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THE

STATUTES OF CALIFORNIA,

PASSED AT THE

Eighteenth Session of the Regislature,

1869-70.

BEGAN ON MONDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF DECEMBER, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINE, AND ENDED ON MONDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF APRIL, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY.



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after deducting the cost of prosecution, the balance of the fine shall be paid into the county treasury, to the credit of the District Road Fund.

Sec 30. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

CHAPTER CCCCXLIII.

An Act concerning water courses in the City of Los Angeles.

[Approved April 2, 1870.]

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

The zanjas which are within the limits of the Public City of Los Angeles, known as the Principal Zanja and Zanjas Numbers One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven and Eight, are hereby declared public zanjas; and the quantity of water which has heretofore generally flowed in each one of said zanjas is hereby declared to be the quantity which, by right, belongs to each one of said zanjas and to the farmers and fruit growers who are benefited by their use; provided, always, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to affect or in any manner interfere with any rights, privileges or easements heretofore granted and conceded to P. Beandey, John S. Griffin, Solomon Lazard, their associates or assigns, by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Los Angeles.

SEC. 2. Any person or persons who shall throw or cause to Penalty for be thrown any filth or matter detrimental to the public health, or allow their sewers or sinks to run or drain into any of said zanjas, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars and not less than twenty dollars for the first offence, and not more than three hundred dollars nor less than fifty dollars for every subsequent offence, or imprisonment in the county jail for not more than thirty nor less than five days, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Any person violating this section shall be prosecuted before any Court of competent jurisdiction in the City or Township of Los Angeles, upon the complaint of any person aggrieved or of the Overseer of water courses of said city. All moneys collected as fines under the provisions of this Act shall be paid into the city treasury of said city, to the credit of the Water Fund thereof.

SEC. 3. All Acts or parts of Acts in conflict with the provi-

sions of this Act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

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