All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this Inconsistent acts repealed. act are hereby repealed.

This act shall take effect from and after its ap-Sec. 9. When act to take effect.

proval.

Approved March 4, 8172.

CHAPTER XVII.

An act relating to the Minnesota Hospital for the Insane. March 1, 1872.

Section 1. Monthly report to be made by superintendent of insane hospital to next of kin of all patients.

2. When act to take effect.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. The Superintendent of the Minnesota hos- Monthly report pital for the insane is hereby required on the first day of to be made out. each month to make out a report in writing showing the condition of each patient in said hospital, [separately], with reference to

What it shall contain.

Bodily health;

Appetite;

Sleep;

Mental symptoms generally;

Particular symptoms;

Mental state;

Habits and inclinations;

Prospect of restoration;

and shall forward by mail to the next of kin of each of such To whom forpatients respectively, a copy of such report without charge, warded. within the first week of each month.

This act shall be in force from and after its When act to passage.

take effect.

Approved March 1, 1872.