

the same, and said certified copies shall be admitted in evidence in any of the Courts of the State. A. D. 1879.

SEC. 5. That the Probate Judge of Beaufort County receive the sum of twenty-five dollars to be paid by the County Treasurer of Hampton County upon the order of the County Commissioners for the certificates aforesaid.

Approved December 24, 1879.

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AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE APPOINTMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL TRIAL JUSTICE FOR THE COUNTIES HEREIN NAMED. No. 159.

*Be it enacted* by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That on and after the passage of this Act an additional Trial Justice for the County of Lexington shall be appointed and commissioned by the Governor, who shall reside at or near Peak's Station, in said County, and who shall receive the same compensation as is now or may hereafter be provided by law for Trial Justices of the said County, and an additional Trial Justice each for the Counties of Fairfield, Darlington and Horry.

Approved December 24, 1879.

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AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE TOWN OF BLYTHEWOOD, IN THE COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD. No. 160.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted* by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That the town of Blythewood, in the County of Fairfield, be, and the same is hereby, incorporated, and that all the rights, powers and privileges now conferred upon the officers and citizens of the town of Ninety-Six, in this State, are hereby conferred on and vested in the officers and citizens of the town of Blythewood.

SEC. 2. That the officers of said town shall consist of one Intendant and four Wardens, who shall be elected annually on the 2nd Tuesday in January, and that J. L. Wardlaw, James Bookhart and

A. D. 1879. W. H. Jones are hereby appointed Managers to conduct and declare the first election of said town.

Limits of town. SEC. 3. That the limits of said town shall extend one-quarter mile North and South and one-quarter mile East and West from the Blythewood depot of the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Railroad Company.

SEC. 4. That this Act shall take effect from after its passage, and shall remain in force until repealed.

Approved December 24, 1879.

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No. 161. AN ACT TO REVIVE THE CHARTER OF THE LAURENS RAILROAD COMPANY.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted* by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Laurens Railroad Company," approved December 17th, 1847, be, and the same is hereby, re-enacted for a term of twenty years.

SEC. 2. That upon the sale of the said railroad company by the order of any Court, the purchaser or purchasers may, and are hereby, empowered to organize under the terms and conditions with all the privileges and subject to all the penalties imposed by said Act.

SEC. 3. That all Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with this Act be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Approved December 24, 1879.

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No. 162. AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR DRAINAGE IN THE COUNTIES OF ANDERSON AND BEAUFORT."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted* by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That Section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for drainage in the Counties of Anderson and Beaufort," approved December 23, 1878, be amended by striking out, after Anderson, the word "and" and inserting after Beaufort "Chester, Greenville, Oconee, Union and