

of property for such time and on such conditions as it may determine.

When act to
take effect.

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

Approved March 9, 1885.

CHAPTER 61.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION TWENTY (20) OF CHAPTER FIFTY-SEVEN (57) OF THE [GENERAL STATUTES OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878).

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

SECTION 1. That section twenty (20) of chapter fifty-seven (57) of the general statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878) be amended so as to read as follows:

Duly authenticated copy of appointment as administrator, etc., appointed in any other State may be filed in the office of register of deeds of any county.

Sec. 20. That a duly authenticated copy of letters testamentary, or of administration or guardianship of any executor, administrator or guardian appointed in any other state or territory, or the District of Columbia or in a foreign country, or other ex[em]plification of the record of any such appointment may be filed and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of any county in this state, and such record in the register's office or a transcript thereof duly certified shall, in all cases be *prima facie* evidence of such appointment.

When act to
take effect.

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

Approved February 14, 1885.

CHAPTER 62.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION SIXTY-THREE (63), TITLE FIVE (5), CHAPTER SIXTY-SIX (66), GENERAL STATUTES OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878), RELATING TO CIVIL ACTIONS.

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

SECTION 1. That section sixty-three (63), title five (5),

chapter sixty-six (66) of the general statutes of the state of Minnesota be amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2.

Sec. 63. Service on domestic corporations without resident officers: Whenever any corporation created by the laws of this state, or late territory of Minnesota, does not have an officer in this state upon whom legal service of process can be made, of which the return of the sheriff shall be conclusive evidence, an action or proceeding against such corporation may be commenced in any county where the cause of action or proceeding may arise or said corporation may have property; and service may be made upon such corporation by depositing a copy of the summons, writ or other process or citations, in any proceeding for the collection of unpaid personal property taxes, in the office of the secretary of state, which shall be taken, deemed and treated as personal service on such corporation; *Provided*, That whenever any process, writ or citation against or affecting any corporation aforesaid is served on the secretary of state, the same shall be by duplicate copies, one of which shall be filed in the office of said secretary of state, and the other by him immediately mailed, postage prepaid, to the office of the company, or to the president, secretary or any director or officer of said corporation, as may appear or be ascertained by said secretary from the articles of incorporation on file in his office.

How actions may be brought against corporations having no officer in this State upon whom legal process can be served.

When legal process served upon secretary of State, how to proceed.

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

When act to take effect.

Approved March 9, 1885.

CHAPTER 63.

AN ACT FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION FIFTEEN (15) OF CHAPTER FORTY-NINE (49) OF THE GENERAL STATUTES OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878), RELATING TO PROBATE COURTS.

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

SECTION 1. That section fifteen (15) of chapter forty-nine (49) of the general statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), as the same is numbered in said edition of the statutes, be amended by adding at the