

the board of commissioners of public works to form a quorum of said board to do business, be and the same is hereby repealed, and hereafter no less than four shall be requisite to constitute a quorum.

SEC. 2. The fund commissioners elected under the provisions of the act to which this is a supplement, shall hold their offices for two years, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

SEC. 3. Nothing in the act to which this is a supplement, shall be so construed as to entitle the fund commissioner or commissioners of public works, to receive their per diem compensation, excepting for the time actually and bona fide engaged in the discharge of their respective duties.

APPROVED 4th March, 1837.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of Nathan Ellington late a justice of the peace in and for the county of Coles. In force 28th Feb. 1837.

WHEREAS Nathan Ellington was commissioned a justice of the peace in and for the county of Coles August 31 1831, and continued to exercise and perform the duties of the office for said county, until August 15 1835, but the said Nathan Ellington being sworn into office by a justice of the peace, instead of being sworn into office by the clerk of the county commissioners court as is required by the 6th section of an act declaring what shall be evidence in certain cases, approved January 10 1827; now therefore

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, That all and singular the acts of the said Nathan Ellington, as such justice of the peace be, and they are hereby declared as legal and binding to all intents and purposes, either at law or equity, as if the said Nathan Ellington had been sworn into office as the law requires.

This act to be in force from and after its passage.

APPROVED February 28, 1837.

AN ACT in relation to the title of school and canal lands. In force January 16th, 1837

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, That purchasers of school or canal lands or town lots, may by endorsement purchase assignable, and