

tofore lawfully sold or issued by such common carrier for redemption, and said common carrier shall immediately redeem such ticket in the same manner and upon the same terms as provided for in section five of this act for the redemption of unused tickets in the hands of the purchasers thereof. Provided, that no such common carrier shall be required to redeem any such ticket or part thereof the time for the use of which has by its terms expired, or which has in any manner been altered, changed or forged.

SEC. 7. Any railroad company or steamboat company which shall by any of its authorized ticket selling agents within this state refuse to redeem any coupon of a ticket, or any ticket as required by section five of this act, shall pay to the state of Minnesota a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars for each offense.

SEC. 8. Whenever any person in the employ of any railroad or steamboat company doing business in this state shall fraudulently neglect to cancel or return to the proper officer of the company or agent of such railroad or steamboat company any coupon or any ticket or pass, with the intent to permit the same to be used in fraud of any railroad company or steamboat company, or if any person shall steal or embezzle any such coupon or other ticket or pass, or shall fraudulently stamp or print or sign any such ticket, coupon or pass, or shall fraudulently sell or put in circulation any such ticket, coupon or pass, said person shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for a period not exceeding five years.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the expiration of ninety days after its approval. Approved April 19, 1893.

## CHAPTER 67.

*An act relating to the change of place of trial of actions, commenced in any court of this state for wages, or money due for labor, or for the enforcement of liens for such labor.*

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

SEC. 1. That in any action hereafter commenced or pending in any court of this state, for wages, or money due for manual labor, or for the enforcement of any lien for such wages, or money, when such action is brought in the county in which such labor was performed, no change of the place of the trial thereof shall be had, without the express consent of the plaintiff in writing duly filed with said court.

Provided, this act shall not apply to change of venue from one justice of the peace to another, or from one municipal court to another, in the same county.

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

Approved April 17, 1893.

Refusal to redeem.

Cancellation of tickets.

In effect July 19, 1893.

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