating to salary of judge, amended. Section three of chapter one hundred and fifty of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, as amended by section one of chapter five hundred and fifteen of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, as further amended by chapter twenty-three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and fifteen, is hereby further amended by striking out the word "eighteen" in the second line of said section, and inserting in place thereof the word 'twenty-two,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 3. Salary increased. The salary of the judge of said court shall be twenty-two hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly, in full for all services.'

Approved March 27, 1925.