

## PROCESS, CIVIL.

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| Any persons in the state may order out process in their own names, without any tiling from an attorney, and the clerks of the general and county courts shall, on application to them, issue such writs, the parties demanding the same, (if non-residents of the state,) giving security for their fees—1716, ch. 20, sec. 2, . . . . . | 45  |
| Sheriff neglecting to make return of process liable to amerciamment—1815, ch. 149, sec. 1, . . . . .   | 631 |
| May be issued to another state against the administrator of a defendant dying—1815, ch. 149, sec. 4, . . . . .   | 632 |
| From one county to another, to be addressed through the post-office to the clerk of another—1817, ch. 139, sec. 1, . . . . .   | 670 |
| Duty of the clerk to take up the letters, to deliver the process to the sheriff, to transmit a certificate of receipt and delivery, which shall be evidence—1817, ch. 139, sec. 2, . . . . .   | 670 |
| Sheriff to make return of process to the clerks of the court—1817, ch. 139, sec. 7, . . . . .  | 672 |

## PROMISSORY NOTES.

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| For stealing and counterfeiting them—see <i>Crimes and Punishments</i> .                        |     |
| Upon appeal, not to be reversed, though the endorsement may be in blank—1825, ch. 35, . . . . . | 824 |
| See <i>Protest</i> .  |     |

## PROTEST.

See NOTARY PUBLIC—BILLS OF EXCHANGE.

## PRIVATE ROADS.

See ROADS.

## PROSECUTION.

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| No process for any criminal matter or other misdemeanor shall issue out of any court without a presentment first found by the grand jury, unless by a special order of the court—1715, ch. 48, sec. 1, 2, . . . . .  | 41  |
| Clerks not to issue such process without an order from an attorney—1715, ch. 48, sec. 3, . . . . .   | 42  |
| No attorney-general, or clerk of the peace or of indictments, shall exhibit any bill of indictment to a grand jury without an order from the court, or one of the justices, or unless the offender be bound over to such court, or presented by the grand jury of their own knowledge—1722, ch. 5, . . . . . | 58  |
| No prosecution or suit shall be commenced for any fine, penalty or forfeiture, unless within one year from the time of the offence committed—February, 1777, ch. 6, sec. 1, . . . . .  | 129 |
| No prosecution or suit shall be commenced for any forfeiture imposed by the act relating to officers' fees, unless within one year from the time of the offence committed—November, 1779, ch. 25, sec. 19, . . . . .   | 156 |