Mr. Compton, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 107, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 39, General

Statutes, Minn., relating to chattel mortgages,

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Adopted.

## EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was received from the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, St. Paul, Feb. 16, 1889.

Hon. A. E. Rice, President of the Senate:

SIR: Herewith I return to you, unapproved:

S. F. No. 3. Entitled an act to amend chapter ninety-eight (98) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-

eight, relative to offenses against the public peace.

I do not sign this bill for the reason that some of its provisions seem to be inconsistent with principles that are primary in the form of government provided by our state and national constitutions in subordinating civil to military powers.

Very respectfully, W. R. MERRIAM, Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, Feb. 15, 1889.

Hon. A. E. Rice, President of the Senate:

Sir: I have approved and signed:

S. F. No. 79. An act to increase the number of Judges of the Second Judicial District of this state and to prescribe the duties of the same.

S. F. No. 37, An act to repeal chapter three hundred and sixty-five (365) of the Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887), entitled An act to regulate and fix the compensation of the Clerk of the District Court of the county of Kandiyohi.

S F. No 89, A joint resolution requesting Congress to pass a law granting pensions to every honorably discharged Union soldier and

sailor who was confined in rebel prisons.

S. F. No. 107, An act relating to the clerkship of the Board of Edu-

cation of the Independent School District of Duluth.

S. F. No. 157, An act to regulate the catching of fish in Buffalo and Pulaski lakes in Wright county, and to repeal chapter two hundred and sixty (260) of the Special Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five (1885) relating to the catching of fish in certain lakes in said Wright county, as to said Buffalo and Pulaski lakes mentioned therein.

Respectfully,

W. R. MERRIAM, Governor.