

CHAPTER 60.

PENITENTIARY REGULATIONS.

Government House, Ottawa,

The 29th day of January, 1889.

On the recommendation of the Minister of Justice and under the provisions of Chapter 182 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled "The Penitentiary Act,"—

His Excellency in Council has been pleased to approve and does hereby approve of the following regulations made by the Inspector of penitentiaries for the government of the penitentiaries in Canada:—

WARDEN.

Section 1. The warden shall reside where the Minister of Justice may direct. His family and servants shall avoid intercourse with convicts. Residence of warden.

Sec. 2. During the visits of the Inspector, he shall give to that officer all necessary information and assistance in the execution of his duties. Information and assistance to Inspector.

Sec. 3. He shall promptly carry out all the orders made, and instructions given from time to time by the Inspector. Orders and instructions.

Sec. 4. He shall not absent himself from the prison for more than forty-eight hours, without obtaining leave. 48 hours' absence.

Sec. 5. He shall notify the deputy warden in writing, when he intends to be absent for more than twenty-four hours. When 24 hours absent.

Sec. 6. He should be careful to select as officers whom he is authorized to appoint, men of the best moral character, competent, physically fit, and not over forty-five years of age, and to retain in the service only those who are careful, vigilant, zealous and not inefficient from age or infirmity, in the performance of their duties. Selection of officers: 35 years of age.

Sec. 7. Whenever the warden appoints any officer he shall at once report the fact to the Inspector for the information of the Minister of Justice, and such appointment shall not be permanent until the Minister so directs. Appointment of officers, and report to Inspector.

Sec. 8. The warden may, upon any emergency, employ supernumerary guards, so long as required, a report of such employment to be made, immediately, to the Inspector. Supernumerary guards.