Filing. (2)That said resolution shall be signed and acknowledged by the presiding officer and secretary of such meeting and shall be filed with the register of deeds of the county in which such private cemetery is situated.

SEC. 2. When such resolution shall have been passed and certified to by the presiding officer and secretary of such meeting and filed for record in the office of the register of deeds as aforesaid, and the terms and conditions of consolidation shall have been accepted by the How conboard of directors or trustees of such cemetery corporation, such private cemetery shall become a part of such cemetery corporation or association, and subject thereafter to all the rules and regulations and laws governing such cemetery corporation or association. And it shall be lawful for the owners of such private cemetery to transfer and convey to such cemetery corporation or association all unsold lots in said private cemetery to said cemetery corporation or association to be used for burial purposes only, and any such conveyance heretofore made, is hereby legalized and such cemetery corporation or association shall hold in trust to and for the uses and purposes aforesaid, all streets, alleys, ways and commons, and the other public uses, in such private cemetery in lieu of the owner thereof. Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this state.

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

Approved March 15, 1905.

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An act to protect Mongolian, English, Golden, Reeves, Game protection. Japanese, Temmincks, Tragapan and Ring-neck 07 China Torquatus pheasant.

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

SECTION 1. The killing, hunting or pursuing, with intent to kill, of any Mongolian, English, Golden, Reeves, Japanese, Temmincks, Tragopan and Ring-neck, or China Torquatus pheasant in any manner, or attempting to kill the same at any time prior to Jan. 1st, 1910, is hereby prohibited and made unlawful.

H. F. No. 283.

Close season for pheasants.

Penalty for violation.

SEC. 2. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25) dollars, or exceeding one hundred (\$100) dollars for each and every pheasant so killed, hunted or pursued with an intent to kill, and in default of payment of such fine, may be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding sixty (60) days, for each offense.

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

Approved March 15, 1905.

H. F. No. 202,

Protecting copyrighted operas.

An act forbidding any person or company from producing or playing for profit any unpublished or undedicated dramatic or musical composition, and prohibiting any person, company or corporation from selling a copy or substantial copy of any unpublished, undedicated or copy-

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righted opera or musical composition without the consent of the author or proprietor, and providing for a penalty therefor.

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

SECTION 1. Any person, company or corporation who knowingly causes to be publicly performed, or represented for profit, any unpublished or undedicated dramatic composition, or musical composition known as an opera, without the consent of its owner or proprietor, who knowing that such dramatic or musical composition is unpublished or undedicated, and without the consent of its owner or proprietor, permits, aids or takes part in such a performance or representation, or any person, company or corporation who sells a copy or a substantial copy, of any unpublished, undedicated or copyrighted dramatic composition or musical composition known as an opera, without the written consent of the author or proprietor of such dramatic or musical composition, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

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

Approved March 15, 1905.

Made misdemeanor.