

CHAP. 116.

Mode of inspection, &c

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That all lime made in, or brought to the city of Baltimore by land, for sale, or to be used therein, except in cars on the rail road, and in which case the inspectors must inspect on the road, within the limits of the city, by being duly notified that such lime is there for inspection, and all other lime brought to the city, shall be taken to one of the stands appointed, and there submitted, on the same day on which it was sold, to the inspection and measurement of the persons appointed as aforesaid, who shall inspect the same in the wagon, cart or other carriage in which it is brought, agreeable to the standard hereafter mentioned, and give the seller a certificate of the quantity thereof, and also of its quality, that whether it be first, second or third quality, for which certificate he shall be entitled to receive three-fourths of a cent per bushel for his compensation.

Certificate, &c

All hogsheads &c. to be inspected

And marked

Compensation

Proviso

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That all lime that is imported into, or exported, or intended to be exported from the city, sold or used therein, in barrels, hogsheads or other casks, shall be inspected by one of the said inspectors; and all barrels, hogsheads and larger casks shall be marked with a legible mark, designating the quantity and quality of lime it contains; and for every barrel so marked, the inspector shall receive six, and for every hogshead or other cask so marked, he shall receive twelve cents for his compensation; *provided however*, that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to compel the manufacturer of lime to have such lime measured and inspected, when the same has been bought for agricultural purposes, unless where the purchaser in such case shall require an inspection.

Unlawful to sell or buy lime not inspected

In case of practicing fraud

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That any person buying or selling lime, not measured and inspected as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay ten dollars for every offence.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That if any wagon driver, owner or agent shall make use of any device in the loading his wagon or other carriage, or in selling barrels, hogsheads or other casks, or suffer any other person to do so, with a view of deceiving the inspectors and measurer in quantity thereof; or shall, after obtaining a certificate, suffer any part of his load to be disposed of or diminished, and then sell or offer to sell the remainder for the quantity mentioned in his certificate, or shall exchange his certificate for any other of a greater quantity or better quality, he shall forfeit and pay for every such offence ten dollars.