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CHAP. 373.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the Postmaster General to provide the postmaster of Newark, New Jersey, with a special canceling die for the Newark two hundred and fiftieth anniversary celebration.

Preamble.

Whereas the city of Newark, New Jersey, is making extensive preparations to celebrate the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of its founding, the celebration to begin on May first, nineteen hundred and sixteen, and to continue until October first, nineteen hundred and sixteen; and

Whereas the projected celebration in said city will include industrial and other exhibitions, pageants, national athletic games, tournaments, parades, conventions, and many other interesting features that will attract visitors from all parts of the United States; and

Whereas the citizens' committee of one hundred having the celebration in charge have widely advertised the approaching events, with the result that a great increase of incoming and outgoing mail matter is now being handled by the Newark post office; and

Whereas the size and importance of the city of Newark, New Jersey, and the extensive preparations being made by its citizens for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of its founding give to said celebration a national character and significance: Therefore be it

Newark, N. J.
Postal canceling stamp for two hundred and fiftieth anniversary celebration.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Postmaster General of the United States be, and he hereby is, authorized to prepare and deliver to the postmaster of Newark a special canceling die to be used in the cancellation of mail matter in the post office of that city from May first, nineteen hundred and sixteen, to October first, nineteen hundred and sixteen, said die to be of such design as may be agreed upon by the Postmaster General and the Newark citizens' committee of one hundred.

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CHAP. 396.—An Act To standardize lime barrels.

Lime barrels.
Standard sizes established.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby established a large and a small barrel of lime, the large barrel to consist of two hundred and eighty pounds and the small barrel to consist of one hundred and eighty pounds, net weight.

Sales in interstate and foreign commerce without specified marking, unlawful.

SEC. 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person to sell or offer for sale lime imported in barrels from a foreign country, or to sell or offer for sale lime in barrels for shipment from any State or Territory or the District of Columbia, to any other State or Territory or the District of Columbia, unless there shall be stencilled or otherwise clearly marked on one or both heads of the small barrel the figures "180 lbs. net" and of the large barrel the figures "280 lbs. net" before the importation or shipment, and on either barrel in addition the name of the manufacturer of the lime and where manufactured, and, if imported, the name of the country from which it is imported.

Marking required if fractional parts of small barrel.

SEC. 3. When lime is sold in interstate or foreign commerce in containers of less capacity than the standard small barrel, it shall be sold in fractional parts of said standard small barrel, and the net weight of lime contained in such container shall by stencil or otherwise be clearly marked thereon, together with the name of the manufacturer thereof, and the name of the brand, if any, under which it is sold, and, if imported, the name of the country from which it is imported.