

to writing, and state the name, age, and evidence of each witness examined, and transmit the same forthwith to the chairman of the board of county commissioners, who shall without delay submit the same to the judge of the district court for said county, whose duty it shall be to examine the same and approve or disapprove of such conviction. If the conviction of the justice is approved the minor shall forthwith be committed to the said board of managers, if disapproved no other proceedings shall be had.

Parents when able to pay for maintenance of incorrigible children.

SEC. 4. That if it shall appear to the county commissioners, that the parents of any infant committed for incorrigibility, are able to pay the expense of clothing, maintenance and instruction of such infant, then, and in that case, the said county having paid to the state reform school, the charges for the clothing, maintenance and instruction of such infant, may recover the same of the parents of such infant.

SEC. 5. This act shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage.

Approved Feb. 26, 1872.

## CHAPTER XXIX.

February 23,  
1872.

*An act to authorize the County Commissioners of the several organized counties of the State to pay a Bounty for the Destruction of Wolves.*

SECTION 1. Boards of county commissioners authorized to give bounties for destruction of wolves.

2. Necessary evidence to obtain the bounty.
  3. Duties of the county auditors in the premises.
  4. Further duties of the county auditor.
- When act to take effect.

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

SECTION. 1. The board of county commissioners of the several organized counties of this state are hereby author-

ized and empowered, if in their opinion it is deemed necessary or expedient, to give a bounty for the destruction of wolves, in their respective counties, not exceeding the sum of five dollars for each wolf so destroyed, payable at the treasury of the county wherein such wolf may be taken and killed.

Wolf bounty authorized.

SEC. 2. When the county commissioners shall grant said bounty, any person claiming such bounty shall produce the head of each wolf with the ears and scalp entire within twenty days after the same has been taken and killed, to the county auditor of the county within which such wolf was taken and killed, and shall make oath or affirmation in writing, before such auditor that the wolf whose head and scalp is produced was taken and killed within such county, within twenty days last past.

Head of wolf to be produced

SEC. 3. The county auditor before whom the said oath or affirmation is made, shall cause the head and scalp of said wolf to be destroyed in his presence and shall file affidavit so taken, in his office, and shall grant an order to the person making the affidavit for the amount due him, on the treasurer of the county, where such wolf was taken and killed, and shall take a receipt of such person for such order, which order shall be received for all county taxes.

Duties of auditor.

SEC. 4. The said county auditor shall make a record of the date, number and amount of all orders drawn by him under the provisions of section three of this act, and the name of the person to whom granted, and shall present such record with the receipts for said orders, and the affidavits above named, to the county commissioners of his county, at their regular annual meeting in September of each year.

Record of bounties.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved Feb. 28, 1872.