

justice court, shall be brought and tried in the county in which such bond for costs, or security for costs, is filed, unless the court for cause other than the place of residence of the defendants change the place of trial to any other county as now provided by law.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 20th, 1899.

S. F. No. 400.

CHAPTER 336.

Annoying
fences:
nuisance.

An act in relation to fences and other structures erected for the purpose of annoying the owners or occupants of adjoining property, and for the abatement of the same as nuisances.

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

Fence, when
a nuisance.

SECTION 1. Any fence, or other structure in the nature of a fence, unnecessarily exceeding six (6) feet in height, maliciously erected or maintained for the purpose of annoying the owners or occupants of adjoining property shall be deemed a private nuisance.

Action for
abatement
of; damages.

SEC. 2. Any such owner or occupant injured, either in his comfort or in the enjoyment of his estate by such fence, may have an action of tort for the damage sustained thereby, and may have such nuisance abated.

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

Approved April 20th, 1899.

S. F. No. 403.

CHAPTER 337.

Collection of
vital sta-
tistics.

An act to amend sections 437, 438, 439 and 441 of chapter six (6), General Statutes of Minnesota 1894, relating to the collection of vital statistics.

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