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THE GENERAL STATUTES

OF THE

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labor or other business, whether the same be for profit or amusement, unless such as is permitted above, he shall be fined not less than two nor more than fifty dollars for each offense. Every person or apprentice so employed shall be deemed a separate offense. Persons who are members of a religious society, who observe as a Sabbath any other day in the week than Sunday, shall not be liable to the penalty prescribed in this section, if they observe as a Sabbath one day in each seven, as herein provided.

Hunting on the Sabbath.

§ 11. If any person shall hunt game with a gun or dogs on the Sabbath, he shall be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars for each offense.

1 R. S., 401. Altering or defacing brands, &c.

§ 12. If any person shall knowingly alter or deface the marks or brands on any horse, cattle, sheep, hog, goat, or other property, not his own, without the consent of the owner, he shall be fined a sum not exceeding two hundred dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding six months, or both, in the discretion of a jury.

Driving sheep not branded, &c.

§ 13. If any person shall drive sheep for a distance of more than ten miles along a public road, without each sheep being plainly branded, or marked with one or more letters or crosses, he shall be fined not less than two nor more than ten dollars for each sheep so driven.

Furnishing false pedigree of stock to purchaser.

§ 14. Any person who shall knowingly and willfully furnish to any purchaser of stock any false pedigree of such stock, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in any sum not less than one hundred nor more than one thousand dollars, or imprisoned in the county jail not less than three nor more than twelve months, or both so fined and imprisoned.

Burial of persons dying on steamboats, &c.

§ 15. If any person shall die on board of a steamboat, or other water craft, within this State, if not claimed by a friend, the master, or other officer in command, shall cause the dead body to be buried on shore, at least four feet deep. Such master, or other officer, failing so to do, shall be fined not less than two hundred dollars, and the vessel shall be liable for the payment of it.

Disinterring dead bodies.

§ 16. Whoever shall unlawfully or secretly disinter, or displace any dead human body from the grave or vault in which it has been deposited, shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding six months, or both, at the discretion of a jury.

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