

(10) days from the time of doing the last threshing, be filed in the office of the town clerk of the town in which such property is situated, except when such property is situated in unorganized township, in which case it should be filed with the register of deeds of the county.

SEC. 4. The validity of the lien shall not be affected by any inaccuracy in the statement relating to the property to be charged with it, if it can be reasonably recognized from such description; nor in any inaccuracy in the name of the owner or in the amount claimed to be due.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the clerk of such township to file and enter the said statement in the manner required by law for the filing and entry of chattel mortgages, and the clerk shall be entitled to a fee of ten (10) cents therefor, and the filing of such statement shall operate as a notice to all subsequent purchasers and incumbrances of such property for a period of six (6) months after filing such statement.

Town clerk
to file
statement.

SEC. 6. The said lien may be foreclosed by a sale of the property covered by said lien at any time within six (6) months after filing of such statement, upon like notice and in the same manner provided by law for the foreclosure of chattel mortgages.

Foreclosure
of lien.

SEC. 7. The person foreclosing such lien shall be entitled to his reasonable costs and charges for foreclosing the same.

SEC. 8. Any person selling, secreting or disposing of property covered by said lien without the written consent of the owner of such lien is guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (25) dollars nor more than one hundred (100) dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not exceeding ninety (90) days.

Penalty for
selling grain
covered
by lien.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1897.

CHAPTER 201.

H. F. No. 1033.

An act to provide for a levy of taxes for state purposes for the year ending July thirty-first (31st), one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight (1898), and July thirty-first (31st), one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (1899).

Tax levies
for 1898-9.

Be is enacted by the Legislature of the state of Minnesota:

\$850,000
for 1898.

SECTION 1. For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31st), one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight (1898), a tax of eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$850,000), or as near that amount as practicable, shall be levied on all the taxable property of the state; provided, that the tax hereby levied shall not exceed the rate of one and five-tenths mills on each dollar of taxable property.

\$860,000
for 1899.

SEC. 2. For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31st), one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (1899), a tax of eight hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$860,000) or as near that amount as practicable, shall be levied on all the taxable property of the state; provided, that the tax hereby levied shall not exceed the rate of one and five-tenths mills on each dollar of taxable property.

SEC. 3. All taxes levied under the provisions of this act, when collected and paid into the state treasury, shall be placed to the credit of the general revenue fund only.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1897.

S. F. No. 514.

CHAPTER 202.

Supreme
court reports.

An act to provide certain state and other officers with the Minnesota Digest of Supreme Court Reports.

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

Sec'y of state
to provide.

SECTION 1. The secretary of state is hereby authorized and directed to provide the state library for its use and for exchange with a sufficient number, and to provide each state and county and judicial officer of the state of Minnesota who has received, or who is or who may be by law entitled to receive from the state, the supreme court reports, with one set of the Minnesota digest of volumes one (1) to sixty-seven (67); such digests to remain the property of the state and each volume to be branded "State Property," except such as may be used for exchange.

Purchase of
reports.

SEC. 2. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of section one (1) of this act, the secretary of state is hereby authorized and directed to purchase four hun-