

or liabilities, with a view either to enhance or depress the market value of the shares therein, or the value of its corporate obligations, or in any other manner to accomplish any fraud thereby, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, by indictment in any court of law, shall be fined not less than one thousand dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars, and be imprisoned in jail or penitentiary, or either fined or imprisoned, at the discretion of the court, for not less than six months nor more than three years.

**Fraud—Flour and Whiskey, Sales of.**

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 80, sec. 204. 1816, ch. 160, sec. 1.

**98.** If any person shall give or promise to give to any driver or person having charge of any wagon or other carriage, any sum of money or goods of any description for the purpose of obtaining flour or whiskey intrusted to the care of such driver or person having the charge or care thereof, at any price below the market price of the day, or shall wilfully make out any bill or bills for the same, without stating the full amount paid or promised to be paid to such wagoner or person having the care thereof, he shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, one-half to the informer and the other half to the use of the person injured, to be recovered before any justice of the peace as small debts are recovered.

Ibid. sec. 205. 1816, ch. 160, sec. 2.

**99.** If any driver or person having charge of any wagon or other carriage shall take or receive any sum of money or goods of any description from any person as an inducement for selling any flour or whiskey under the market price of the day, and not make return thereof to the proper owner of such flour or whiskey, he shall pay to the person injured double the amount of the sum so received, and shall pay a fine not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, one-half to the person prosecuting for the same and the other half to the use of the county or city where the case is heard, to be recovered as small debts are recovered.