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of the railroad commission to investigate such violation at once and it shall have power to require such company to immediately provide such additional employes as are necessary to comply with the provisions of this act.

Penalty. 4. The failure to comply with any of the provisions of this section shall subject the corporation or receiver or any officer, agent or representative of such corporation or receiver to a penalty of not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars for each offense, to be sued for and recovered in the name of the state, with the costs of prosecution, by the attorney general or under his direction, or by the district attorney for any county in which the violation may occur, and in the circuit court for such county, and such penalty, when recovered, shall be paid into the county treasury of the county in which the violation occurred, for the benefit of such county.

(Ch. 575, 1907.)

Penalty for railroad violations of sections 1798 to 1817 inclusive. SECTION 1819. 1. If any railroad corporation, its officers, agents or servants, * * * violate or fail to comply with any * * * provisions of * * * sections 1798 to 1817 inclusive, such corporation shall for * * * every violation or failure, forfeit not less than * * * ten nor more than * * * one thousand dollars, * * * and * * * be liable to the person injured for all damages sustained thereby.

2. *All forfeitures recovered shall inure to the state.*

(Ch. 622, 1907.)

Railroads may construct over or under intersecting ways. [SECTION 1828]—5. Subject to the provisions of section 1836 to construct its railroad across, *over*, *under*, along or upon any stream of water, water-course, street, highway, plank road, turnpike or canal which its route shall intersect or touch; to carry any highway, street, turnpike or plank road which it shall touch, intersect or cross over or under its track as may be most expedient for the public good; to change the course and direction of any highway, street, turnpike or plank road when made necessary or desirable to secure more easy ascent or descent by reason of any embankment or cut made in the construction of the railroad and take land necessary