

THE
COMPILED LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF NEVADA.



EMBRACING
STATUTES OF 1861 TO 1873, INCLUSIVE.

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1873.

Fines, etc. unlawfully use the same in any fight or quarrel, the person or persons so offending shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, or shall be imprisoned in the County Jail for a term not exceeding six months; *provided*, nevertheless, that no Sheriff, Deputy Sheriff, Marshal, Constable, or other peace officer, shall be held to answer, under the provisions of this Act, for drawing or exhibiting any of the weapons hereinbefore mentioned, while in the lawful discharge of his or their duties. It shall be the duty of all military, civil, and peace officers in this State to be vigilant in carrying the provisions of this Act into full force and effect. [As amended March 4, Stats. 1873, p. 118.]

Duties of officers relative to.

Assault and intimidation.

2347. SEC. 41. If any person shall assault and beat another with a cowhide, stick, or whip, having at the time, in his possession, a pistol or other deadly weapon, with intent to intimidate and prevent the person assaulted from defending himself, such person shall, on conviction thereof, be imprisoned in the State Prison not less than one or more than ten years.

Administering poison.

2348. SEC. 42. Every person who shall willfully and maliciously administer, or cause to be administered to or taken by any person, any poison, or other noxious or destructive substance or liquid, with the intention to cause the death of such person, and being thereof duly convicted, shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison for a term not less than ten years, and which may extend to life. And any person who shall sell, furnish, procure, prescribe, take, administer, or who shall cause to be sold, furnished, procured, prescribed, taken, or administered, any medicinal substance, or other substance, or liquid, with the intention to procure or cause the miscarriage of any woman, then being pregnant, or with child, or shall use, or cause to be used, any instrument or instruments whatever, with the intention aforesaid, or who shall in any manner make known to any person or persons the ingredients of any medicinal substance or substances, or other substances, or liquid, with the like intent, and shall be thereof duly convicted, shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison for a period not less than one nor more than ten years; *provided*, that no physician shall be affected by the last clause of this section who, in the discharge of his professional duty, produces the miscarriage of any woman in order to save her life. [As amended February 16, Stats. 1869, p. 64.]

Procuring or administering any substance to cause abortion.

Punishment.

Mayhem.

2349. SEC. 43. Mayhem consists of unlawfully depriving a human being of a member of his or her body, or disfiguring or rendering it useless. If any person shall cut out or disable the tongue, put out an eye, slit the nose, ear, or lip, or disable any limb or member of another, or shall voluntarily, or of purpose, put out an eye or eyes, every such person shall be guilty of mayhem. The crime of mayhem shall be punishable by imprisonment in the State Prison for a term not exceeding fourteen years.

Punishment.

Rape.

2350. SEC. 44. Rape is the carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will, and a person duly convicted thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison for a term not less than five years, and which may extend to life;

Punishment of.