

colon in the fifth line thereof, to the period in the last line thereof is hereby repealed and stricken out.

**SEC. 4. In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be and become of full force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines Daily Capital, and the Register and Leader, two newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 7, A. D. 1904.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Daily Capital and the Register and Leader, April 9, 1904.

W. B. MARTIN,  
Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 121.

### DISTRIBUTIVE SHARE OF SURVIVING SPOUSE AS AFFECTED BY WILL.

H. F. 487.

AN ACT to amend section three thousand three hundred and seventy-six (3376) of the code of Iowa, as to distributive share of surviving spouse as affected by will.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

**SECTION 1. Election made by court.** That section three thousand three hundred and seventy-six (3376) of the code be amended by adding at the end of said section the following:

“But when such surviving spouse is mentally incapable of making such election, the court on petition being filed alleging such disability, may set the matter down for hearing at such time and place as it may deem best, and direct what notice thereof shall be given; and at such hearing the court may enter an order electing for such spouse, which shall be the election under this section, of the person under such disability.”

Approved April 12, A. D. 1904.

## CHAPTER 122.

### TIME OF TRYING APPEAL CASES IN CONTESTED ELECTIONS.

H. F. 198.

AN ACT to amend section three thousand six hundred fifty-six (3656) of the code, relating to the time of trying appeal cases in contested elections.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

**SECTION 1. Trial term.** That section three thousand six hundred fifty-six (3656) of the code, be and is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words, to wit: “or appeal cases in contested elections.”

Approved March 7, A. D. 1904.

## CHAPTER 123.

### RELEASE OF LIENS ON ATTACHED PROPERTY.

S. F. 190.

AN ACT relating to the release of liens on attached property. (Amendatory of chapter one (1), title nineteen (XIX) of the code, relating to attachments.)

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

**SECTION 1. Certificate of release.** When real estate or an equitable interest therein is attached, in any county, other than that in which the