

liable to be seized, taken or appropriated by any legal or equity process to pay any debt or liability of such policyholder.

Laws reciprocal.

SEC. 37. Laws Reciprocal.—Whenever by the laws, custom or ruling of any other state or nation any taxes, fines, penalties, licenses, fees, requirements, conditions, specification or restriction are imposed upon companies of this state organized or operating under this act the same or similar charge or performance shall be imposed by the insurance commissioner upon any company of such state or nation seeking admission to or operating in this state under this act.

Annual meetings.

SEC. 38. Annual Meetings.—There shall be held an annual meeting of the members or stockholders of any company organized or reorganized under the provisions of this act, of which annual meeting the members or stockholders shall have notice at least thirty days in advance, either by way of a written or printed notice, which may accompany other written or printed matter, or by notices appearing in bold type upon the policy issued to each member or stockholder.

SEC. 39. This act shall supersede all provisions of any existing law in conflict herewith.

This act shall be in effect from and after the date of its passage.

Approved April 9, 1901.

H. F. No. 179.

CHAPTER 179.

Amendment. Contagious diseases among domestic animals.

An act to amend chapter 233 of the General Laws of 1897 entitled "An act to prevent the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals in this state."

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

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of chapter two hundred and thirty-three (233) of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1897, entitled "An act to prevent the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals in this state," be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

State and local health boards authorized.

Section 1. Authority is hereby given to the state board of health and to the several local boards of health of the towns, villages and cities of this state, to take all steps they may severally deem necessary to control, suppress and eradicate any and all contagious and infectious dis-

eases among any of the domestic animals in this state, and to that end, said board are hereby severally empowered, within their respective jurisdictions, to quarantine any domestic animal which is infected with any such disease or which has been exposed to infection therefrom; to kill any animal so infected, and whenever deemed necessary by the state board of health, to kill any animal which has been exposed to the infection of any such disease, to regulate or prohibit the arrival in or departure from this state, and the towns, villages and cities thereof, of any such exposed or infected animal, and at the cost of the owner thereof, to detain any domestic animal found in violation of any such regulation or prohibition; to adopt all such rules and regulations as may be by such several boards deemed necessary or expedient to enforce the authority hereby given; and said state board of health is hereby expressly given authority to regulate or prohibit the shipment into this state of any domestic animal which, in the judgment of said board, may endanger the public health; *provided*, that no board of health shall by any rule or regulation thereof prohibit the sale, disposal or removal of any domestic animal by any person or persons, or from any place, when said animal has no contagious disease or has not been exposed to any contagious disease, and that the fact that animals are upon the same premises with others having a contagious disease shall not of itself be construed as evidence of exposure to such contagious disease as is had by said other animals.

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

Approved April 9, 1901.

CHAPTER 180.

H. F. No. 242.

An act to amend section five (5) of chapter eight (8) of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (1891), entitled "An act to provide for the assessment, taxation and collection of taxes of telegraph and telephone lines within the State of Minnesota."

Amendment.
Taxation of
telegraph
and
telephone
lines.

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

SECTION 1. That section five (5) of chapter eight (8) of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (1891), entitled "An act to provide for the assessment, taxation and collection