

## CHAPTER CCXLII.

AN ACT TO PREVENT THE KILLING OF DEER IN STEARNS COUNTY, AT ANY TIME EXCEPT DURING THE TIME FROM THE 15TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, TO THE 15TH DAY OF DECEMBER EACH YEAR.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to kill or take by any means, contrivance or device whatever, or worry or hunt the same with dogs, any deer, buck, fawn or doe in the county of Stearns, at any time, except during the time from the 15th day of November to the 15th day of December in each year. And any person who shall violate this act, shall upon conviction thereof, suffer a fine of ten dollars for each and every offense, together with the cost of the prosecution.

SEC. 2. Justices of the peace shall have jurisdiction of all offenses arising under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 6, 1876.

## CHAPTER CCXLIII.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVEN OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-TWO, ENTITLED, "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, IN THE COUNTY OF HENNEPIN."

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

SECTION 1. That section nine of said act, being section nine of chapter 177 of the special laws of 1872, be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "And whenever the judge of said court for any reason declines to sit in any cause or proceeding pending in said court, or by reason of any legal disability is disqualified to try the same, such action or proceeding shall at once be transferred to the district court of said county, and an order to that effect be entered of record, and thereafter the same shall in all respects

proceed as though the same had originally been instituted in said district court. In case of the illness of the judge of said court, any judge of any other court of common pleas, in said state, may act as judge of said court."

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

Approved February 17, 1876.

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#### CHAPTER CCXLIV.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION ONE OF CHAPTER 66, OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF 1873, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 48, OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF 1874, TO PREVENT THE RUNNING AT LARGE OF CATTLE AND OTHER DOMESTIC ANIMALS IN CERTAIN COUNTIES THEREIN NAMED.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 66, of the special laws of 1873, as amended by chapter 48, of the special laws of 1874, is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

Sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to allow any cattle, horses or other domestic animals, owned by them or of which they may be in possession, or have control, to run at large upon the public highways, or upon the lands of any other person or of persons, during any season of the year, unless properly herded, *Provided*, That the provisions of this section shall not apply to any portion of the state of Minnesota, except the counties of Dodge, Goodhue, Olmsted and Martin, the seventh senatorial district of Winona county, and the town of Rolling Stone, in the eighth senatorial district of Winona county; *Provided further*, That a majority of the legal voters at any annual town meeting in the county of Olmsted, may by resolution allow such animals to run at large in their respective towns.

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

Approved March 2, 1876.