

## CHAPTER 13.

[S. B. 73.]

## SALE OF GRAIN SACKS.

AN ACT to amend chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1907, relating to the sale and distribution of grain sacks manufactured at the State Penitentiary, and declaring an emergency.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

[Am'd. § 1,  
ch. 135, p.  
260, L. '07]

Sacks for  
oysters.

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1907 is hereby amended to read as follows: Section 1. All grain sacks manufactured at the State Penitentiary shall be sold directly to the farmers or oyster growers of the State of Washington who are actually engaged in farming or oyster culture, and no sacks shall be sold outside the State of Washington nor to any person not engaged in farming or oyster culture.

[Am'd. § 3,  
ch. 135, p.  
261, L. '07]

Distribution  
of sacks.

SEC. 2. Section 3 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows: Sec. 3. At the same time that the Board of Control shall fix the price of said sacks the Board of Control shall apportion all sacks so manufactured among the grain growing counties of the State of Washington, *pro rata*, according to the quantity of grain produced in each of said counties during the current year, as determined by the State Grain Inspector, and it shall be the duty of the State Grain Inspector to ascertain and determine, approximately the yield of grain in each of said counties, for said purpose. Such estimate shall be furnished to the Board of Control on or before December 31st, of each year.

[Am'd. § 4,  
ch. 135, p.  
261, L. '07]

Notice of  
apportionment.

SEC. 3. Section 4 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows: Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the State Board of Control, immediately following such apportionment, to cause notice to be published in an official newspaper in each of said counties, in which notice of the quantity of grain sacks apportioned to such county, and the price fixed for the sale of same shall be stated, and the manner and time of application shall be set forth.

SEC. 4. Section 5 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows: Sec. 5. Any resident of the State of Washington actually engaged in growing grain within this state may apply for so many of said sacks as he shall require for his individual use, which application shall be made upon blanks prescribed and furnished by the State Board of Control. In making said application he shall state, under oath, the acreage of grain sown by him for that season, the probable aggregate yield therefrom, that the sacks applied for are for his individual use, and such other facts as the Board of Control may require. All such applications for grain sacks must be made and filed with the superintendent of the State Penitentiary prior to the first day of April of each year. In the event that all of the sacks assigned to any one county shall not be applied for, the State Board of Control may sell all sacks not applied for as above to farmers and oyster growers of the State of Washington on such terms and prices, not below cost of production, as may be determined by them.

[Am'd. § 5,  
ch. 135, p.  
261, L. '07.]

Application  
for.

SEC. 5. Section 6 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows: Sec. 6. Upon receiving notice of the acceptance of his application, wholly or in part, the applicant shall forthwith transmit to the superintendent of the State Penitentiary, one-tenth of the purchase price of said sacks and the balance before delivery and not later than September 1st. If payment in full is not made before September 1st the one-tenth paid as above shall be forfeited to the state.

[Am'd. § 6,  
ch. 135, p.  
262, L. '07.]

Terms of sale.

SEC. 6. An emergency exists and this act shall take effect immediately.

Emergency.

Passed by the Senate February 2, 1909.

Passed by the House, February 10, 1909.

Approved February 17, 1909.