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or other legal representative of a deceased person, in which his account books or other memoranda are used as evidence on either side, the other party may testify in relation thereto.'

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 12, 1870.

Chapter 133.

An act to prohibit the wholesale destruction of water-fowl by traps, etc.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. If any person or persons shall trap, snare or capture wild ducks of any variety, other than in the usual manner of sporting with fire-arms, within the limits of the state, shall forfeit and pay for each duck so taken, a sum not less than two dollars nor more than five, to be recovered by action of trespass, one-half to the use of the town or plantation in which the offence is committed, the other half to the person complaining.

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 14, 1870.

Chapter 134.

An act to amend chapter thirty of the revised statutes, relating to killing moose, deer and caribou.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section nine of chapter thirty of the revised statutes, R. S., chap. 30, SECT. 1. is hereby amended, so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

' Sect. 9. No person shall hunt or kill with dogs any moose, deer or caribou on any lands in this state, under a penalty of forty dollars for every such moose, deer or caribou so killed; and no person shall between the first day of February and the first day of October, in any manner hunt or kill any moose, deer or caribou under the same penalties as above provided; any person may lawfully shoot or otherwise kill any dog so found hunting moose, deer or caribou, or with the persons herein prohibited.'

Section fourteen of said chapter is hereby amended, R. S., chap. 30, sect. 14, relating SECT. 2. by striking out the words "within the times herein forbidden," and inserting instead thereof the words, 'between the first day of killing of mosse February and the first day of October,' and by adding at the end amended.

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