

is authorized to fix the rate, or schedule, of fees in the schools in Protest-
under its control, and to change the same whenever it may ^{ant schools,} deem it advisable, and to have the said fees collected, as in ^{&c.}
the past, by the teachers of the said schools, and paragraph 4
of article 245 of the Education Act, 62 Victoria, chapter 28,
is amended accordingly in so far as it refers to the schools
under said board."

2. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction. Coming into force.

CHAP. 41

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes respecting Judges of
the Sessions, Police Magistrates, and District Magistrates

[Assented to 1st, April 1909]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legis-
lative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec,
enacts as follows :

1. The following article is inserted in the Revised Statutes R.S.Q., art.
2289 a added.
after article 2289 :

" **2289a.** No judge of the Court of Sessions of the Peace, Judges of
Police Magistrate, or District Magistrate shall, either directly Sessions, &c.,
or indirectly, as director or manager of any corporation, com- not to hold
pany or firm, or in any other manner whatever, for himself certain posi-
or others, engage in any occupation or business other than his tions, &c.
judicial duties ; but every such judge and magistrate shall
devote himself exclusively to such judicial duties."

2. This act shall come into force on the first day of January Coming into
1910. force.

CHAP. 42

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes respecting the terms
and sittings of the Superior Court

[Assented to 29th May, 1909]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legisla-
tive Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec,
enacts as follows :

1. The following articles are inserted in the Revised Statutes R.S.Q.,
2331a, added.
after article 2331 :

Proclamation that certain courts be held outside chief place. “ **2331a.** The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may order by proclamation that, from the date therein mentioned, the terms and sittings of the Superior Court and of the judges thereof, in the districts of Terrebonne, Three Rivers and Arthabaska, shall also be held in a county other than that in which the chief place of the district is situated.

Contents of proclamation Such proclamation shall contain a description of the place and of the building where the said terms and sittings are to be held, and shall also mention the times when the said terms and sittings shall be held.

Change of dates of terms, &c. The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may, in the same way, change the dates of the said terms and sittings, as well as the place where they are to be held.

When proclamation to be issued. “ **2331b.** The proclamation mentioned in article 2331a shall not be issued until the municipal council of the place where the terms and sittings of the said Superior Court and the judges thereof are to be held, or the county council, have procured at such place, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, a building, with rooms suitable for a court room for the judge or judges and the officers of the court.

In what cases courts, &c., sit outside chief place.. “ **2331c.** From and after the date of such proclamation, terms and sittings of the Superior Court and of the judges thereof shall be held in said place for all causes in the district in which the right of action arose in the county, or when the defendant resides in the county, unless the parties consent that the cause or any incident thereof, be tried, heard and decided at the chief place of the district.

What powers exercisable out of chief place. “ **2331d.** All the powers and functions belonging to judges in chambers and which can be exercised by the judge in chambers or by the prothonotary, may be exercised in the county at the place fixed by proclamation, as well as at the chief place of the district, as to matters in which the right of action arose in the said county.

Indemnity to prothonotary. In proper cases, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may grant such indemnity as he thinks proper to any prothonotary who is obliged to travel for the purposes of this act.

Travelling expenses, &c. how payable. The travelling expenses of the prothonotary and of the other officers of the court, when their presence is necessary, as well as the indemnity which may be granted to the prothonotary, shall be payable out of the sums voted by the Legislature, from time to time, for the administration of justice.”

Coming into force. **2.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.