

posit in the banks of the United States or the banks of this State.

SECTION 11. In all cases of loss of money to the institution by the fraud of the trustees, they shall individually be liable for the same; but such trustees as shall be absent at the commission of such fraud, and not concurring therein, and such as shall be present and dissent therefrom, entering their protest upon the minutes, shall be exonerated from such liability, by forthwith giving notice of the fact to the members; but without such fraud no trustee or member shall be liable in his person or property for any debts, contracts or engagements of the institution, and the money, rights, property and credit thereof, and nothing more shall be liable for the same, and no trustee, except the president, shall be entitled to any emolument for his services. Liability for fraud.

SECTION 12. So much of this act as incorporates the Harrisburg Savings institution, shall continue and be in force for the term of fifteen years; but if at any time the said corporation shall misuse or abuse any of the privileges granted by this act, or if it shall appear that the said privileges are injurious to the citizens of this Commonwealth, the Legislature shall have power to revoke or annul them at any time they may deem the same expedient. 15 years in corporation.
Legislature may revoke and annul.

WM. PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JACOB KERN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

GEO: WOLF.

No. 184.

AN ACT

To regulate the inspection of flour in the boroughs of Harrisburg and Columbia.

SECTION 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 from and after the passage of this act, the Governor shall appoint and commission two persons of good character and competent abilities, to be inspector of flour, in and for the borough of Harrisburg, in the county of Dauphin, and one in and 2 inspectors of flour for Harrisburg.

I for Columbia for the borough of Columbia, in the county of Lancaster, who shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation, before some judge or justice of the peace, to perform the duties enjoined by this act with impartiality and fidelity.

SECTION 2. From and after the passage of this act, every cask or barrel of wheat flour bolted, which shall be offered for sale in said borough, shall be made merchantable, and of due fineness, without any mixture of coarser or other flour, and shall contain the full quantity and weight of one hundred and ninety-six pounds.

SECTION 3. All casks or barrels in which wheat flour shall be packed, and which shall be offered for sale as aforesaid, shall be weighed and tare marked thereon, and if any person shall put a false or wrong tare on any such cask or barrel of flour to the disadvantage of the purchaser, he or she shall forfeit for every cask or barrel so falsely tared, the sum of seventy-five cents, and the said inspector upon suspicion, or upon the request of the buyers, shall, and is hereby required, to unpack any such cask or barrel of flour as aforesaid, and if there shall be a lesser quantity of flour therein than is above directed, or, if the cask or barrel wherein the said flour is packed, shall be found to weigh more than the tare marked thereon, then the said person or persons offering the said flour for sale, shall pay the charges for unpacking and repacking, over and above the penalty aforesaid, but otherwise the said charges shall be paid by the inspector or by the purchaser if the trial be made at his request.

SECTION 4. Upon the request of the purchasers of wheat flour offered for sale as aforesaid, the same shall be offered to the view and examination of the aforesaid inspector, who shall try and search the same by boring the head and piercing it through with a proper instrument, in order to prove whether it be honestly and well packed, and also to enable him to judge of the goodness thereof, and shall afterwards plug up the hole, which plug or plugs shall be stamped with letters B. H. when the inspection is made in Harrisburg, and with the letters B. C. when the inspection is made in Columbia, by the said inspectors respectively, who shall also designate the quality of flour so viewed and examined by him as aforesaid, by marking the same in plain and legible characters on each cask or barrel, so viewed and examined as aforesaid, for which services he shall receive three cents for each cask, and no more.

SECTION 5. Where any dispute shall arise between the inspector or owner or possessor, concerning the fineness or goodness of such flour then upon application made by the owner or possessor of such flour, to one of the justices of the peace of said borough, the said justice shall issue his warrant to three indifferent and judicious persons to be triers thereof, one of them to be named by the said owner or possessor, one by the said inspector, and the third by the said justice of the peace, directing

the said triers to view and examine the said flour and make report to him forthwith, touching the condition thereof, and if they find the said flour not merchantable and of such quality as it is insisted to be by such owner or possessor, that they certify to him the cause thereof, and whether it be that the said flour wants due fineness, is musty, sour, or the like, and the said justice shall thereupon give his judgment agreeably to the report of the said triers, or any two of them, and in case the said triers shall in such report, adjudge the said flour not to be merchantable and of such quality as it is insisted to be by the owner or possessor, in opposition to the judgment of the inspector he shall award the said owner or possessor to pay into the hands of the said inspector twelve and a half cents for each and every such cask or barrel adjudged to be unmerchantable, and not of the quality insisted upon by the owner or possessor besides reasonable costs, but in case the said flour shall be found merchantable and of the quality insisted upon by the said owner or possessor, the inspector shall be adjudged to pay all costs which may have accrued, and shall brand and mark the same according to the quality it shall be so found to possess.

SECTION 6. If any person or persons shall counterfeit the aforesaid brand, mark, or either of them, or impress or brand the same on any cask or barrel of flour, he, she or they being thereof legally convicted, shall for the first offence forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, for the second offence the sum of twenty dollars, and for the third offence shall suffer imprisonment for a period not less than one month nor more than six months, at the discretion of the court. Penalty against false branding.

SECTION 7. The said inspector is hereby authorized to demand and receive payment of fees of inspection from the owner or owners, his, her or their agents or factors, or other persons in possession of said flour at the time of inspection, and the said owner or owners, his, her or their agents or factors, or other persons in possession of said flour, shall pay to the said inspector the full amount of the fees due and owing for the said inspection. Inspector's fees.

SECTION 8. The owner or owners, his, her or their agents or factors, or other persons in possession of said flour at the time of inspection, so paying the fees of inspection, are hereby authorized to demand and receive the said fees of inspection from the persons purchasing from the owner or owners, his, her or their agents or factors, or other persons in possession of the flour so inspected, and the said fees of inspection so paid shall be a charge on the sale of the said flour, by the owner or owners, his, her or their agents or factors or other persons in possession after its inspection, distinct and separate from the price agreed on for said flour. Persons purchasing subject to pay the fees for inspection.

SECTION 9. All and singular the fines, forfeitures and charges mentioned in this act where the same shall not exceed one hundred dollars shall be recovered in the same manner as other Penalties, how recoverable.

debts and demands under the said sum of one hundred dollars are recoverable, and where the same shall exceed the said sum of one hundred dollars, they may be sued for and be recovered in any court having competent jurisdiction of the same, all which said fines and forfeitures not herein otherwise applied, shall be recovered by any person who shall sue for the same, to effect the one half thereof to the use of the person so suing, the other half to be paid to the directors of the poor of the respective counties, for the use of the poor.

WM. PATTERSON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JACOB KERN,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fourteenth day of April, Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

GEO; WOLF.

No. 185.

AN ACT

Appointing Commissioners to run and mark a line dividing the counties of Perry and Juniata,

SECTION 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 David Hough of the county of Mifflin, Samuel Wallick of the county of Juniata, and Jason W. Eby of the county of Cumberland, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners, for the purpose of running and marking a line between the counties of Perry and Juniata, agreeably to the laws dividing the counties of which they were formerly parts, which line when run and marked, shall be the boundary line dividing the county of Perry from the county of Juniata.

SECTION 2. *It shall be the duty of the said commissioners or any two of them, on or before the fifteenth day of June next, to survey and mark said line, agreeably to the provisions of the foregoing section and make duplicate drafts of the same, inserting thereon the courses and distances in words at full length, one of which drafts they shall deposit in each of the prothonotary's offices of the aforesaid counties, which shall thereafter be considered a public record, and certified copies thereof shall be evidence; and the commissioners aforesaid, shall receive the sum of two dollars and fifty cents per day for the time they may be employed, and the chain carriers and axemen they may*