CHAPTER 96.

[H. F. No. 310.]

1876, amending Sec. 6 of Chap.

General Laws of AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER NINETY-ONE (91) OF THE GENERAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX (1876), RELATING TO ADOPTION OF CHILDREN.

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

That section six (6) of Chapter ninety one (91) of the General Laws for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (1876) is amended by adding thereto the following:

Providing for decree of court that adopted child shall become legal heir.

Legalizing former decrees of court.

"Provided, That upon the request of any person adopting a child, the court may decree that the child so adopted shall be the heir of said person, and in that case said child shall inherit from said parent in the same manner in all respects as if born to said parent in lawful wedlock. cases of adoption heretofore, where it is provided in the decree that the child shall be the heir of the parent adopting, said decree is declared to be valid and effectual to constitute such said child the heir of said parentt; and, where the decree does not so provide, a further decree may be entered upon application of the parent adopting, constituting such child the heir of such parent in all respects as aforesaid."

SEC. 2. This act shall be in force from the time of its passage.

Approved April 1, 1891.

CHAPTER 97.

[S. F. No. 73.]

1879, amending Sec. 1 of Chap.

General Laws of AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION ONE (1) OF CHAPTER ONE HUNDRED AND SIX (106) OF THE GENERAL STATUTES OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINE (1879), IN REFERENCE TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND READING ROOMS.

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

That section one (1) of Chapter one hun-SECTION 1. dred and six (106) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (1879), in reference to