CHAPTER XCIV.

AN ACT

Establishing a standard weight for grain and foreign salt.

Standard
weight per
bushel established for
wheat, rye,
com, barley,
buckwheat
and oats.

Sect. 1. BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the several kinds of grain hereafter mentioned which are now usually bought and sold by measure, shall from and after the passing of this act, be regulated according to the following standard weight per bushel, to wit. The weight of each bushel of wheat shall be sixty pounds, of each bushel of rye or corn fifty-eight pounds, of each bushel of barley forty-seven pounds, of each bushel of buckwheat forty-eight pounds, and of each bushel of oats thirty-two pounds: Provided, That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to prevent any person or persons from selling and buying the several kinds of grain aforesaid by measure.

Weight per bushed of coarse, ground and tine salt. SECT. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority afore-said, That each and every bushel of foreign salt shall be bought and sold by weight per bushel, in the manner following, to wit. The weight of each bushel of coarse salt shall be eighty-five pounds, each bushel of ground salt seventy pounds, and each bushel of fine salt sixty-two pounds: Provided nevertheless, That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent any person or persons from selling or buying the several kinds of salt aforesaid by measure.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,

Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.