

16 tions two thousand sixty-one (2061) and two thousand sixty-two
17 (2062) of the code shall not apply to side tracks.

1 **SEC. 2. Costs—apportionment.** If in any case contemplated in
2 section one (1) hereof the crossing shall be of two such railways only,
3 then the court shall not apportion to either less than one-third of the
4 cost of the construction, maintenance and operation of such inter-
5 locking plant, and, if more than two roads are involved, the court
6 shall not apportion to any one less than two-thirds of an equal share
7 of such cost.

1 **SEC. 3. Pending litigation.** This act shall not affect the rights
2 of parties in any way to suits now pending in any court of this state.

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CHAPTER 354.

FOREIGN NON-PECUNIARY CORPORATIONS.

H. F. 530.

AN ACT to provide for the issuance of a permit to foreign corporations, not organized for pecuniary profit, to do business in the state of Iowa, providing for annual reports by such corporations and fixing a forfeiture for failure to comply with said act.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. **Foreign non-pecuniary corporations—permits—fee.**
1 Any corporation organized under the laws of another state, or of
2 any territory of the United States, for any of the purposes men-
3 tioned in section sixteen hundred forty-two (1642) of the code, de-
4 siring a permit to do business in the state of Iowa, shall file with
5 the secretary of state a certified copy of its articles of incorpora-
6 tion duly attested by the secretary of state, or other state officer in
7 whose office the original articles were filed, accompanied by a reso-
8 lution of its board of directors or stockholders authorizing the filing
9 thereof, and also authorizing service of process to be made upon any
10 of its officers or agents in this state engaged in transacting its busi-
11 ness, and requesting the issuance to such corporation of a permit to
12 transact business in the state. If it appears that said foreign cor-
13 poration is, in fact, organized not for pecuniary profit, the secretary
14 of state shall, upon the payment of ten cents per hundred words, re-
15 cord said articles of incorporation and issue a permit to such cor-
16 poration to do business in the state of Iowa, for which permit the
17 secretary of state shall charge, and receive, a fee of five dollars. Upon
18 the issuance of such permit the corporation shall be entitled to carry
19 on its business in the state of Iowa.

1 **SEC. 2. Applicability to present companies.** Any such foreign
2 corporation referred to in section one hereof now doing business
3 within the state of Iowa without having a permit from the secretary
4 of state shall comply with the provisions of said section one (1)
5 not later than January 1st., 1918.

1 SEC. 3. **Annual reports.** Any corporation, organized as provid-
2 ed in section one (1) hereof, shall, between the first day of July and
3 the first day of August of each year, make an annual report to the
4 secretary of state, said report to be in such form as he may prescribe
5 and upon a blank to be prepared by him for that purpose.

1 SEC. 4. **Forfeiture.** Should any corporation referred to in sec-
2 tion one (1) hereof fail to comply with the provisions of this act, no-
3 tice of such failure shall be called to its attention by the secretary
4 of state by registered letter and, if such delinquent corporation fails
5 or neglects to comply with this act within sixty (60) days from the
6 receipt of such letter from the secretary of state, then and in such
7 case said corporation shall forfeit its right to do business in this
8 state.

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CHAPTER 355.

CONSPIRACY TO SEIZE RAILROAD ENGINES OR CARS.

H. F. 381.

AN ACT relating to the unlawful boarding of engines and cars or with intent to commit
a public offense, and providing a penalty therefor.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. **Conspiracy.** If any two or more persons malicious-
2 ly and wilfully confederate together for the purpose of going upon
3 or taking charge of any locomotive engine or car of any railroad com-
4 pany by force and without the consent of the person or persons in
5 charge thereof, or if one or more persons shall go upon any locomo-
6 tive engine or car of any railroad company armed with a dangerous
7 or deadly weapon for the purpose of committing a public offense
8 thereon, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary for not exceeding
9 five (5) years or pay a fine of not exceeding one thousand dollars
10 (\$1000).

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