

ARTICLE

"§ 1. After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

"§ 2. The Congress and the several states shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

"§ 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the Legislatures of the several states, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the States by Congress."

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, DULY CONVENED, That the said foregoing proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America be, and the same is hereby, ratified by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota.

And be it further resolved that certified copies of this preamble and joint resolution be forwarded by the Governor of this state to the Secretary of State of the United States of America at Washington, to the presiding officer of the Senate of the United States and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States.

Approved January 28, 1918.

SABOTAGE

CHAPTER 12.

[S. B. No. 21—Committee on State Affairs.]

SABOTAGE.

An Act Defining the Crime of Sabotage and Prescribing the Penalty Therefore.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. Any person who during the period the United States is engaged in the present war shall either wilfully or maliciously cause to be set on fire, either directly or through or by the assistance and act of another person, or through or by means of any chemical or mechanical apparatus or any sun glass, or the control of any electrical current, any building, car or boat, in which any food product for the use of man or beast is kept, stored or being transported, or in which any work or food producing animals shall be housed; or who shall wilfully and maliciously in any of the ways herein before mentioned cause any grain or food products for the use of man or beast to be set fire to in shock, stack or other form; or who shall wilfully and maliciously poison or otherwise

kill any work or food producing animal, the property of another with intent to injure the owner or hinder him in any agricultural operations, or to lessen the country's food supply, shall be guilty of sabotage in the first degree, and upon conviction thereof, shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary from one year to life.

§ 2. Any person who shall during the period the United States is engaged in the present war attempt to commit any act, which attempt if successful would constitute sabotage in the first degree; or who with the purpose of hindering or delaying the harvesting or threshing of any crop, shall inflict injury upon any farm machinery either directly or by placing foreign substance in any grain to be harvested or threshed thereby; or who with intent to hinder or hamper the government of the United States in the prosecution of or preparation for such war shall in any other manner destroy any other property shall be guilty of sabotage in the second degree, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary for not less than one year and not more than twenty years.

§ 3. Any crime as defined herein committed within the period prescribed by this act shall be punished under the terms hereof through conviction or final judgment thereon or both may take place or be imposed after the termination of such period.

§ 4. EMERGENCY.] Whereas the country is engaged in war and great danger exists that efforts will be made to destroy its food supply, it is necessary for the protection of public health, peace and safety that this Act should take effect from and after its passage and approval, the same shall become effective immediately after its approval by the Governor.

Approved January 30, 1918.

SEED, GRAIN AND FEED

CHAPTER 13.

[H. B. No. 1—Maddock of Mountrail.]

BONDS AND WARRANTS FOR SEED GRAIN.

An Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3471-3472-3473-3476-3477-3478-3479-3480-3481-3482-3483-3484-3486-3487 and 3488 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, Authorizing Counties to issue Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants Therein and Providing for the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants for Seed Grain by Counties and Aid by the State in respect thereto, and making an Appropriation Therefor.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§1. AMENDMENT.] That Section 3471 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, 1913, is hereby amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

§ 3471. BONDS AUTHORIZED. PETITION FOR. TIME TO RUN.]