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OF THE
STATE OF NEVADA.



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whether it shall have been murdered or not, every such mother being convicted thereof, shall suffer imprisonment in the State Prison, for a term not exceeding one year; *provided*, however, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent such mother from being indicted and punished for the murder of such bastard child. Punishment.

2341. SEC. 35. If any person shall, by previous appointment or agreement, fight a duel with a rifle, shot-gun, pistol, bowie knife, dirk, smallsword, backsword, or other dangerous weapon, and in so doing shall kill his antagonist, or any person or persons, or shall inflict such wound as that the party or parties injured shall die thereof within one year thereafter, every such offender shall be deemed guilty of murder in the first degree, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished accordingly. Dueling.
Punishment of.

2342. SEC. 36. Any person who shall engage in a duel with any deadly weapon, although no homicide ensue, or shall challenge another to fight such duel, or shall send or deliver any verbal or written message purporting or intending to be such challenge, although no duel ensue, shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison not less than two nor more than ten years, and shall be incapable of voting or holding any office of trust or profit under the laws of this State. Persons concerned in, disfranchised.

2343. SEC. 37. Any and every person who shall be present at the time of fighting any duel with deadly weapons, either as second, aid, surgeon, or spectator, or who shall advise or give assistance to such duel, shall be a competent witness against any person offending against any of the provisions of this Act, and may be compelled to appear and give evidence before any Justice of the Peace, grand jury, or Court, in the same manner as other witnesses; but the testimony so given shall not be used in any prosecution or proceeding, civil or criminal, against the person so testifying. Persons implicated in, to give evidence.

2344. SEC. 38. If any person shall post another, or, in writing, or print, or orally, shall use any reproachful or contemptuous language to, or concerning another, for not fighting a duel, or for not sending or accepting a challenge, he shall be imprisoned in the State Prison for a term not less than six months nor more than one year, and fined in any sum not less than five hundred nor exceeding one thousand dollars. Posting for not fighting.
Punishment of.

2345. SEC. 39. If any person, with or without deadly weapons, upon previous concert and agreement, fight, one with another, upon conviction thereof, they, or either, or any of them, shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison for a term not less than two years nor more than five years. Should death ensue to any person in such fight, or should any person die from any injury received in such fight, within one year and one day, the person or persons causing such death shall be deemed guilty of murder, and punished accordingly. Prize fighting.
Punishment of.

2346. SEC. 40. Any person in this State having, carrying, or procuring from another person any dirk, dirk-knife, sword, sword-cane, pistol, gun, or other deadly weapon, who shall, in the presence of two or more persons, draw or exhibit any of said deadly weapons, in a rude, angry, or threatening manner, not in necessary self-defense, or who shall in any manner Drawing deadly weapons.