and sixty, is hereby amended by striking out the words merease of pur-"one hundred (100)" in the fourth line of said section, chare and substituting therefor the words "one hundred and fifty (150)."

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 21st, A. D. 1861.

CHAPTER XXIV.

An Act Authorizing the Clerk of the Supreme Court to Administer Oaths, and to Take Acknowledgments.

SECTION 1. Clerk authorized to administer oaths, to certify depositions, etc. 2. Act, when to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. The clerk of the supreme court or any deputy clerk thereof, shall have power to administer all oaths required or authorized by law to be administered, to administer to take and certify depositions to be used in any of the oaths, etc courts of this State, and to take and certify to acknowledgments of deeds, or other instruments in writing required by law to be acknowledged.

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

Approved March 8th, A. D. 1861.