

dant for the amount of such excess, and the defendant may have execution thereon.

When act to take effect.

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

Approved February 5, 1868.

CHAPTER XC.

February 22, 1868

An Act to amend section two hundred and twenty-six (226), title seventeen (17), of chapter sixty-six (66), of the General Statutes, relating to trials by the courts, and to repeal section two hundred and twenty-seven (227), of said chapter.

SECTION 1. Amendment to Section 226, Title 17, Chapter 66, General Statutes. District Court to be always open for the transaction of business.

2. Repeal of former section.
3. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That section two hundred and twenty-six (226), title seventeen (17), of chapter sixty-six (66), of the general statutes, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

When District Court open for business.

Section 226. In addition to the general terms, the district court is always open for the transaction of all business; for the entry of judgments, of decrees, of orders of course, and all such other orders as have been granted by the court or judges, and for the hearing and determination of all matters brought before the court or judge, except the trial of issues of fact. The judges of the several district courts, may, by order, appoint such special terms in the counties of their respective districts, as may be deemed necessary or convenient, and at such terms all business

hereinbefore mentioned, may be transacted. When any matter is heard by the court or judge, the decision may be made out of term; and such decision may be an order or a direction that an order or judgment or decree be entered; and upon filing in the office of the clerk in the county where the action or proceeding is pending, the decision in writing, signed by the judge, an order or judgment or decree, as the case may require if any, shall be entered by such clerk, in conformity with such decision.

SEC. 2. That section two hundred and twenty-seven (227), of said title and chapter, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Repeal of former section.

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

When act to take effect.

Approved February 22, 1868.

CHAPTER XCI.

An Act to regulate the fees of jurors in justice's courts.

March 4, 1868.

SECTION 1. Fees for jurors in Justices' Court.

2. Repeal of inconsistent acts.
3. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. Each juror sworn in any action in a justice's court or before any sheriff on a writ of enquiry, is entitled to fifty cents for each half day, and ten cents for each mile actually traveled in going and returning by the most usual route. The fees, for one half day's service, to be paid in the first instance, by the party requiring such jury.

Jurors' fees in Justice's Court.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

Repeal of inconsistent acts.