CHAPTER XCIX.

AN ACT RELATING TO THE PRINTING OF THE REPORTS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS ON THE PROGRESS OF THE GE-OLOGICAL AND NATURAL HISTORY SURVEY OF THE STATE.

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

Section 1. One thousand copies of that portion of the annual report of the board of regents of the University of Minnesota which embraces the report of the state geologist on the progress of the geological and natural history survey of the state, shall hereafter be paged and bound separately, and shall be subject to the disposition of the said board of regents.

SEC. 2. Whenever, in the progress of said survey, a full and final report shall be made on the geology of any of the counties of the state, five hundred extra copies of each county report so made by the board of regents, shall be printed for the use of the counties so reported on; said copies being subject to the order of the county commissioners of said county.

When act to take SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and effect.

Approved March 6, 1876.

CHAPTER C.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 17, CHAPTER 31, SESSION LAWS OF 1866, RELATING TO THE FLOWAGE OF DAMS.

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

. Section 1. That section 17, of chapter 31, of the general statutes be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 17. No action for damages occasioned by the erection and maintenance of a mill dam shall be sustained unless such action is brought within two years after the erection of said dam. *Provided*, That such limitations shall not run against or apply to

Reports.

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Damages.

persons living on or holding government land under the preemption or homestead laws until a patent for the land damaged or overflowed is issued.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and Whenact to take after its passage.

Approved February 25, 1876.

CHAPTER CI.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION ONE, CHAPTER 125, OF THE GENERAL LAWS OF 1875, BEING AN ACT FOR THE PRESERVATION AND PROTECTION OF FISH.

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

SECTION 1. That section 1, chapter 125 of the general laws of 1875, be and [the same] is hereby amended by striking therefrom the tenth and eleventh lines, and a part of the ninth line, which reads as follows: "Provided, This act shall not apply to the Amendment counties of Winona, Faribault, Meeker, Fillmore and Goodhue."

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from When act to take and after its passage.

Approved February 10, 1876.

CHAPTER CII.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION FIVE OF CHAPTER TWENTY OF THE REVISED STATUTES OF MINNESOTA, RELATING TO THE PRESERVATION OF GAME.

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

SECTION 1. That section five of chapter twenty of the revised statutes be amended by inserting "and Shakopee Lake, in the county of Chippewa," after the words, West Chain Lakes, in Amendment. Martin county.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and When act to take after its passage.

Approved February 24, 1876.