

used for forest school purposes) and permit him to use the same upon such terms and conditions as shall be mutually agreed upon between them, conditioned however, that such party shall serve as custodian only during the pleasure of the board; the revenue derived by the state pursuant to the terms of any such agreement shall be paid into the state treasury, credited to the Itasca state park support fund and used in maintaining and improving the park. Said lodge and all cottages shall as heretofore be used solely for the accomodation of the public visiting the park. The forestry board may prescribe rules and regulations for the management of the lodge and rates to be charged by such manager for the accomodation of the public. The board may appoint any competent person superintendent of the park who shall serve during the pleasure of the board; locate his place of residence and define his duties. His compensation as such superintendent shall be fifty (\$50.00) dollars per month and it shall be his duty to give personal attention to the preservation of the park; prevent and put out fires; protect the game and fish therein, and perform such other duties as shall be prescribed by the state forestry board. The powers of a deputy game warden are hereby vested in him. He may act as district forest ranger or other forest officer and receive such compensation for such services as may be determined by the board of officers appointing him, not however, in excess of fifty (\$50.00) dollars per month in addition to his said salary as superintendent. The said board is also authorized and directed to take necessary steps to protect all game and fish in the park and is hereby given general supervision and control of the subject.

Sec. 2. Dining room at lodge to be enlarged.—The forestry board is hereby authorized to enlarge the dining room of Douglas lodge by the construction of a kitchen; the same to be built of logs as near as may be in conformity with the general appearance of the lodge. To make such improvement the sum of two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money now in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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CHAPTER 560—H. F. No. 1187.

An Act entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 50 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, relating to weights and measures."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Dry measures.—That Section 2724 of Chapter 50 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, be amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 2724. The standard measure of capacity for commodities sold by dry measure, shall be the bushel containing 2150.42 cubic inches. The half bushel, peck, half peck, quarter peck, quart and pint shall be derived by successively dividing that measure by two.

Sec. 2. **Liquid measure.**—That Section 2725 of Chapter 50 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2725. The standard measure of capacity for liquids, shall be the wine gallon, containing 231 cubic inches; and 31.50 gallons shall constitute a barrel, *except for fermented malt liquors, which shall be a barrel of 31 gallons*, and 63 gallons a hogshead.

Section 2726. **Lineal measure.** The standard measure of length, from which all other measures of extension, lineal, superficial, or solid, shall be derived, is the yard, of 3 feet, or 36 inches.

Sec. 3. **Hundredweight.**—That Section 2727 of Chapter 50 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, be amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 2727. In contracts for the sale of goods or commodities, the term "hundredweight" shall mean 100 pounds avoirdupois.

Sec. 4. **Standard weight of bushel, etc.**—That Section 2728 of Chapter 50 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2728. In contracts for the sale of any of the following articles, the term "bushel" shall mean the number of pounds avoirdupois herein stated:

Corn in ear, 70; beans, (*except lima beans, scarlet runner pole beans and white runner pole beans, and broad windsor beans*) smooth peas, wheat, clover seed, Irish potatoes and alfalfa, 60; broom corn seed and sorghum seed, 57; shelled corn, (*except sweet corn*), rye, lima beans, flaxseed and wrinkled peas, 56; sweet potatoes and turnips, 55; onions and rutabagas, 52; buckwheat, hempseed, rapeseed, beets, green apples, walnuts, rhubarb, hickory nuts, chestnuts, tomatoes, scarlet runner pole beans and white runner pole beans, 50; barley, millet, Hungarian grass seed, sweet corn, cucumbers and peaches, 48; broad windsor beans, 47; carrots, timothy seed and pears, 45; parsnips, 42; spelt or spilts, 40; cranberries, 36; oats and bottom onion-seeds, 32; dried apples, dried peaches and top onion sets, 28; peanuts, 22; blue grass, orchard grass and red-top seed, 14; plastering hair, unwashed, 8; plastering hair, washed, 4; lime, 80; but if sold by the barrel the weight shall be 200 pounds.

Sec. 5. **Standard measurement of wood.**—In all contracts for sale of wood, the term "cord" shall mean 128 cubic feet of wood, in four foot lengths; and if the sale is of "sawed wood,"

a cord shall mean 110 cubic feet when ranked, or 160 cubic feet when thrown irregularly or loosely into a conveyance for delivery to the purchaser; and if the sale is of "sawed and split wood," a cord shall mean 120 cubic feet, when ranked, and 175 cubic feet when thrown irregularly and loosely into a conveyance for delivery.

Sec. 6. Standard weight of coal, charcoal and ice.—In all contracts for the sale of coal, charcoal, and ice, the term "ton" shall mean 2,000 pounds. A sale of coal, charcoal and ice, except by weight is hereby prohibited.

Sec. 7. Standard weight of flour.—In all contracts for the sale of flour, the term "barrel" shall mean 196 net pounds avoirdupois.

Sec. 8. Fractional part of bushel.—All contracts for the sale of a fractional part of a bushel, barrel, ton or cord of any article or commodity on which the legal weight or measurement per bushel, barrel, ton or cord has been established, shall require and mean a like fractional part of the legal and established weight or measurement per bushel, barrel, ton or cord.

Sec. 9. Penalty for violation.—Whoever, in buying, shall take any greater number of pounds or cubic feet to the bushel, barrel, ton or cord, as the case may be, than is herein allowed and provided, or in selling, shall give any less number, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100), or by imprisonment for not less than ten (10) days nor more than ninety (90) days in the county jail, and the cost of such proceeding.

Sec. 10. Railroad commission to establish uniform tolerances, etc.—The railroad and warehouse commission shall establish uniform tolerances or reasonable variation to take care of unavoidable shrinkage, and of scale variations in handling and weighing of any of the articles mentioned in this act.

Sec. 11. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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