nesota, is hereby transferred to, and the title shall be vested in The German Evangelical St. John's Congregation of Hutchinson, McLeod' county, Minnesota.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after

its passage.

Approved February 26, 1877.

CHAPTER 169

AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE LADIES' RELIEF ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA.

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

SECTION 1. That the name of that corporation, known as the Ladies' Relief Association of the city of Saint Paul, Minnesota, be and the same is hereby changed to "The Home for the Friendless Association of the city of St. Paul, Minnesota."

SEC. 2. This act shall not affect any rights or titles now en-

joyed or held by the said corporation.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after, its passage.

Approved February 1, 1867.

CHAPTER 170.

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO PERFECT AND LEGALIZE THE PLAT OF THE CITY OF STILLWATER, IN THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON," APPROVED MARCH FOURTH (4TH), ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT (1868).

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

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of an act to perfect and legalize the plat of the city of Stillwater, in the county of Washington, and State of Minnesota, be amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 1. That the city council of the city of Stillwater be and hereby is authorized and empowered to cause the plat of said city of Stillwater, as surveyed by Harvey Wilson, Esq., and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the (then county of St. Croix, and Territory of Wisconsin), now county of Washington, and State of Minnesota, on the twelfth (12th) day of September, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight (1848), and the plats of all additions to said city lying within the corporate limits thereof, to be perfected by extending upon the same all the lines of the government survey of public lands pertaining to the territory composing said city, with said lines properly designated upon

said perfected plat.

That section three (3) of said act be so amended as to read as follows: That said perfected plat, after, the same shall have been accepted and approved by the city council of said city of Stillwater, shall be recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for said county of Washington, as of the date of the original record of said plat of the city of Stillwater, and of the several additions thereto, and such record shall be notice to all persons of the location of said city of Stillwater and the several additions thereto; and such perfected plat so recorded is hereby declared to be the legal and valid plat of said city of Stillwater, and the several additions thereto, and the same and the record thereof shall have the same force and effect, and be admissible in evidence in all courts for the like purposes and same effect as if the same had been in all respects made, executed, acknowledged and recorded as required by statute at the time of original making and recording of said plat of said city, and the several additions thereto; and all conveyances, contracts, or other instruments affecting any portion of the territory embraced within such perfected plat heretofore or hereafter executed or recorded, and referring to the recorded plat of said city of Stillwater, or any addition thereto, shall be construed to refer to the same according to such perfected plat and the record thereof.

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

after its passage.

Approved February 20, 1877.