

CHAPTER 195.

LIEN AND LIABILITY OF HOTEL AND INN KEEPERS.

H. F. 158.

AN ACT to amend section three thousand one hundred thirty-eight (3138) of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the lien and liability of hotel and inn keepers.

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

SECTION 1. Lien upon baggage and other property. That section three thousand one hundred thirty-eight (3138) of the supplement to the code, 1907, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out of said section all the words and figures commencing with the word "hotel" in the sixteenth line thereof, to and including the word "thereon" in the twenty-fourth line thereof and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "Hotel, inn, rooming house or eating house keepers shall have a lien upon, and may take and retain possession of, all baggage and other property belonging to or under the control of their guests or patrons, which may be in such hotel, inn, rooming house or eating house, for the value of their accommodations and keep, and for all money paid for or advanced to, and for such extras and other things as shall be furnished, such guest or patron, and such property so retained shall not be exempt from attachment or execution to the amount of the reasonable charges of such hotel, inn, rooming house or eating house keeper, against such guest or patron, and the costs of enforcing the lien thereon."

Approved March 12, A. D. 1909.

CHAPTER 196.

GRANTING OF MARRIAGE LICENSE BY CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT.

H. F. 357.

AN ACT to amend section thirty-one hundred forty-one (3141) of the code relating to the granting of marriage license by the clerk of the district court.

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

SECTION 1. What prohibited. That section thirty-one hundred forty-one (3141) of the code be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the period at the end of said section and inserting in lieu thereof a comma, and adding the following: "nor where the parties are first cousins."

Approved April 1, A. D. 1909.

CHAPTER 197.

GUARDIANSHIP OF ESTATES OF ABSENTEES.

H. F. 12.

AN ACT providing for the guardianship of the estates of absentees. (Additional to chapter five (5), title sixteen (XVI) of the code.)

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

SECTION 1. Petition for guardianship—notice. When any adult person owning property within the state and whose whereabouts are and have been unknown for a period of three months, and whose property is liable to become injured, lost or damaged by reason of such absence, and when there is no other