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GENERAL STATUTES

OF THE

STATE OF MINNESOTA.

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CHAPTER CXXI.

OF THE GENERAL STATUTES AND THEIR EFFECT.

1 SECTION 1. This act shall not in any citation or enume-
2 ration of the statutes be reckoned as one of the acts of the
3 present year, but may be designated as the General Statutes,
4 adding when necessary the number of the chapter and sec-
5 tion.

1 SECT. 2. The General Statutes aforesaid shall take effect
2 and go into operation from and after the thirty-first day of
3 July in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

1 SECT. 3. The repeal of the acts and resolves and parts
2 of acts and resolves, revised and re-enacted herein, or re-
3 pugnant to the provisions hereof, shall not revive any law
4 heretofore repealed or superseded, nor any office heretofore
5 abolished.

1 SECT. 4. It shall not affect any act done, or any right
2 accruing, accrued or established, or any proceedings, doings,
3 or acts, ratified or confirmed, or any action or proceeding
4 had or commenced in a civil case before the repeal takes
5 effect, but the proceedings thereon, shall, when necessary
6 conform to the provisions of the General Statutes.

1 SECT. 5. It shall not affect any penalty or forfeiture in-
2 curred before it takes effect, under any of the laws repealed,
3 except that where a punishment, penalty or forfeiture, is
4 mitigated by the provisions of the General Statutes, such pro-
5 visions may be extended and applied to any judgment pro-
6 nounced after said repeal.

1 SECT. 6. It shall not affect any action or prosecution
2 pending at the time of the repeal for an offense committed,
3 or for the recovery of a penalty or forfeiture incurred, under
4 any of the acts repealed, except that the proceedings there-
5 in shall, when necessary, conform to the provisions of the
6 General Statutes.

1 SECT. 7. When a limitation or period of time prescribed
2 in any of the acts repealed, for acquiring a right or barring
3 a remedy, or any other purpose, has begun to run, and the
4 same or similar limitation is prescribed in the General Stat-

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5 utes, the time of limitation shall continue to run, and shall
6 have like effect, as if the whole period had begun and ended
7 under the operation of the General Statutes.

1 SECT. 8. All persons who at the time when said repeal
2 takes effect, hold any office under any of the acts repealed,
3 shall continue to hold the same according to the tenure there-
4 of, except those offices which have been abolished, and
5 those as to which a different provision is made by the Gen-
6 eral Statutes.

1 SECT. 9. The provisions of the General Statutes so far as
2 they are the same as those of existing laws, shall be con-
3 strued as a continuation of such laws, and not as new en-
4 actments, and references in laws not repealed, to provis-
5 ions of laws incorporated into the General Statutes and re-
6 pealed, shall be construed as applying to the same provis-
7 ions so incorporated.

CHAPTER CXXII.

OF THE EXPRESS REPEAL OF EXISTING LAWS.

Chapter 1. The following acts passed in the several years hereinafter enumerated, shall be expressly repealed from and after the day specified in section two of chapter one hundred and twenty-one, subject to all the provisions contained in said chapter:

All of the revised statutes of 1851 and the amendments and appendix published and bound with the same in the volume called and known as the revised statutes of the territory of Minnesota, except subdivision two of section two, and section three of chapter one hundred and thirty-seven of said revised statutes, which, and the several acts therein enumerated, are not affected by said repeal.

*ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE.

Chapter 2. An act for the apportionment of representation in the territory.

Chapter 3. An act regulating the sale of spirituous liquors.

Chapter 5. An act to authorize the establishment of ferries.

*The acts passed in 1851 and 1852 are published in collated statutes of the territory of Minnesota in the year 1853.