

HOUSE No. 180.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 20, 1878.

The Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the Order to inquire into the expediency of providing by law, that in the Superior Court, when cases are continued *nisi*, and determined in vacation, judgment therein may be entered as of the then last term of the court, have had the matter under consideration, and report the accompanying Bill.

For the Committee,

C. H. HILL.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-Eight.

AN ACT

Concerning the Continuance of Cases *Nisi* in the Superior Court.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1 SECT. 1. If an action is continued *nisi* from
2 any term of the superior court, and is determined
3 by the court before the next term in the same
4 county, the judgment by order of the court on
5 the motion, or at the request of the party pre-
6 vailing, may be entered as of the then last term
7 of the court in the county where the action is pend-
8 ing; *provided, however*, that nothing herein con-
9 tained shall be construed to take away from the
10 superior court any power now possessed by it.

1 SECT. 2. This act shall take effect upon its pas-
2 sage.

