

Section added after sec. 25. 3. The following sections are added after section 25 of the said act :

Directors may hire or place out the children under their care. “ 25a. The directors may also hire out the children under their care, either under indenture of apprenticeship or as domestic servants; but such contract shall not stipulate that any sum of money be paid either to the directors or the child, and shall guarantee to the master the gratuitous services of the child, and to the latter, board, lodging and maintenance.”

No money to be paid directors for children so placed out. “ 25b. During the whole time that the child shall remain, under the permit of the directors of the school, in charge of the person to whom he was confided, or be placed in apprenticeship by them, no sum of money shall be paid to them for the board and maintenance of such child.”

Regulations for such purpose. “ 25c. The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may make upon this subject such regulations as he shall deem expedient, and the inspectors of prisons and asylums are authorized to put them into execution.”

Id. ss. 19, and 33 to 36 repealed. 4. Sections 19, 33, 34, 35 and 36 of the said act are repealed.

CAP. XXIV.

An Act to amend the acts respecting Reformatory Schools.

[Assented to 10th June, 1884.]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Sections added to 32 V., c. 18, after s. 15. 1. The following sections are added after section 15 of the act 32 Victoria, chapter 18.

Directors of school may allow children to be placed out under permit. “ 16. The directors of a reformatory school may, at any time after the first six months of the term of imprisonment of any child, if his conduct be satisfactory, authorize him, by means of a written permit under their signature, to live with a person worthy of confidence, whose name shall be entered in the permit and who shall be willing to receive and take care of him.

Duration of permit. Every permit so granted shall remain in force only for three months, and shall be renewed every three months, until the expiration of such child's detention in the school.

Cancellation of permit and effect thereof. Such permit may be cancelled by the directors, and, upon their written order to that effect, the child shall be brought back to the school.

Term of absence under permit to count. The period during which a child is absent from the school, under such permit, shall be considered as an integral part of the term of his detention in the school.

Any child who runs away from the dwelling of the person in whose charge he is placed as aforesaid, or who refuses to return to the school if such permit be cancelled or at the end of the term granted by such permit, shall be deemed to have escaped from the school." E-escape.

"17. The directors may hire out the children under their care, either under indentures of apprenticeship or as domestic servants, but such contracts shall not stipulate that any sum of money shall be paid either to the directors or the child, and shall guarantee to the master the gratuitous services of such child, and to the latter, board, lodging and maintenance." Directors may apprentice or hire out children.

"18. The period during which a child shall be under the care of the person to whom he was confided or in service or apprenticed under the law, shall be deducted from the time for which the directors of the school are to be paid for the board and maintenance of such child." Time during which child is placed out, &c. not to be paid for to directors.

"19. The Lieutenant-Governor in council may make such regulations upon this subject as he shall deem advisable and the inspectors of prisons and asylums are authorized to put the same into execution." Regulations to be made under this act and by whom executed.

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

C A P. X X V.

An Act to amend and consolidate the Game Laws of the Province of Quebec.

[Assented to 10th June, 1884.]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

PROHIBITIONS.

Moose, caribou, deer.

1. It is forbidden, within this province, to hunt, kill or take: Close season for:

1. Moose and deer, between the first day of February and the first day of September in each year; Moose and deer.

2. The female of the moose, at any time until the fifteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, after which date the close season shall be the same as for the male moose; Female of the moose.

3. Caribou, between the first day of March and the first day of September in each year. Caribou.