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CHAPTER 358.

AN ACT to amend sections 4944c and 4944d of the statutes, relating to Wisconsin state reformatory.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 4944c is amended to read:

SECTION 2. Section 4944d of the statutes is amended to read:

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CHAPTER 359.

AN ACT to amend section 1 and subdivision 1 of section 9 of chapter 415, laws of 1905 entitled, "An act to authorize E. W. Hopkins, his heirs and assigns to erect and maintain a dam across the Pine river in Florence county."

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Purposes of dam. Section 1. Section 1 of Chapter 415, laws of 1905, is amended to read: Section 1. E. W. Hopkins, his heirs * * * or assigns, are hereby authorized to build and maintain a dam across Pine river in section twenty-eight of township thirty-nine north of range eighteen east, in Florence county, Wisconsin, for the purpose of improving the navigation of said river; and the said E. W. Hopkins, his heirs * * or assigns, are hereby authorized to use the * * surplus hydraulic power created by said dam for the transmis-

times for inspection by the said board or any person representing said board.

(Ch. 574, 1907.)

Territorial apportionment of sales—after August 1st. Section 4918—7. In the sale, distribution and disposition of the twine, the said board shall apportion and divide the same throughout the several agricultural centers of the state as nearly as may be according to the acreage therein of grain requiring the use of binding twine. If any twine remains on hand after August first in any year, the same may be sold absolutely to the first applicant therefor.

(Ch. 574, 1907.)

State to retain contingent interest. Section 4918—8. The state shall have a contingent interest in the twine so disposed of until all the requirements of this act are complied with and the title to such twine so purchased from the state shall become complete and the purchaser relieved of all accountability under this act only when he has fully complied with all his said contracts and agreements.

(Ch. 574, 1907.)

Penalty for selling in violation of sections 4918—1 to 4918—8, inclusive. Section 4918—9. Any person or persons selling binding twine manufactured at the said plant at Waupun, Wisconsin, contrary to the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than three hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than three months.

(Ch. 574, 1907.)

Appropriation, \$125,000. Section 4918—10. To erect buildings, and purchase machinery and equipment necessary to carry on the manufacture and sale of binding twine as herein provided, there is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

(Ch. 574, 1907.)

Sentence to state reformatory based on previous commitment to industrial school. Section 4944c. Male per-

sons who belong to one of the following classes may be committed to the reformatory: First. Persons convicted the first time of a felony, that is of an offense that may be punished by imprisonment in the state prison, and who when so convicted were not over thirty years of age, and not under sixteen vears of age when committed to the reformatory, except as provided in class three; and were not convicted of murder in the first or second degree. Second. Persons of like age convicted for the first time of any misdemeanor which may be punished by imprisonment in the county jail for one year or more. Third. Persons of like age previously convicted of any felony or misdemeanor included in classes one and two, and who shall have been committed for such offense to the Wisconsin industrial school for bous: and Fourth. Inmates of the Wisconsin industrial school for boys not under sixteen years of age when committed to the reformatory, to be selected as hereinafter provided.

(Ch. 358, 1907.)

One year sentence minimum. Section 4944d. Any person belonging to either of said * * classes may, * * at the discretion of the trial court, be sentenced directly to the reformatory and may be so entenced for a * * specific term, not less than * * one year, within the limits of imprisonment prescribed by law for the offense of which he is convicted, which term shall commence at the time prescribed in section 4733 of these statutes for the commencement of terms of sentence to the state prison. * * Such sentence to the reformatory shall be subject to the power of release from actual confinement by parole or absolute discharge hereinafter conferred or by pardon.

(Ch. 358, 1907.)

Transfers to and from state reformatory. Section 4944f. With the approval of the governor any inmate of the reformatory belonging to class one whose continued presence there is considered detrimental to the other inmates may be transferred by the state board of control to the state prison and his original term of imprisonment shall be continued therein. Convicts in the state prison and in the Milwaukee county house of correction belonging to class one, as aforesaid, and in any county jail, belonging to class two may, with like executive approval, be transferred from any of these