

of such payment or satisfaction, the lien shall become discharged.

By what law governed.

SEC. 4. The general statutes relating to chattel mortgages, so far as not inconsistent with the provisions of this act, shall be applicable thereto.

When act to take effect.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and shall also be retrospective in its operation so far as any notes given or contracts executed under the provisions for year A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

Approved March 9, 1875.

CHAPTER XCIV.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF SETTLERS ON STATE SALT SPRING LANDS.

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

Governor authorized to relinquish title to salt spring lands, for what purpose.

SECTION 1. That the governor of this state is hereby authorized and required, for and on behalf [of] the state, by deed of conveyance, under his hand, and the seal of the state, to release and relinquish to the United States of America, the title, or color of title, which the state of Minnesota has or may have to any of the lands of said state designated and known as state salt spring lands, in and to which there are any adverse claims, by pre-emption filings, homestead, cash, or scrip entries; *Provided*, The United States shall grant to the state of Minnesota other lands within said state in lieu of, and in like quantity as the lands which may be so released and relinquished as aforesaid; *Provided*, That this act shall apply only to land upon which pre-emption or homestead claims, and cash or scrip entries were made in good faith by claimants who had no notice or knowledge that the lands were state salt spring lands, or other than government lands, open to settlement.

When act to take effect.

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

Approved March 6, 1875.