

Solitary confinement.

adapted to carry out the "separate" or "solitary" system of discipline: and the said cells when all or a portion of them shall be completed shall be used by the Warden as places of preparatory confinement, for any period not exceeding six months, for all convicts on their first reception into the Penitentiary, and to afford each prisoner the benefit of solitary reflection and instruction before he is placed in a congregate labour gang for the remainder of his sentence; and the said separate cells shall be used by the Warden as means of discipline in dealing with such convicts as shall be found incorrigibly disobedient to the rules of the Prison, and whose example may be found injurious to the other convicts in the same congregate gang: Provided always, that the said solitary cells shall not be used for any of these purposes until a set of rules regulating the manner of their employment, and stated inspection shall have been prepared by the Inspectors, and shall have been submitted to the Governor General in Council and received his sanction.

Proviso.

Contracts, &c. to be made by the Warden.

VIII. And be it enacted, That all dealings and transactions on account of the said Penitentiary, and all purchases and contracts necessary for maintaining and carrying on the establishment, shall be entered into, conducted and executed by and in the name of the Warden, subject nevertheless to all the provisions of this Act, affecting the same; and the said Warden shall be capable in law of contracting, suing and being sued in all Courts and places, and in all matters concerning the said Penitentiary, by his name of office of "*The Warden of the Provincial Penitentiary*," and by that name the said Warden shall be and is hereby authorized to sue for and recover all sums of money that may be, or may become due from any person to the Crown, on account of the said Penitentiary, and by that name he and his Successors in office shall have perpetual succession.

He may sue and be sued.

Two Inspectors to be appointed.

Their powers and duties.

IX. And be it enacted, That the said Penitentiary shall be governed by two Inspectors, to be appointed by the Governor General of this Province and to hold office during pleasure; the said Inspectors to be subject to the control of the Governor in Council, and to obey such orders in council as shall be from time to time made for their government in the execution of their duty. And the said Inspectors shall be responsible for the system of discipline and management pursued in the Penitentiary, and for its success and practical efficiency; but they shall have no executive power, except that of giving instructions for the conduct and management of the institution and its