Violation of the cutting practices herein prescribed shall constitute a separate offense as to each 40-acre tract involved.

Sec. 8. Effective date.—This act shall take effect and be in force six months from and after its passage.

Approved April 2, 1943.

CHAPTER 291-S. F. No. 872.

An act relating to the salary of the county commissioners in certain counties,

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

Section 1. Salary of County Board in certain counties.—In all counties in this State having an area of not less than 600 square miles nor more than 700 square miles, and having a population of not less than 19,000 nor more than 20,300, the annual salary of the county commissioners shall be \$600.00.

Approved April 2, 1943.

CHAPTER 292-S. F. No. 923.

An act relating to change of name and amending Laws 1943, Chapter 28, Section 1.

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

- Section 1. Law amended.—Laws 1943, Chapter 28, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:
- Sec. 2. Application for change of name.—A person who shall have resided in any county for one year may apply to the district court thereof to have his name changed in the manner herein specified. He shall state in his application the name and age of his wife and each of his children, if any, and shall describe all lands in the state in or upon which he claims any interest or lien, and shall appear personally before the court and prove his identity by at least two witnesses. If he be a minor, his guardian or next of kin shall also appear. If he be under the age of 14 years, the application may be made by his guardian or next of kin. Every person who, with intent to defraud, shall make a false statement in any such application shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

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