Section 1. Chattel mortgage foreclosure sales legalized.—All chattel mortgage foreclosures and chattel mortgage foreclosure sales heretofore made in this state, where the property covered by the mortgage foreclosed was sold to the mortgagee in accordance with law, except that the sale was not conducted by the sheriff, his deputy, or a constable, as required by Section 8357, General Statutes 1923, but was conducted by the attorney for the mortgagee foreclosing said mortgage, are hereby legalized, validated and declared sufficient for all purposes; provided, however, that this act shall not affect any action at law or in equity now pending in any of the courts in this state affecting such foreclosure or foreclosure sale.

Approved April 15, 1925.

CHAPTER 224-H. F. No. 923.

An act to amend Section 8013, General Statutes 1923, relating to payment of expenses and claims in assignment or receivership proceedings.

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

Section 1. Expenses in receivership proceedings.—Section 8013, General Statutes of Minnesota 1923, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 8013. Upon complaint of a person obtaining judgment against a corporation or his representatives, made after the return unsatisfied of an execution issued thereon, the Court may sequestrate the stock, property, things in action and effects of such corporation, and appoint a receiver of the same, and upon final judgment upon any such complaint the Court shall order the property remaining, or the proceeds thereof, to be disposed of under its direction, proportionately in the following order:

1. In payment of the costs and expenses of the receivership.

2. Debts due the United States and the State of Minnesota if any.

3. Taxes and assessments, if any.

4. Claims duly proved and allowed of employees sustaining injury in the course of their employment and entitled to compensation under the provisions of part II, Chapter 23-A, General Statutes 1923, provided that claims under this subdivision of this section shall not be allowed if the corporation carried workmen's compensation insurance as provided by law at the time the injury was sustained.

5. Claims duly proved and allowed of clerks, servants or laborers for services performed within three months preceeding the appointment of the receiver if any.

6. Other claims duly proved and allowed.

After payment of the expenses of receivership and claims of creditors duly proved, the remainder, if any there be, shall be distributed pro rata among the stockholders providing themselves entitled thereto."

Approved April 15, 1925.

CHAPTER 225-H. F. No. 944.

An act amending Section 8712, General Statutes 1923, relating to the publication of probate notices or citations.

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

Section 1. Publication of probate notices.—That Section 8712, General Statutes 1923, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"8712. Whenever published notice or citation is required to be given in any proceeding in probate court, the judge of probate shall order such notice or citation to be published in such legal newspaper within the county as shall be designated by the petitioner in such proceedings, or by his attorney; provided, that a notice to creditors to present claims against an estate shall be published in such legal newspaper within the county as shall be designated by the representative of the estate in which such notice is given, or by his attorney. If such designation is not made, a judge of probate may order the notice to be published in any legal newspaper within the county. Provided further, that whenever and wherever a city or village is situated in more than one county and the decedent whose estate is being administered was at the time of his death a resident of such city or village, any notice or citation in such proceeding may be published in any legal newspaper within such city or village and such publication shall be of the same force and effect as if published in any legal newspaper within the county in which such proceeding is pending."

Approved April 15, 1925.

CHAPTER 226-H. F. No. 1102.

An act to amend Section 6037 and subsections (e) and (g) of Section 6038, General Statutes, 1923, relating to the Minnesota Rural Credit Bureau and to the system of rural credits.

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

Section 1. Rural Credits Bureau to designate loan districts.

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