

## CHAPTER 57.

AN ACT to prevent blindness, and for the care of infants affected with disease of the eyes, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof. S. F. 66.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. Should one or both eyes of an infant become inflamed, or swollen, or reddened at any time within two weeks after its birth, it shall be the duty of the midwife, parent, guardian, or nurse, or other persons having charge of such infant, to report within six (6) hours after the discovery thereof by such person in charge of such infant to the health officer or some legally qualified medical practitioner of the city, town, or district in which the parents of the infant reside, the fact that such inflammation, or swelling, or redness of the eyes exists. Midwife or guardian to report condition of infants eyes. To whom report is to be made.

SEC. 2. It is hereby made the duty of attending physician and midwives to instruct parents and nurses in regard to the provisions of this act and danger of sore eyes in infants. Physicians shall instruct as to sore eyes in infants.

SEC. 3. Any failure to comply with the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine not less than twenty-five dollars or more than one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 30 days or both. Penalty for neglect.

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## CHAPTER 58.

AN ACT to repeal sections one, two, and three of chapter 79, Acts of the Twenty first General Assembly, as amended by chapter 67, Acts of the Twenty second General Assembly, in relation to the spread of disease among swine, and to enact a substitute therefor. S. F. 140

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SEC. 1. That sections one, two, and three, chapter 79 of the acts of the Twenty-first General Assembly, as amended by chapter 67 of the acts of the Twenty second General Assembly, be and the same are hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof: Ch. 76, Acts 21 G. A., Ch. 67, Acts 22 G. A., repealed.

SEC. 2. That it shall be the duty of the owner or persons having charge of any swine or having knowledge of their dying, and upon its coming to his knowledge that any of such swine have died of, or have been slaughtered on account of, any disease, to immediately burn, or bury three feet below the surface, the same. Dead swine must be buried or burned.

SEC. 3. No person shall sell, or give away, or offer for sale, any swine that have died of any disease, or have been killed on account of any disease. Sale of diseased dead swine forbidden.