

## CHAPTER 83.

[H. F. No. 166.]

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER EIGHT (8) OF THE GENERAL STATUTES OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878) "DEFINING THE DUTIES OF COUNTY AUDITORS, JUDGES OF PROBATE AND CLERKS OF COURT."

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

SECTION 1. That chapter eight (8) of the general statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections, to wit:

Section 271. The several judges of probate, county auditors, and clerks of the district courts of this state shall, during the hours when their respective offices are or may be required by law to be open, exhibit any papers, files or records of their offices or in their official custody, to the inspection of any person demanding the same, free of charge, except in those cases where fees are provided by law; and in the latter case, upon tender of such fees.

Duties of judges of probate, county auditors and clerks of court.

Section 272. The several county auditors, judges of probate and clerks of district court shall, during the hours when by law their respective offices are required to be open, furnish to any person demanding the same, a certified copy of any record, file, or papers on file or deposited in their offices, or in their official custody, upon tender of such proportionate fees as are now allowed by law to registers of deeds for like services.

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

When act to take effect.

Approved March 7, A. D., 1887.