

the dry hides or skins of deer from another state, if the same be for the purpose of manufacture within this state, provided, that manufacturers dealing in such hides shall keep a record of all such hides bought, that the same may at any time be opened to inspection by the warden. Any shipment made and had in possession in violation of this section may be seized, confiscated and sold by any warden as provided by law. Any person or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than fifty dollars and by imprisonment until such fine is paid, not exceeding sixty days.

**Conflicting laws repealed.** SECTION 26. All acts or parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 27. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 438.

AN ACT amendatory of chapter 268 of the laws of 1901, being an act requiring promissory notes and other evidences of indebtedness, to express upon their face the consideration for which given in certain cases.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

**Words to be printed on face of note.** SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 268 of the laws of 1901 is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 1: All promissory notes and other evidences of indebtedness, taken or given for any lightning rod, patent, patent right, stallion, or interest therein as the case may be, shall have written or printed thereon in red ink the words: "The consideration for this note is the sale of a lightning rod, patent, patent right, stallion, or interest therein, as the case may be."

**Penalty for taking note without statement required.** SECTION 2. Section 2 of chapter 268 of the laws of 1901 is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 2. Any person who shall sell a lightning rod, patent, patent right or stallion, or any interest in a lightning rod, patent, patent right, or stallion, who shall take a promissory note or other evidence of indebtedness for the whole or any part of the consideration thereof, and who shall fail to state the consideration for said note as provided by section 1 of this act, or in words of similar import, shall be liable to a penalty equal to the face of the note so taken.

**Notes taken for patent, etc., non-negotiable; innocent holder of.** SECTION 3. Section 3 of chapter 268 of the laws of 1901 is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 3. All notes or other evidences of indebtedness taken as the whole or a part of the consideration for any lightning rod, patent, patent right, stallion, or interest therein, which shall express upon their face the consideration for which they are taken, as required by section 1 of this act, shall be non-negotiable, and be subject to all the defenses in the hands of an innocent holder that the same would have if not transferred.

**Conflicting laws repealed.** SECTION 4. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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