

CHAPTER LII.

An Act to Prevent the Sale of Unripe Cranberries.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. Any person who shall at any time offer for sale, or in any other manner attempt to dispose of, or have in his or her possession, with intent to sell or dispose of, any cranberries gathered between the first of July and the fifth day of September, in any year, in any county in this State, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by fine not exceeding fifty dollars, nor less than ten dollars, with cost of suit.

When cranberries not to be gathered

SEC. 2. Possession of cranberries during the time the selling or disposing of them is prohibited, as provided in section one of this Act, shall be deemed *prima facie* evidence of the fact, of the person or persons having the same in his or her possession with intent to sell or dispose of the same contrary to the provisions of the preceding section.

What to be deemed evidence

SEC. 3. Any person who shall be convicted of the offence as provided in section one of this Act, shall stand committed to the county jail of the proper county until the whole of such fine, together with the costs of suit are paid.

Penalty for non-compliance with the provisions of this Act

SEC. 4. Justices of the peace shall have jurisdiction, on complaint made on oath, to hear and determine all cases arising under this Act.

Duty of justices of the peace

SEC. 5. All fines recovered under the provisions of this Act shall be paid into the county treasury, for the use of the public schools of said county.

Disposition of fines

Duties of county
officers

SEC. 6. It is hereby made the duty of all justices of the peace, town supervisors, sheriffs and constables, to enforce the provisions of this Act, *Provided*, This Act shall not apply to persons gathering, picking, or raking cranberries on their own land.

SEC. 7. This Act shall take effect immediately.

Approved February 28th, A. D. 1861.

CHAPTER LIII.

An Act to Prevent Abuse in the Use of Intoxicating Drinks, by Placing Minors, Servants and Wards More Fully Under the Control of their Parents, Masters, and Guardians.

SECTION 1. Duty of parents and guardians—penalty for violation of the provisions of this Act.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That it shall be lawful for any parent, master or guardian having minors, minor servants or wards in charge, to give a distinct notice, verbal or written, to any tavern keeper, inn keeper, merchant, grocer, saloon keeper, distiller, brewer, or any other person having, or keeping intoxicating liquors, forbidding him or them from directly or indirectly furnishing such minors, minor servants or wards, so in charge, with intoxicating liquors, and if within one year after such notice, any one to whom such notice is given, shall furnish, directly or indirectly, or cause to be furnished, intoxicating liquors to such minors, minor servants or wards so in charge, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by fine; not less than ten dollars, nor more than fifty dollars, or undergo imprisonment in the county jail not less than ten nor more than fifty days for each and every offence.

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