

ing in his possession on the last day of the month next proceeding; provided, that the State registrar may, in the event of unusual sickness or mortality or for the purpose of legal or legislative inquiry, require, of any local registrar, returns at shorter intervals.

1898, ch 312.

6 E. In all cases of death where no physician was in attendance, the coroner, undertaker or other person in charge of the interment of such dead body, shall make record, as far as possible, of the facts required in a certificate of death, and shall forward the same to the nearest registrar or sub-registrar, within five days. In all cases of death from small-pox, yellow fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever or other contagious or infectious disease dangerous to public health, the certificates of death shall be forwarded immediately, and interment shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of the State board of health.

Ibid.

6 F. Application for a permit to disinter a human body shall be made by the presentation to the local registrar of a certificate of death properly made and containing the facts required by law for record of a death. Upon receipt of such certificate the registrar shall issue a permit for the disinterment. No disinterment of the body of any deceased person during the months of July and August shall be issued, except when required for the purpose of a legal investigation; nor shall any such permit be issued in cases where death was caused by infectious or contagious disease except by permission and under the direction of the local board of health.

Ibid.

6 G. Every mid-wife who shall have professional charge of the mother at the birth of any child where no physician is in attendance, shall within the four days next succeeding the birth, furnish the registrar or sub-registrar of the town or district wherein such birth shall have taken place, a certificate, stating, from the best information which can be obtained, the name, if such a child has a name, the place and date of birth, its sex, the name of the father and the maiden name of the mother, the