

and every corporation which may hereafter be organized under the laws of this state, shall, on or before the second Tuesday of January of each year, and at such other times as such corporations may elect so to do, file with the county auditor of the county in which such corporation has its principal place of business, a statement, sworn to by its president and attested by its secretary and sealed with its corporate seal, containing a list of all its officers and their respective titles of office, names and addresses, and the term of office for which they have been chosen.

SEC. 2. Every corporation which shall be hereafter organized under the laws of this state shall, within thirty days after it shall have filed its certificate of incorporation with the county auditor of the county in which it has its principal place of business, file with such county auditor a statement, sworn to by its president and attested by its secretary and sealed with its corporate seal, containing a list of all of its officers and their respective titles of office, names and address, and the term of office for which they have been chosen.

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## CHAPTER CXLIII.

[S. B. No. 50.]

### TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF CONTAGIOUS DISEASES AMONG DOMESTIC ANIMALS.

AN ACT to prevent the spread of contagious or infectious diseases among cattle, horses and other domestic animals, and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof.

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

Isolation of  
diseased stock.

SECTION 1. The local board of health of towns, counties and cities, in case of existence in this state of tuberculosis or the disease called pleuro-pneumonia among cattle, or farcy or glanders among horses, or any other contagious

or infectious disease among domestic animals, shall cause the animals in their respective towns, counties or cities which are infected, or which have been exposed to infection, to be secured or collected in some suitable place or places within their respective towns, counties or cities, and kept isolated; such isolation to continue as long as the existence of such disease or other circumstances may render it necessary: *Provided, however,* That the provisions of this act shall not apply to sheep in counties having a duly appointed sheep inspector.

SEC. 2. The said local boards of health, when any such animal is adjudged by a veterinary surgeon, selected by the state board of health, to be infected with any contagious or infectious disease, may, in their discretion, order such diseased animal to be forthwith killed and buried at the expense of such town, county or city.

Diseased animals killed, when.

SEC. 3. The said local boards of health may, within their respective towns, counties or cities, prohibit the departure of animals from any inclosure, or exclude animals therefrom.

SEC. 4. The said local boards of health may make regulations in writing to regulate or prohibit the passage from, to or through their respective towns, counties or cities, or from place to place within the same, of any cattle or any other domestic animals, and may arrest and detain at the cost of the owners thereof, all animals found passing in violation of such regulations, and may take all necessary measures for the enforcement of such prohibition, and also for the preventing the spread of any disease among the animals to their respective town, county or city, and the immediate vicinity thereof.

Quarantine regulations.

SEC. 5. Such regulations shall be recorded upon the records of their respective towns, counties and cities, and shall be published in such towns, counties and cities in such manner as may be provided in such regulations.

Quarantine regulations, record of.

SEC. 6. When the state board of health make and publish any regulations concerning the extirpation, care or treatment of animals infected with, or which have been exposed to, any contagious disease, such regulations shall supersede those made by the local boards of health that are incon-

State board of health.

sistent therewith, and said local board of health shall carry out and enforce all orders and directions of the state board of health to them directed.

Penalty for violations.

SEC. 7. Any person disobeying the orders of said state board of health or of said local board of health, made in conformity with the preceding provisions, or driving or transporting any animals contrary to the regulations made, recorded and published as aforesaid, shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred (100) dollars, nor exceeding five hundred (500) dollars.

Notice, and penalty for failure to give.

SEC. 8. Whoever knows or has reason to suspect the existence of any such disease among the animals in his possession, or under his care, shall forthwith give notice thereof to the said local boards of health of the town, county or city where such animals are kept, and for failure so to do shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty (50) dollars nor exceeding five hundred (500) dollars.

Failure to enforce, penalty for.

SEC. 9. Any member of any local board of health who neglects or refuses to carry into effect the preceding provisions shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred (100) dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for each day's neglect.

State board of health, duties of.

SEC. 10. The state board of health shall have all the power and authority herein conferred upon the local boards of health, and said state board of health shall elect an executive officer, whose directions shall have the force and effect of orders and regulations of the state board.

Local boards to notify state board.

SEC. 11. The local boards of health, within twenty-four (24) hours after they have notice that any domestic animals in their respective towns, counties and cities are infected with, or have been exposed to, any such disease, shall give notice thereof in writing to the state board of health.

Quarantine regulations.

SEC. 12. The state board of health may make all necessary regulations for the quarantine of such animals and extirpation of such disease, and may direct local boards of health to enforce and carry into effect all such regulations as may from time to time be made for that end, and any member of any local board of health who refuses or neglects to enforce or carry out any regulation of the state

board of health, shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred (100) dollars nor more than five hundred (500) dollars for every offense.

SEC. 13. The state board of health, when in their judgment the public requires it, may cause to be killed and buried any domestic animals which are infected with any contagious or infectious disease, and may isolate those that have been exposed to such disease. Stock, extirpation of.

SEC. 14. In all cases of contagious disease in animals the state board of health, having condemned the animal infected therewith, shall cause such animal to be killed, without an appraisement or compensation to the owner thereof. Condemned animals not paid for.

SEC. 15. Any person who fails to comply with the regulation made or an order given by the state board of health shall be punished by fine not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars. Fines.

SEC. 16. The state board of health may examine, under oath, all persons believed to possess knowledge of material facts concerning the existence or dissemination, or danger of dissemination, of disease among domestic animals; and for this purpose shall have all the power vested in justices of the peace to take depositions and to compel witnesses to attend and testify. All costs and expenses incurred in producing the attendance of such witnesses shall be certified by the state board of health and paid from the treasury of the state, upon being duly audited by the state auditor: *Provided*, That witnesses shall be examined in the county where the infected stock is situated. All costs and expenses incurred in producing the attendance of such witnesses shall be certified by the state board of health and paid from the treasury of the state, upon being duly audited by the state auditor. State board may summon witnesses. Costs, how paid.

SEC. 17. Whoever violates any of the provisions of the preceding section shall be punished by fine not exceeding one hundred (100) dollars and the cost of prosecution.

SEC. 18. The state board of health shall keep a full record of their doings and report the same to the legislature, unless sooner required by the governor. Records kept.

SEC. 19. The state board of health may, by order, re-

quire any two (2) or more local boards to act together to carry out the purposes of this act.

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## CHAPTER CXLIV.

[S. B. No. 29.]

AN ACT requiring street railway companies to provide weather guards on street cars, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

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

SECTION 1. All corporations, companies or individuals owning, managing or operating any street railway or line in the State of Washington, shall provide, during the rain or winter season, all cars run or used on its or their respective roads with good, substantial and sufficient vestibules, or weather guards, for the protection of the employés of such corporation, company or individual.

SEC. 2. The vestibules or weather guards, provided for in section one hereof, shall be so constructed as to protect the employés of such company, corporation or individual from the wind, rain or snow.

SEC. 3. Any such street railway company, corporation or individual, as mentioned in the preceding sections, failing to comply with the provisions of this act, shall forfeit and pay to the State of Washington a penalty of not less than fifty dollars nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars for each and every violation of this act, and each period of ten days that any such company, corporation or individual shall fail to comply with the provisions of this act, or for each car used by such corporation, company or individual not in conformity with this act, shall be taken and deemed to be a separate violation of this act, and all moneys collected under and by virtue of the provisions of this act