epidemic of any dangerous, communicable disease occurs in the district, within thirty days after the epidemic has subsided, make a report to the state board of health of the number of cases occurring in the epidemic, the number of cases terminating fatally, the origin of the epidemic and the means by which the disease was spread.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## **CHAPTER** 183.

AN ACT to amend section 1497q of the statutes, relating to the removal of old and abandoned dams.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1497q of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1497q. The commissioners of fisheries may remove or cause to be removed, in such manner as they may deem fit, old and abandoned dams in streams in the state of Wisconsin, upon giving sixty days' notice in writing to the owner thereof, if he can be found. If the owner of such dam be unknown or cannot, by due diligence, be found, the commissioners of fisheries shall publish notice once each week for four successive weeks in some newspaper published in the county in which such dam is situated. It shall be the duty of deputy game wardens to act under the direction and authority of the commissioners of fisheries in carrying out the provisiers of this section.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 184.

AN ACT to create subdivision (c) of section 4562c of the statutes, relating to closed season for game birds in Date county.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is added to section 4562e of the statutes a new subdivision to read: (Section 4562e) (e) Any prairie chicken, or prairie hen or grouse of any variety or any Mongo-