

Sec. 7. **Chap. 441, G. L. 1913, repealed.**—That Chapter 441, General Laws of 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 24, 1915.

CHAPTER 336—S. F. No. 559.

An Act to amend Section 8666 General Statutes 1913, relative to abandonment of wife and family.

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

Section 1. **Abandonment of wife and children under certain conditions a felony.**—That Section 8666, General Statutes 1913, be amended so as to read as follows:

8666. Every parent or other person having the care or custody for nurture or education of a child under the age of ten years, who shall desert such child in any place with intent wholly to abandon it, shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for not more than one year, and a husband who, without lawful excuse, deserts his wife *while pregnant, or deserts his wife and family when such family includes a child or children unable to support themselves*, shall be guilty of a felony and punished therefor by imprisonment in the state prison for not more than one year.

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

Approved April 24, 1915.

CHAPTER 337—S. F. No. 678.

An Act authorizing the live stock sanitary board of the State of Minnesota to pay claims for animals killed out of the unexpended balance appropriated by Section thirty-eight (38) of Chapter four hundred and one (401) of the General Laws of 1913, in certain cases.

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

Section 1. **Live stock sanitary board authorized to pay for animals killed.**—The Live Stock Sanitary Board of this state is hereby authorized to pay out of the unexpended balance remaining in the appropriation made by Section thirty-eight (38) of Chapter four hundred and one (401) of the General Laws of 1913, such claims now on file with said board as the board determine to be just claims therefor for animals killed in order to suppress any dangerous, contagious or infectious disease, as authorized by Chapter one hundred and forty-eight (148) General Laws of

1913, in cases where the killing of such animals was not ordered by such board prior to the killing thereof, where after due investigation by said board the killing of such animals has been approved by such board as having been necessary for the purpose of suppressing such diseases, and where such board has determined that the killing of such animals was necessary for such purpose and where such claims are in all respects just claims and the claimants entitled to payment thereof under the provisions of said Chapter one hundred and forty-eight (148) of the General Laws of 1913, except that the killing of the animals, for which such claims are made, was not ordered by said board prior to such killing.

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

Approved April 24, 1915.

CHAPTER 338—S. F. No. 713. .

An Act to amend Chapter 128 Laws of Minnesota, 1911, (being Section 827 General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913) relative to salaries of auditors and treasurers in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles and valuation of more than \$20,000,000.00.

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

Section 1. **Salaries of auditor and treasurer in certain counties.**—That Chapter 128, Laws of Minnesota, 1911, the same being Section 827 General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

In each county of this state, having an area of more than two thousand five hundred square miles, and having or which may hereafter have an assessed valuation of more than twenty million dollars and not more than thirty million dollars, according to the assessment for the last preceding year, the county auditor and county treasurer thereof shall each receive an annual salary of three thousand dollars; and such county auditor and county treasurer shall be allowed for clerk hire as follows: Upon each dollar of such assessed valuation, not exceeding twenty-five million dollars, the county auditor shall be allowed *one-fourth* of one mill, and the county treasurer *one-tenth* of one mill; and upon all sums in excess of twenty-five million dollars, the county auditor shall be allowed *one-twelfth* of one mill, and the county treasurer *one-thirtieth* of one mill, on each dollar. Such salaries and allowances for clerk hire shall be paid monthly out of the county treasury upon the order of the county auditor.

Sec. 2. **Effect May 1, 1915.**—This act shall take effect and be in force from and after May 1, 1915.

Approved April 24, 1915.