

directed to apply to any court where he may believe he can procure an extract or extracts for the purpose of completing and restoring said records, for such extract or extracts as the necessity of the case may require, and the clerk of any court is hereby required to furnish the said commissioner such extract or extracts in a book provided by the said commissioner for that purpose, under the seal of the office of the court of which he may be clerk, which seal shall cover and be valid for all the extracts up to the date of the seal, and said commissioner shall record the same extract or extracts amongst the law records of said county.

25. The deed or deeds, or other instruments of writing, and the extracts aforesaid enrolled shall have the same effect and operation in law, to all intents and purposes, as if the records aforesaid, in which the said deed or deeds, or other instrument of writing, were heretofore enrolled had never been destroyed.

26. Any person or persons having possession of any bill of sale, mortgage or other instrument of writing, relating to personal property that appears to have been heretofore recorded in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for the said county, and the record thereof has been destroyed, may have the same enrolled again, and the clerk of the said court is hereby required to record the same, together with the endorsement thereon, of the former enrollment at the cost and expense of the party or parties requiring the same, and the same when recorded shall have the same effect and operation in law, to all intents and purposes, as if the records aforesaid, in which the said papers were heretofore recorded had never been destroyed.

27. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

In force from March 20, 1865.