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

CHARLES GARDNER, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN B. BRISBIN,

President of the Council.

Approved—March first, one thousand eight hundreds and fifty-six.

W. A. GORMAN.

I certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of the original bill on file in this office.

J. Travis Rosser,

Secretary of Minnesota Territory.

CHAPTER XVII.

An act relating to Bills of Exchange, Bank Checks, and Promissory Notes falling due on New Year's Day, Fourth Day of July, Fast, Thanksgiving day and Christmas.

Days to be considered as Sunday. Section 1. 2. When to be presented for payment.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota:

Section 1. That the following days to-wit: the first day of January commonly called New Year's Day; the fourth day of July, the twenty-Days. fifth day of December, commonly called Christmas day, and every day appointed or recommended by the Governor of this Territory, or the President of the United States, as a day of fast or thanksgiving, shall for all purposes whatever as regards the prosecuting for payment or acceptance, and of the protesting and giving notice of the dishonor of bills of exchange, bank checks, and promissory notes made after the passage of this act, be treated and considered as is the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

Sec. 2. Bills of exchange, bank checks, and promissory notes falling due, or the presentment for acceptance or payment whereof should otherwise be made on any of the days mentioned in the foregoing section, shall be considered as due, and be presented for payment or acceptance on the Day preceding.

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CHARLES GARDNER, Speaker of the House of Representatives. JOHN B. BRISBIN, President of the Council.

APPROVED-March first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six. W. A. GORMAN.

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