## CHAPTER 75.

AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE 1881 SUPPLEMENT TO THE GENERAL STATUTES OF A. D. ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT, (1878), AND ITS EFFECT AS EVIDENCE.

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

SECTION 1. The supplement comprising the changes in the General Statutes A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), as made by the General Laws of the years A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (1879) and one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (1881), arranged with reference to the chapter and section of said General Statutes A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), in the edition thereof published in 1881, shall be and hereby is made prima-facie evidence of the several acts therein contained in all the courts of this State without further proof or authentication.

SEC. 2. Said supplement may be cited and designated as

"1881 Supplement General Statutes 1878."

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

Approved November 19, 1881.

## CHAPTER 76.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE CORRECTION OF DEFECTIVE PROBATE PROCEEDINGS.

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

SECTION 1. That whenever it shall appear to any Probate Court of this State in any matter concerning the estates of decedents or persons under guardianship of which at any time it has had jurisdiction, that by mistake, inadvertence, omission, or otherwise, its records and proceedings are insufficient to identify by correct, proper, or sufficient description the property of any such decedent or person under guardianship upon which it has administered, [in] such case, such Probate Court, either before or after final judgment or decree

Supplement prima-facie evidence.

Amendments may be made. of assignment, distribution or settlement of such estate may upon the petition of any person interested in such estates upon due notice thereof given in the manner provided in and by section fourteen (14), chapter forty-seven (47), page five hundred and sixty-nine (569), General Statutes, and in case no cause shall be shown to the contrary, allow and make any and all such amendments and correction of errors, omission, and mistakes in its proceedings, files, records, judgments and decree, and in pleadings or papers thereto appertaining as shall seem to such Court necessary and proper for the purpose of clearly defining, declaring and preserving the rights of Appeal. persons interested in such estates or their heirs, legal representatives or assigns, provided, that from any such order or decision an appeal may be taken to the District Courts in the manner now provided by law.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect from and after its

passage.

Approved November 21, 1881.

## CHAPTER 77.

AN ACT TO LEGALIZE CONVEYANCES OF REAL PROPERTY AND THE RECORD THEREOF WHICH HAVE BEEN HERETO-FORE EXECUTED WITH BUT ONE SUBSCRIBING WITNESS AND RECORDED.

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

Section 1. That mortgages and all other instruments authorizing or relating to the conveyance of real estate or any interest therein in this state, that have been heretofore executed with but one subscribing witness, are hereby declared to be legal and valid, and the record thereof effectual to all intents and purposes, as if such conveyance had been executed valid. with two subscribing witnesses: Provided this act shall not apply to or effect any suit or action now pending.

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

after its passage.

Approved November 22, 1881.