

Presumptive evidence.

duly certified copy thereof shall be presumptive evidence in all cases of such appointment and qualification.

Administrator or guardian in another state, may release of record.

Sec. 3. Any administrator, executor or guardian appointed in any other State or country is hereby authorized to release and fully discharge of record in any manner and by any instrument authorized by law, to the same extent as any administrator, executor or guardian appointed under the laws of this state could do. Any judgment rendered by the supreme court or by any court of any county where such copy of the original record is recorded, or any mortgage or deed of trust given as a mortgage of property within such county, belonging to the estate or to the minor or other person represented by him, and may also in the same manner and to the same extent release and fully discharge any property in this state from the lien of such judgment, mortgage or deed of trust.

Certain records may be released.

Certificate of judge or clerk of court must be appended.

Provided that appended to and as a part of such release shall be the certificate of the judge or clerk of the proper court, duly attested, that said executor, administrator or guardian is at the date of such release or instrument, still acting as such executor, administrator or guardian, under the authority of said court, and is authorized to execute the same and that the debt secured by the instrument sought to be released is the property of the state, and *provided further* that nothing herein contained shall authorize any administrator or guardian of another state, or country to release or discharge any judgment, mortgage or deed of trust, while any administrator, executor or guardian of the estate to which such judgment mortgage or deed of trust belongs is authorized to act by virtue of appointment and qualifications under the laws of this State.

Releases heretofore made legalized.

Sec. 4. All releases and discharges of record of any judgment, mortgage deed of trust heretofore made by administrators, executors or guardians in the manner and the extent authorized by this act where the copy of the original record required by this act has been or shall hereafter be recorded as required by this act, are hereby declared to be valid and binding from the date of such release or discharge.

Approved April 24, 1894.

CHAPTER 52.

S. F. 240.

AN ACT to amend section 277 of the code, of 1873, relative to the administering of oaths and the acknowledgment of instruments in writing by notaries public.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Sec. 277 Code amended.

May take acknowledgment in county adjoining residence.

SECTION 1. That section 277 of the code of 1873 be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words, "each notary public within his county," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "each notary public within the county of his residence. and within any county adjoining the county of

his residence in which he has a certified copy of his certificate of his appointment on file with the clerk of the district court of such county.

Approved April 24, 1894.

CHAPTER 53.

AN ACT to amend Section 3327 of the code of 1873, relating to the H. F. 150. satisfaction of school fund mortgages.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section 3327 of the code of 1873 be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "him" in the second line as follows: "And in case of pay-
ment of a school fund mortgage, the county auditor."
Sec. 3327 Code amended.
Duty of county auditor.

Approved March 23, 1894.

CHAPTER 54.

AN ACT to amend Section 289 and 290 of the code of 1873 as amended by Chapter 16 of the Laws of the Twenty-fourth General Assembly of the State of Iowa, relating to the bonding of county indebtedness. S. F. 56.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section 289 of the code of 1873, as amended by chapter 16 of the acts of the Twenty-fourth General Assembly be and the same is hereby amended as follows: Strike out of the second line of said section 289 the words, "the first day of April 1892," and insert in lieu thereof the words "the twenty-third day of January, 1894."
Sec. 289 Code amended.
January 23 substituted for April 1.

SEC. 2. Strike out of the sixth line of said section 290 as amended by chapter 16 of the laws of the Twenty-fourth General Assembly, the words, "on the first day of April 1892" and insert in lieu thereof the words "on the twenty-third day of January 1894."
Same amendment in sec. 290 of Code.

SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa. Publication clause.

Approved February 9, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, February 14, 1894.

W. M. McFARLAND, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 55.

AN ACT to amend Sections 289 and 290 of the Code of 1873 as amended by Chapter 16 of the Laws of the 24th General Assembly of the State of Iowa, relating to the bonding of county indebtedness. S. F. 42.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section 289 of the code 1873 as amended