

CHAPTER 33.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVEN (147) AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHT (148) OF TITLE FIVE (5) OF CHAPTER EIGHT (8) OF THE GENERAL STATUTES RELATING TO PAYING, DEFACING AND DEPOSITING OF ORDERS.

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

SECTION 1. Sections one hundred and forty-seven (147) and one hundred and forty-eight (148) of title five (5) of chapter eight (8) of the General Statutes are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 147. The County Treasurer, when any order or warrant drawn on him as treasurer either by the County Auditor or signed by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners and attested by the auditor, is presented for payment, shall, if there is money in the treasury for that purpose, redeem the same, and shall write across the entire face of all such orders and warrants, and in such way as to effectually cancel the same and prevent their being again issued, the word "Redeemed," the date of the redemption and his official signature. County orders properly drawn and attested shall be entitled to preference as to payment according to the time when presented, of which a record shall be kept by the County Treasurer, and upon the receipt of money into the treasury the Treasurer shall appropriate and set apart the money necessary for the payment of the county orders so presented and registered, and if entitled to interest the Treasurer shall issue to the original holder thereof a notice that interest shall cease in thirty days from the date of such notice, and if orders thus entitled to priority of payment are not then presented the next in order of registry may be paid until such orders are presented. No interest shall be paid on any order except upon a warrant drawn by the County Auditor for the purpose, giving the number and date of the order on account of which the interest warrant is drawn.

Redemption of orders.

Preference as to time.

What orders bear interest.

Section 148. The Treasurer shall deposit with the Auditor of his county on the day of redemption all orders and warrants on the treasury by him redeemed, and he may take the Auditor's receipt therefor. He shall enter the same, with date of payment, in his register of orders paid, and credit himself daily upon his journal and ledger with the amount thereof. The Auditor shall cancel the same immediately upon his register or orders issued, and at the close of the day credit the Treasurer with the same upon his journal and ledger.

Redeemed orders, how disposed of.

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

Approved March 3, 1879.