

Employer to receive copy of terms of hire.

Sec. 4. Every person hired or engaged to work for others, by one so licensed, as aforesaid, shall be furnished a written copy in duplicate of the terms of such hire or engagement, rate of wages or compensation, kind of service to be performed, length of time of such service, with full name and address of the person or persons, firm or corporation authorizing the hire of such person; one of the aforesaid copies to be delivered to the person or persons, firm or corporation for whom the contracted labor is to be performed, and the other to be retained by the person hired as aforesaid; and the agent issuing the above described written copy of the contract of service or employment shall make and keep, in a book provided for the purpose, a third copy of the same; and any person engaged in the business of keeping an employment bureau or agency, such as is contemplated by this act, who shall fail to observe the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Failure to get employment; action on bond.

Any person hired or engaged to work for others, by one so licensed, as aforesaid, who shall fail to get employment according to the terms of such contract of hire or engagement by reason of any unauthorized act, fraud, or misrepresentation on the part of such agent, may bring an action upon said bond, and may recover in such action against the principal and sureties the full amount of his damages sustained by reason of such unauthorized act, fraud, or misrepresentation, together with his costs and disbursements in such action.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 6, 1899.

H. F. No. 7.

CHAPTER 43.

Bicycle paths, protection of.

An act to protect bicycle paths and bicyclists.

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

Penalty for willful injury to.

SECTION 1. Any person who willfully injures, obstructs or destroys or drives any cattle, sheep, horse, swine or other animals, team or vehicle, except a bicycle, or willfully allows his cattle, sheep, horse, swine or other animal to be led or driven upon, or to stray along a bicycle path constructed exclusively for the use of bicyclists, except for the purpose of crossing such paths at street

intersections, and at private driveways leading from the street to adjoining premises, and for the purpose of crossing such paths to and from the street and adjoining premises where necessary, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, be fined not less than five (5) dollars or more than fifty (50) dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than thirty (30) days, or both.

SEC. 2. Whoever willfully shall throw, drop or place, or shall cause or procure to be thrown, dropped or placed in or upon any cycle path, public avenue, street, sidewalk, alley, road, highway, bridge, parkway or place, any glass, tack, nail, piece or pieces of barbed wire or other metal, briar, thorn or other substance which might injure or puncture any tire used on a bicycle or which might wound, disable or injure any person using a bicycle in this state, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof be fined not less than ten (10) dollars nor more than fifty (50) dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days, or both.

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

Approved March 6, 1899.

CHAPTER 44.

H. F. No. 106.

An act providing for the care of the property of persons committed to a state hospital for insane.

Insane persons; care of property of.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the judge of probate, before whom any person is examined on information in insanity, to make a special inquiry as to the property possessed by such person in case he or she is found to be insane; and whenever it is found that such person has property within the jurisdiction of said court needing care and attention, and that there are no friends or relatives likely to petition for appointment of guardian, it shall be the duty of said court to appoint a suitable person as special guardian of such property of such insane person until he or she is discharged from such hospital, or until a guardian is duly appointed by petition and duly qualified as required by law.

Duty of judge of probate in such cases.

SEC. 2. Whenever any person is appointed guardian of the property of an insane person under the provisions of this act he shall, in the performance of his duties, be

Guardian of; duties.