

thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding one year, or both, at the discretion of the court before which the conviction shall be had.

120. Any person connected with any telegraph company in this State, either as clerk, operator, messenger, or in any other capacity, who shall wilfully divulge the contents or the nature of the contents of any private communication intrusted to him for transmission or delivery, or who shall wilfully refuse or neglect to transmit or deliver the same, shall, on conviction before any court, be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall suffer imprisonment in the county jail in the county or city where such conviction shall be had, for a term of not more than three months, or shall be fined not exceeding five hundred dollars, in the discretion of the court.

121. If the wires or cords of any telegraph line be located or stretched or extended from one post or pole to another in such manner as to prevent the owner of any timber growing along the line of such telegraph from cutting and felling the same, and the owner thereof in cutting or felling such timber shall injure the wires, cords or posts of such telegraph line, he shall not be liable to an action for damages, unless it shall appear that in cutting and felling, or in having the same cut and felled, the said owner wilfully and intentionally injured such wires, cords and posts.

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## ARTICLE XXVII.

### Costs.

SEC. 1. The costs and expenses incident to the trial of actions, issues and presentments removed from one county to another which are properly chargeable to the county, shall be borne and paid by the county from which the same are removed.

2. The clerk of the several courts to which such cases may be removed shall make and keep a full and accurate account of the said costs and expenses, and shall certify and return the same as well to the county commissioners of the county where said cases originated as to the county commissioners of the county where