

XIII. And be it enacted, That if any Person shall steal any Paper or Parchment, written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, being Evidence of the Title or of any Part of the Title to any real Estate, every such Offender shall be deemed guilty of a Misdemeanor, and being convicted thereof shall be liable to suffer such Punishment as is herein before last mentioned ; and in any Indictment for such Offence, it shall be sufficient to allege the Thing stolen to be Evidence of the Title, or of Part of the Title, of the Person or of some One of the Persons having a present Interest, whether legal or equitable, in the real Estate to which the same relates, and to mention such real Estate, or some Part thereof ; and it shall not be necessary to allege the Thing stolen to be of any Value.

The stealing of Writings relating to real Estate.

XIV. Provided always, and be it enacted, That nothing in this Act contained relating to either of the Misdemeanors aforesaid, nor any Proceeding, Conviction or Judgment to be had or taken thereupon, shall prevent, lessen or impeach any Remedy at Law or in Equity which any Party aggrieved by any such Offence might or would have had if this Act had not been passed ; but nevertheless the Conviction of any such Offender shall not be received in Evidence in any Action at Law or Suit in Equity against him ; and no Person shall be liable to be convicted of either of the Misdemeanors aforesaid, by any Evidence, whatever, in respect of any Act done by him, if he shall at any Time previously to his being indicted for such Offence have disclosed such Act, on Oath, in consequence of any compulsory Process of any Court of Law or Equity in any Action, Suit or Proceeding which shall have been *bonâ fide* instituted by any Party aggrieved.

These Provisions as to Wills and Writings shall not lessen any Remedy which the Party aggrieved now has.

XV. And be it enacted, That if any Person shall wilfully kill any Horse; Mare, Gelding, Colt or Filly, or any Bull, Cow, Ox, Heifer or Calf,

Killing Horses, Cows or Sheep with Intent to Steal.