

entitled to recover, as a part of his costs, the reasonable expense, including attorney's fees, for securing the change of place of trial, but if he shall fail to establish said defense, then he shall be liable to plaintiff, as a part of the costs, for the reasonable additional expense caused to him by reason of such change."

Approved April 15, A. D. 1909.

CHAPTER 203.

DEPOSIT OF MONEY IN LIEU OF BOND.

H. F. 200.

AN ACT providing for the deposit of money in lieu of bond where bonds are required as security for costs. [Additional to chapter fifteen (15) of title eighteen (XVIII) of the code, relating to security for costs.]

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

SECTION 1. Money deposit in lieu of bond. In all cases in which a bond for security for costs is required, the party required to give such security may deposit in cash the amount fixed in said bond with the clerk of the district court or justice of the peace in lieu of said bond.

Approved April 5, A. D. 1909.

CHAPTER 204.

PREFERENCE OF DEBTS OWING FOR LABOR.

H. F. 132.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in sections four thousand nineteen (4019), four thousand twenty (4020) and four thousand twenty-one (4021) of the code relating to the preference of debts owing for labor and the filing, allowing and contesting of claims therefor.

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

SECTION 1. Debts owing for labor preferred. That section four thousand nineteen (4019) of the code be amended by inserting after the word "assignee" in the third line thereof, and before the word "for" in the fourth line thereof, the words "or their property shall be seized by the action of creditors," and that said section when amended, shall read as follows, viz:

"When the property of any company, corporation, firm or person shall be seized upon by any process of any court, or placed in the hands of a receiver, trustee or assignee, or their property shall be seized by the action of creditors, for the purpose of paying or securing the payment of the debts of such company, corporation, firm or person, the debts owing to employes for labor performed within the ninety days next preceding the seizure or transfer of such property, to an amount not exceeding one hundred dollars to each person, shall be a preferred debt and paid in full, or if there is not sufficient realized from such property to pay the same in full, then after the payment of costs, ratably out of the fund remaining, but such preference shall be junior and inferior to mechanics' liens for labor in opening and developing coal mines."

SEC. 2. Statement of claim—allowance. That section four thousand twenty (4020) of the code be amended by inserting after the word "attachment" in the third line thereof, and before the word "and" in the third line thereof,