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SEC. 88. When the indictment is filed the defendant must be arraigned thereon, before the court in which it is found, if it be triable therein, or if not, before the court to which it is sent or removed.

SEC. 89. If the indictment be for a felony, the defendant must be personally present; but if for a misdemeanor only, his personal appearance is unnecessary, and he may appear upon the arraignment by counsel.

SEC. 90. When his personal appearance is necessary, if he be in Court may direct custody, the court may direct the officer in whose custody he is, to bring him before it to be arraigned; and the officer must do so accordingly.

SEC. 91. If the defendant has been discharged on bail, or has deposited money instead thereof, and do not appear to be arraigned when his personal attendance is necessary, the court, in addition to the forfeiture of the undertaking of bail, or the money deposited, may direct the clerk to issue a bench warrant for his arrest.

SEC. 92. The clerk on the application of the district attorney, may accordingly, at any time after the order, whether the court be sitting or not, issue a bench warrant, into one or more counties.

SEC. 93. The bench warrant upon the indictment must, if the offence be a felony, be substantially in the following form : and territory of Min-The district court for the county of,

nesota :

In the name of the United States, to any sheriff, (or other proper officer) in the territory of Minnesota.

An indictment having been found on the day of A. D. 18 in the district court, for the county of

charging C. D. with the crime of (designating it generally,) you are therefore commanded forthwith to arrest the above named C. D. and bring him before this court, (or if the venue has been changed take him before that court, as the case may be,) to answer the indictment, or if the court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the jailor of the county (or city,) of A. D.

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gistrate must tify on the war- it.	S_{EC} . 98. On taking bail, the magistrate must certify that fact on the warrant, and deliver the warrant and undertaking of bail, to the offi- cer having charge of the defendant; the officer must then discharge the defendant from arrest, and must without delay, deliver the warrant and undertaking to the clerk of the court, at which the defendant is required to appear.
urt mny order fendant commit- l.	SEC. 99. When the indictment is for a felony, and the defendant be- fore the finding thereof, has given bail for his appearance to answer the charge, the court to which the indictment is presented, or sent, or re- moved for trial, may order the defendant to be committed to actual cus- tody, either without bail, or unless he give bail in the increased amount to be specified in the order.
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SEC. 102. The arraignment must be made by the court, or by the clerk or district attorney, under its direction, and consists in reading the indictment to the defendant, and delivering to him a copy thereof, and of the indorsements thereon, including the list of witnesses indorsed on it or appended thereto, as provided in section sixty-three, and asking him whether he pleads guilty, or not guilty, to the indictment.

SEC. 103. When the defendant is arraigned he must be informed that if the name by which he is indicted be not his true name, he must then declare his true name, or be proceeded against by the name in the indictment.

SEC. 104. If he give no other name the court may proceed accordingly.

SEC. 105. If he allege that another name is his true name, the court must direct an entry thereof in the minutes of the arraignment, and the subsequent proceedings on the indictment may be had against him by that name, referring also to the name by which he is indicted.

SEC. 106. If on the arraignment, the defendant require it, he must be allowed until the next day, or such further time may be allowed him, as the court may deem reasonable, to answer the indictment.

SEC. 107. If the defendant do not require time, as provided in the last section or if he do, then on the next day, or at such further day as the court may have allowed him, he may in answer to the arraignment either move the court to set aside the indictment, or may demur, or plead thereto.

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