## CHAPTER 55.

AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLICATION OF THE LAWS.

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

Legalizing publication of laws in Northwestern Reporter. SECTION 1. That the publication of the laws as made by the Secretary of State in the Northwestern Reporter, a legal newspaper published in the city of Saint Paul, Minnesota, is hereby declared to be an official publication of the same, and the laws so published by the Secretary of State in said newspaper shall be received as authority in any court of this State.

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

Approved March 7, 1878.

## CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AND DEFINE THE PERSONAL LIA-BILITY OF STOCKHOLDERS IN CORPORATIONS HERETO-FORE OR HEREAFTER FORMED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING ON ANY KIND OF MANUFACTURING OR MECHANICAL BUSINESS.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota; Section 1. That each stockholder in any corporation heretofore or hereafter formed or organized under any of the laws of this State, for the purpose of carrying on any kind of manufacturing or mechanical business, shall be liable to the amount of stock held or owned by him for corporate debts hereafter contracted.

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

Approved March 8, 1878.

Stockholders in manufacturing corporations held for debts hereafter contracted, to amount of stock held by them.