ACTS

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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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STATE OF LOUISIANA

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warrants of the president of said board; properly attested, as
provided in this Act.

H. G. DUPRE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
P. M. LAMBREMONT,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate,
Approved: July 6, 1910.

J. Y. SANDERS,
Governor of the State of Louisiana.

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JOHN T. MICHEL,
Secretary of State.

ACT NO. 206.

House Bill No. 220.

AN ACT

To make concubinage between a person of the Caucasian race,
and a person of colored or black race a felony, fixing the
punishment therefor, and defining what shall constitute
concubinage, and to declare the amount of proof necessary
for a conviction.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the
State of Louisiana, That concubinage between a person of the
Caucasian or white race and a person of the colored or black
race is hereby made a felony, and whoever shall be convicted
thereof in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall for each
offense be sentenced to imprisonment at the discretion of the
court for a term of not less than one month nor more than one
year with or without hard labor.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That the living to-
gether or cohabitation of persons of the Caucasian and of the
colored races shall be proof of the violation of the provisions
of Section 1 of this Act. For the purpose of this Act concu-
binage is hereby defined to be the unlawful cohabitation of per-
sons of the Caucasian and of the colored races whether open
or secret.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, etc., That it shall be the
duty of the judges of the several District Courts of this State
to specially charge the grand juries upon this Act.

Section 4. Be it further enacted, etc., That all laws and
parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act be and
the same are hereby repealed.

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