a notice to be posted in at least three public conspicuous places in the town wherein he has his office. Such notice shall state that the aforesaid complaint has been filed with him and shall contain a description of said dog as given in said complaint, and shall also contain a notice of the day and place when a hearing on said complaint will be had, which day shall be not less than six (6) nor more than ten (10) days from the day of the posting of such notice.

Hearing; order for destruction. Sec. 5. On the return day named in said summons, or on the day named in said notice, as the case may be, said justice shall hear the evidence adduced in said matter and render his decision therein. If he shall decide said dog to be a public nuisance he shall forthwith order a constable of his court to apprehend, destroy and bury the same, and said constable shall execute such order forthwith.

Costs of suit, by whom paid. SEC. 6. The costs in the first instance shall be paid by the party making the complaint; in case the dog is declared to be a public nuisance, and the owner of the dog is known, judgment shall be entered against such owner for the costs of the proceedings.

Sec. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 19, 1899.

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CHAPTER 287.

Live stock; encouragement of interests therein.

An act to provide for the encouragement of the live stock interests of the state, and to appropriate money therefor.

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

\$1,000 appropriated to stock breeders' association. Section 1. That the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars annually is hereby appropriated to the Minnesota Stock Breeders' association, to be expended by the executive committee of said association for the purpose of disseminating useful knowledge and information regarding the live stock interests of the state, making exhibits of fat stock, paying premiums, or publishing reports of meetings held under the direction of the association for the betterment of the live stock interests of the state.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 19th, 1899.