

dred thousand dollars, and may issue notes of the county therefor, payable in not more than one year from their date or dates of issue.

SECTION 4. This act shall take full effect upon its acceptance, during the current year, by the county commissioners of said county, but not otherwise.

Approved August 22, 1949.

Chap.730 AN ACT PROVIDING ADDITIONAL ACCOMMODATIONS AND FACILITIES FOR THE COURTS AND COUNTY DEPARTMENTS OF WORCESTER COUNTY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 98 of the acts of 1932 is hereby amended by striking out section 2 and inserting in place thereof the following: — *Section 2.* For the purposes aforesaid, the treasurer of said county, with the approval of the county commissioners, may borrow from time to time on the credit of the county such sums as may be necessary, not exceeding, in the aggregate, one million three hundred thousand dollars, and may issue bonds or notes of the county therefor, which shall bear on their face the words, Worcester County Court House Loan, Acts of 1932 and 1949. Each authorized issue shall constitute a separate loan, and such loans shall be payable in not more than twenty years from their dates. Such bonds or notes shall be signed by the treasurer of the county and countersigned by a majority of the county commissioners. The county may sell the said securities at public or private sale upon such terms and conditions as the county commissioners may deem proper, but not for less than their par value. Indebtedness incurred under this act shall, except as herein provided, be subject to chapter thirty-five of the General Laws.

Approved August 22, 1949.

Chap.731 AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE NUMBER OF JUSTICES AND SPECIAL JUSTICES OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF SPRINGFIELD.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 218, § 6, etc., amended.

Section 6 of chapter 218 of the General Laws, as amended by section 1 of chapter 588 of the acts of 1947, is hereby further amended by striking out the first and second paragraphs and inserting in place thereof the following two paragraphs: — Each district court, except the municipal court of the city of Boston, the central district court of Worcester and the district court of Springfield shall consist of one justice and one special justice.

Justices and special justices of the district court of Springfield.

There shall be two justices and two special justices in the central district court of Worcester and the district court of Springfield. The senior justice shall be the first justice of the court. Citations, orders of notice, writs, executions and all other processes issued by the clerk of the court shall bear the teste of the first justice thereof.

Approved August 22, 1949.