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## **CHAPTER 229.**

AN ACT to punish false pretences in obtaining certificates of registration of cattle and other animals, and to punish giving false pedigrees.

## The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Punishing false pretenves in stock and giving laise peuigrees.

SECTION 1. Every person who, by any false registration of pretence with intent to defraud, shall obtain from any club, association, society or company for improving the breed of cattle, horses, sheep, swine, or other domestic animals, a certificate of registration of any animal in the herd register or other register of any such club, association, society or company, or a transfer of any such registration, and any person who shall knowingly with intent to defraud, give a false pedigree of any animal, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in a state prison for a term not exceeding one year, or in a county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

> SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 1, 1887.