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H. F. No. 268.

Notaries public, fees ōť.

Sec. 5557, G. S. 1894. amended.

Schedule of fees.

SECTION 1. That section 5557 of the General Statutes of 1894 be and the same is hereby amended to read as

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minne-

follows: "For drawing and copy of protest of the non-payment of a promissory note, or bill of exchange, or of the nonacceptance of such a bill, one (1) dollar in the cases where by law said protest is necessary.

For drawing and a copy of every other protest, twentyfive (25) cents.

For drawing copy and serving every notice of nonpayment of note, or non-acceptance of a bill, twentyfive (25) cents.

Drawing any affidavit or other paper or proceeding, for which provisions is not herein made, twenty (20) cents for each folio, and copying the same, six (6) cents for each folio.

For each oath administered, twenty-five (25) cents.

Taking the acknowledgment of deeds and for other services authorized by law the same fees as are allowed to other officers for similar services.

Recording each instrument required by law to be recorded by him, ten (10) cents per folio."

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

Approved April 13, 1899.

H. F. No. 627.

CHAPTER 195.

Notaries public.

An act to legalize certain acknowledgments, taken by officers, directors, or stockholders of corporations, as notaries public, of instruments in which the corporation was interested.

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

Acknowledgments by, of corporation of which notary is an officer legalized

That all acknowledgments taken between SECTION 1. the twenty-sixth (26th) day of February and the twentieth (20th) day of March in the year one thousand eight

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utes of 1894, relating to fees of notary public.

An act to amend section No. 5557 of the General Stat-

hundred and ninety-nine (1899), by a notary public who was also an officer, director or stockholder of a corporation organized under the laws of this state, which corporation was interested as a party to the instrument acknowledged, are hereby legalized, and made as effectual as if the notary public had not been an officer, director or stockholder of the corporation interested.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this act shall not affect any action now pending.

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

Approved April 13 1899.

CHAPTER 196.

An act to amend sections No. 183 and 184 of chapter Ranroad 46 of General Laws of 1889, being sections No. 4590 and right of way. 4591 of General Statutes of 1894, relating to contract for right of way, how made.

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

SECTION 1. That section No. one hundred and eightythree (183) of chapter forty-six (46) of the General Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine (1889), being section four thousard five hundred and ninety (4590) of General Statutes of eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894), be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4590. Whenever any railroad company has located the line of its road upon or contiguous to any land belonging to any decedent or ward, or in which the decedent or ward may have an interest, or whenever the supervisors of any township, or the county commissioners of any county have laid out any public road upon or contiguous to any land belonging to any decedent or ward, or in which any decedent or ward may have any interest, it shall be lawful for the executor, administrator or guardian to agree in writing and settle and adjust the damages with the railroad company, or with the board of township supervisors, or board of county commissioners, to said land by reason of the location of said railroad or said public road or cartway, and the executor, adminstrator or guardian may in such agreement grant to the railroad company, or the town-

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companies.

Sec. 4590,

G. S. 1894, amended.

Contracts for over lands of wards or deceased per-501.S.