

4 only, the court shall require proof of said allegations of former con-
5 victions and the same shall not be dismissed or ignored except on the
6 sworn statement of the county attorney that he is unable to prove
7 and establish the same.

House File No. 227. Approved May 14, 1931.

CHAPTER 43

INSPECTOR IN STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

AN ACT to amend chapter sixty-four (64), acts of the forty-third (43rd) general assembly, relating to the inspector in the state department of health, and providing for an assistant to said inspector, and compensation and expense of said inspectors.

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

1 SECTION 1. That chapter sixty-four (64), acts of the forty-third
2 (43rd) general assembly, be amended as follows:
3 1. By inserting in line two (2) of section one (1) after the word
4 "inspector" the words: "and assistant".
5 2. By inserting in line one (1) of section two (2) after the word
6 "inspector" the words: "and assistant".
7 3. By striking from lines one (1) and two (2) of section two (2)
8 the following: "(until June 30, 1931)".
9 4. By striking from line three (3) of section two (2) the words:
10 "until said date".

House File No. 190. Approved April 4, 1931.

CHAPTER 44

LOCAL HEALTH OFFICERS

AN ACT to repeal section twenty-two hundred thirty-six (2236) of the code, 1927, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the general duties of health officers of the local board of health.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section twenty-two hundred thirty-six (2236) of the
2 code, 1927, is repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:
3 "2236. **General duties of health officer.** The health officer shall
4 be the executive officer of the local board in all matters pertaining to
5 the public health, the control of communicable diseases, disposal of
6 refuse and night soil, and the pollution of wells and other sources of
7 water supply; and he shall recommend to the local board the proper
8 measures to be taken for the abatement of unhealthful conditions and
9 for the preservation of the public health. He shall receive reports
10 of cases of reportable diseases, impose and terminate quarantine. He
11 shall keep a record of cases reported to him (name, age, sex, address,
12 birthplace, occupation, school or place of employment of the person
13 reported to be ill, the name of the person making the report, the date
14 of receipt by him of the report, the date of transmission of the report
15 to the state department of health, the date of quarantine, the date

16 of release from quarantine, the termination of the case and source
 17 of infection if known) in a book kept for the purpose. He shall for-
 18 ward reports of cases to the state department of health in accordance
 19 with its rules and regulations."

House File No. 131. Approved April 9, 1931.

CHAPTER 45

ISOLATION AND FUMIGATION

AN ACT to amend section twenty-two hundred forty-seven (2247) and to repeal twenty-two hundred sixty-six (2266) of the code, 1927, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to isolation of persons having communicable diseases and determination of such isolation of quarantine; and to repeal section twenty-two hundred sixty-seven (2267) of the code, 1927, relating to the report of termination of quarantine, and to amend sections twenty-two hundred sixty-eight (2268), twenty-two hundred seventy-four (2274) and twenty-two hundred seventy-five (2275) of the code, 1927, relating to fumigation.

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

1 SECTION 1. That section twenty-two hundred forty-seven (2247)
 2 of the code, 1927, be amended by striking all of paragraph five (5)
 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

4 "5. 'Isolation' shall mean the separation of persons or animals
 5 presumably or actually affected with disease, or are disease carriers,
 6 or have been exposed to communicable disease, in such places and
 7 under such conditions as will prevent the direct or indirect conveyance
 8 of the infectious agent to susceptible persons."

1 SEC. 2. That section twenty-two hundred sixty-six (2266) of the
 2 code, 1927, be repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

3 "2266. In the absence of the health officer, the quarantine or isola-
 4 tion authorized by this chapter may be terminated by the mayor, the
 5 township clerk or other officer acting under the directions of the
 6 health officer."

1 SEC. 3. That section twenty-two hundred sixty-seven (2267) of
 2 the code, 1927, be repealed.

1 SEC. 4. That section twenty-two hundred sixty-eight (2268) of
 2 the code, 1927, be amended by striking from lines six (6) and seven
 3 (7) thereof the words, "fumigated or".

1 SEC. 5. That section twenty-two hundred seventy-four (2274) of
 2 the code, 1927, be amended by striking from line six (6) thereof the
 3 words, "fumigations or".

1 SEC. 6. That section twenty-two hundred seventy-five (2275) of
 2 the code, 1927, be amended by striking from line eleven (11) thereof
 3 the words, "or fumigating".

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