CHAPTER 75.

AN ACT amending section 2410 of the Code relative to the statutory S. F. 356. denial of claims filed against estates of decedents.

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

SECTION 1. That section 2410 of the Code be amended Sec. 2410 of code amended sec. 2410 of code amended.

by adding at the end thereof the following:

"Provided that the burden of proving that a claim is Burden of unpaid shall not be placed upon the party filing a claim against the estate;" but that the executor or administrator may, on the trial of said cause, subject the claimant to an

examination on the question of payment, but the estate Estate not

shall not be concluded or bound thereby.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate impor-Publication tance shall be in force from and after its publication in the clause. Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 11, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, April 18, 1896. W. M. McFarland,

Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 76.

AN ACT to amend sections 289 and 290 of the Code of 1873, as S F. 247. amended by chapter 56 of the acts of the 25th General Assembly of the State of Iowa, relating to the bonding of county indebtedness.

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

SECTION 1. That section 289 of the Code of 1873, as sec. 289, code, amended by chapter 56 of the laws of the Twenty-fifth and ch. 56, General Assembly, be, and the same is hereby amended amended. as follows: Strike out of the second line of said section 289, the words "The fourth day of April, 1894," and insert in lieu thereof the words, "The first day of March, 1896."

SEC. 2. Strike out of said section 290 as amended by sec. 290, code, chapter 56 of the acts of the 25th General Assembly of 25 G.A., Iowa the words "on the fourth day of April, 1894," and amended insert in lieu thereof the words, "on the first day of

March, 1896."

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with Repealing clause.

this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate impor-Publication. tance shall take effect and be in force from and after publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved February 24, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register February 28, 1896, and the Des Moines Leader February 27, 1896.

W. M. McFarland, Secretary of State.