

49' W.) in a straight line, passing through a monument two hundred and two and eight-tenths ($202\frac{8}{10}$) feet from the point of beginning, a distance of three hundred and sixty-seven and sixty-two hundredths ($367\frac{62}{100}$) feet; thence, south nineteen degrees and fifty-three minutes west (S. $19^{\circ} 53'$ W.), three hundred and eighty-five and five-tenths ($385\frac{5}{10}$) feet; thence, north, sixty-six degrees and forty-five minutes west (N. $66^{\circ} 45'$ W.), thirteen hundred and seventy-six (1376) feet; thence, south eleven degrees and fifty minutes east (S. $11^{\circ} 50'$ E.), fourteen hundred feet; thence, north seventy-eight degrees and ten minutes east (N. $78^{\circ} 10'$ E.), seven hundred and forty-three and three-tenths ($743\frac{3}{10}$) feet; and thence, north thirty-three degrees and fifty-nine minutes east (N. $33^{\circ} 59'$ E.), eight hundred and sixteen and five-tenths ($816\frac{5}{10}$) feet to the point or place of beginning, containing twenty-five and seven hundred and thirty-four thousandths ($25\frac{734}{1000}$) acres; therefore.

61. SEC. 1. That the consent of the state of New Jersey is hereby given to the acquisition by the United States of the tract or parcel of land above described, and the same is hereby ceded to the United States of America; upon the said land so acquired the United States may erect fortifications, barracks, and other public buildings, for the defense of the southern or main entrance to New York harbor, and the United States shall have, hold, occupy and own said land thus acquired, and exercise jurisdiction and control over the same and every part thereof subject to the restrictions hereafter mentioned; the same, however, not to be used for quarantine purposes.

State of New Jersey cedes certain lands to the United States for fortifications, &c.

62. SEC. 2. That the jurisdiction hereby ceded shall vest when a plat and description of the land thus acquired shall have been filed in the office of the secretary of state of the state of New Jersey; such jurisdiction shall continue no longer than the United States shall own such land, and such consent is given and jurisdiction ceded upon the express condition that the state of New Jersey shall retain concurrent jurisdiction with the United States in and over such land so far as that all civil processes in all cases, and such criminal and other processes as may issue under the laws or authority of the state of New Jersey against any person or persons charged with crimes, misdemeanors or criminal offenses committed within the state may be executed thereon, in the same way and manner as if such consent had not been given or jurisdiction ceded, except so far as such processes may affect the real or personal property of the United States.

Jurisdiction vested when description is filed in office of secretary of state.

63. SEC. 3. That so long as such land thus acquired shall remain the property of the United States, and no longer, the same shall be and continue exonerated from all taxes, assessments and other charges which may be levied or imposed under the authority of the state.

While property of United States, not taxable by the state.

Thread.

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| 1. Spools and packages to be marked with number of yards they contain. | 3. Penalty for selling or offering for sale without label. |
| 2. Penalty for neglect to affix such marks. | 4. Act only to apply to cotton thread. |

An act to prevent frauds in the sale of thread.

Approved April 1, 1869. P. L. 1869, p. 1150.

1. That every manufacturer of sewing thread, or person engaged in putting up sewing thread on spools or in packages intended for sale, shall, before the same is offered for sale, affix to each spool or package a label or ticket designating the actual number of yards which each spool or package contains.

Spools or packages to be marked with number of yards they contain.

2. That if any manufacturer, or person so engaged as aforesaid, shall purposely neglect to affix such label to each spool or several packages of thread manufactured or put up as aforesaid, or shall, with intent to deceive, affix, or cause to be affixed, a label or ticket to any spool or package of thread intended for sale, specifying that such spool or package contains a

Penalty for neglect to affix such marks.

greater number of yards of thread than such spool or package actually contains, such manufacturer or person shall forfeit the sum of five dollars for each spool or package so without a label or falsely labeled, that shall be sold or offered for sale by such manufacturer or person engaged as aforesaid, to be recovered in an action of debt by any person who shall sue for the same; one-half of said penalty to go to the poor of the township where said suit is brought, and one-half to the person suing for the same.

Penalty for selling or offering for sale without label.

3. That if any person or persons, selling or dealing in sewing thread at wholesale or retail, shall knowingly sell or offer for sale any sewing thread on spools or in packages, upon which no label, as aforesaid, is affixed, or with intent to deceive, shall sell, or offer for sale, any sewing thread on spools or in packages, on which a label is affixed specifying that such spool or package contains a greater number of yards than such spool or package actually contains, such seller or dealer, so offending, shall forfeit the sum of five dollars for each spool or package so sold or offered for sale without such label, or falsely labeled as aforesaid, to be recovered in an action of debt by any person who may sue for the same; one-half of said penalty to go to the poor of the township where such action is brought, and one-half to the person suing for the same.

Act to apply only to cotton thread.

4. That the provisions of the foregoing act shall not apply to other than cotton thread.

Timber.

1. Penalty in a civil suit for cutting, &c., trees, saplings, &c.

2. Limitation of action.

3. Compensation to persons taking up drift lumber.

4. Persons taking up such lumber to secure same and advertise.

5. Claim for such lumber to be under oath.

6. Person presenting claim and paying compensation to have possession of lumber.

7. Provision of act extended to all rails, &c., adrift.

An act to prevent the unlawful waste and destruction of timber in this state.

R. S. 599.

Passed February 28, 1820.

Penalty in a civil suit for cutting, felling, &c., saplings, &c.

1. That if any person or persons whatsoever, shall, at any time hereafter, cut, fell, work up, carry away, box, bore, or destroy any tree, sapling or pole, standing or lying on any land within this state, to which such person or persons hath not or have not any right and title, without leave first had and obtained of the owner or owners of the said land for that purpose, every such person or persons so offending, shall forfeit and pay for each tree, sapling, or pole so cut, felled, worked up, carried away, boxed, bored, or destroyed as aforesaid, the sum of eight dollars; one-half to the owner or owners of the land, and the other half to the person or persons who shall sue for and prosecute the same to effect, at any time within eighteen months from the cutting, felling, working up, carrying away, boxing, boring, or destroying of any such tree, sapling, or pole; and that whenever any person or persons, within this state, shall be sued or prosecuted before any justice of the peace within the same, it shall and may be lawful for such justice of the peace to proceed, whenever the penalty demanded shall not exceed one hundred dollars, notwithstanding any claim the defendant or defendants may offer to make to the land whereon and from which the said tree, sapling, or pole may be cut, felled, worked up, boxed, bored, destroyed, or carried away, and to issue execution for the same, with costs of suit, unless the defendant or defendants shall immediately enter into bond to the plaintiff or plaintiffs, with one or more sufficient sureties or surety, being freeholders, in double the sum so demanded, with a sufficiency for costs of suit, conditioned for his or their appearance at the next court where the same may be cognizable, in an action of trespass, and to pay damages found against him, her or them,

Authority of the justice.