

CHAP. 22

An Act to amend article 1210 of the Revised Statutes respecting Marriage License Fees

[Assented to 14th April, 1908]

HIS Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

R.S.Q., 1210, replaced. **1.** Article 1210 of the Revised Statutes is replaced by the following :

Moneys how applied. **“ 1210.** The sums so paid over to the Provincial Treasurer shall be applied in accordance with the provisions of section 450 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 28.”

Coming into force. **2.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

CHAP. 23

An Act to amend the law respecting the labour of prisoners

[Assented to 25th April, 1908]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

R.S.Q., 1224, replaced. **1.** Article 1224 of the Revised Statutes is replaced by the following :

Employment of certain prisoners within or without gaols, &c. **“1224. 1.** The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may, from time to time, direct or authorize the employment, upon any specific work or duty, within or without the limits of any common goal, of any prisoner who, after a prior sentence of imprisonment for any breach of any law of Canada or of any Province, is sentenced to be imprisoned, with hard labor, in such goal, for breach of the laws of Canada or of this Province, or for the breach of the by-laws of any municipal corporation in this Province.

Proviso re first offenders. **2.** First offenders are also governed by paragraph 1 of this article, provided that the specific work or duty be done or performed within the limits of the goal.

Work by prisoners not condemned to hard labour. **3.** Prisoners condemned to imprisonment, by judgments which make no mention of hard labor, may also do or perform the specific work or duty mentioned in paragraph 1 of this

article provided they consent thereto and that the gaoler sees no objection."

2. Article 1229 of the Revised Statutes is amended by *Id.*, 1229, adding thereto the following : " but if an offender who is condemned to imprisonment for any offence, has a wife or a wife and children dependent on him for their livelihood, the wages earned by such prisoner, shall be paid by the sheriff to the wife or to the wife and children, as the case may be. " amended. Payment of wages to wife, &c., of certain prisoners.

3. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction. Coming into force.

CHAP. 24

An Act to amend the law respecting Public Lands

[Assented to 25th April, 1908]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Articles 1282*a* and 1282*b* of the Revised Statutes, as R. S. Q., enacted by the act 4 Edward VII, chapter 13, section 11, are 1282*a*, 1282*b*, repealed.

2. Persons who have bought Crown lands, under the provisions of articles 1282*a* and 1282*b* of the Revised Statutes, repealed by the preceding section, shall not be bound hereafter to produce the declaration mentioned in article 1282*a*, but shall not in consequence thereof be relieved from the performance of the other conditions of sale, to be performed by them each year, in virtue of their location tickets. Certain declarations need not be produced in certain cases, &c.

The sale effected in the past, by means of a location ticket, to a person who has not filed the declaration mentioned in the said articles 1282*a* and 1282*b*, or who, after filing such declaration, has not set forth therein that the conditions of the location ticket have been fulfilled, is declared valid, if the Department has not been notified by the agent that the sale has become null; but such sale may be cancelled by the Minister under article 1283 of the Revised Statutes. Certain sales declared valid, &c.

3. Article 1283 of the Revised Statutes, as replaced by the R. S. Q., 1283, act 4 Edward VII, chapter 13, section 12, is amended by replacing the word " shall ", in the tenth line, by the word " may. "