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#### CHAPTER 15

#### **BIGAMY**

Sec.

351. Penalty; venue.

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If any person, except one legally divorced or one whose husband or wife has been continually absent for 7 years and not known to him or her to be living within that time, having a husband or wife living, marries another married or single person, or if any unmarried person knowingly marries the husband or wife of another, when such husband or wife is thereby guilty of polygamy, he or she shall be deemed guilty of polygamy and punished by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not more than 5 years. The indictment for such offense may be found and tried in the county where the offender resides or where he or she is apprehended.

R.S.1954, c. 134, § 4.