CHAPTER 387—H. F. No. 2.

An Act to amend section 4876 of Revised Laws of 1905, relating to punishment of murder in the first degree.

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

Murder in first degree punishment by imprisonment for life. —Section 1. That section 4876 of the Revised Laws of 1905, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 4876. The killing of a human being, unless it is excusable or justifiable, is murder in the first degree, when perpetrated with a premeditated design to effect the death of the person killed or of another, and shall be punishable by imprisonment for life in the state prison."

Approved April 22, 1911.

CHAPTER 388—H. F. No. 127.

An Act entitled an Act to provide for the nomination of candidates and the selection of a candidate for senator in Congress from this state by direct vote of the people.

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

Secretary of state to place names upon official ballot. —Section 1. At all general primary elections next preceding the election of a senator in congress by the legislature of this state, the secretary of state shall cause to be placed upon the official primary ballots of the several counties the names of all electors seeking the nomination for senator in congress whose name shall have been duly filed under the provisions of this act.

Filing with secretary. —Sec. 2. Any qualified elector of this state, who shall be otherwise eligible to election as senator in congress, may, within at least twenty days prior to general primary election aforesaid, file with the secretary of state his affidavit, duly acknowledged, stating his name, age, and residence; that he is a qualified voter and eligible to election as senator in congress from this state; the name of the political party with which he affiliates and whose candidate he desires to become, and stating that he desires his name placed on the official primary ballots of the several counties at the ensuing primary election as a candidate of that party for the nomination for senator in congress as aforesaid.

Fee of $100. —Sec. 3. Upon the filing of such affidavit in his office accompanied by a fee of one hundred dollars ($100), the