CHAPTER LXXII.

An Act to legalize the filing of affidavits in certain cases and making them evidence.

March 5, 1870.

SECTION 1. When affidavits shall be received as evidence.

- 2. No proceedings shall be deemed invalid in consequence of failure to file such affidavits.
- 3. When act to take effect.

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

Section 1. That in all cases where affidavits authorized by sections fifty-four and fifty-five, of chapter seventy- When amidavita three, and sections nineteen and twenty, of chapter eighty-evidence. one, of the general statutes, have been heretofore filed and recorded, or shall be hereafter filed and recorded within one year after this act shall become a law, such affidavits, or duly certified copies thereof, shall be received in evidence in the same manner and with the same effect as if the same had been filed and recorded within the time in said sections specified.

SEC. 2. No proceeding in which such affidavits might Proceedings not have been heretofore filed and recorded shall be deemed invalid because invalid in consequence of the failure to file and record the addards. same within the time provided by said sections; Provided, That nothing herein shall be held to affect any vested rights of any person or persons not parties to such proceedings.

This act shall take effect and be in force from when set to take and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1870.