CHAPTER XCIX.

February 26, 1872.

An Act to authorize "The St. Paul Working Mens Building Society" to determine by its by-laws the number of shares each member thereof may hold.

Section 1. Authority to determine the number of shares to be held by any one mem-

2. When act to take effect.

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

Number shares held by one member. SECTION 1. That the "St. Paul Working Mens' Building Society" is hereby authorized to determine by its by-laws the number of shares each member thereof may hold, provided that the whole number of shares issued, or to be issued by said corporation, shall at no time exceed ten thousand shares as now provided by statute.

When act to take effect.

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

Approved February 26, 1872.

CHAPTER C.

February 28, 1872. An Act in relation to the Saint Paul and Dubuque Railroad Company.

SECTION 1. Authority given to consolidate with any other company.

- 2. Authority to sell, transfer or convey franchises to any other company.
- 3. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. The Saint Paul and Dubuque Railroad Com-

pany, a corporation organized under the general statutes of Consolidate this state, is hereby authorized and empowered to consolidate its stock, franchises, rights and property with that of any other railroad company which will undertake the construction and operation of the railroad, for the construction of which the said Saint Paul and Dubuque Railroad Company was organized.

Authority to sell franchises.

The Saint Paul and Dubuque Railroad Company is hereby authorized and empowered to sell, transfer, assign and convey to any railroad company which will construct the railroad, for the purpose of the construction of which, the said Saint Paul and Dubuque Railroad Company was organized, all and singular, the rights, privileges, franchises, property and assets of the said company of every nature and kind vested or to become vested, subject nevertheless to the performance by the company to whom the same may be sold and transferred, of all the conditions upon and subject to which the said Saint Paul and Dubuque Railroad Company has acquired, or may acquire the same; provided nevertheless, that such railroad or railroads shall be and remain subject to all laws of the state, which are general in their nature.

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

Approved February 28, 1872.