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An Act to amend certain Acts relating to Linen, Hempen, and other Manufactures in *Ireland*.

[15th *July* 1867.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Third and Fourth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act for the more effectual Prevention of Frauds and* 3 & 4 Vict.
Abuses committed by Weavers, Sewers, and other Persons employed c. 91.
in the Linen, Hempen, Union, Cotton, Silk, and Woollen Manufactures in Ireland, *and for the better Payment of their Wages for One Year, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament:*

And whereas several Acts have been since passed for amending and extending the same:

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the more effectual Prevention of Frauds committed by Persons employed in the said Manufactures and in the Manufacture of Yarns in *Ireland*, and to amend the said Acts, and to remove certain Doubts which have existed respecting the Construction of the same:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and

 Temporal,

Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, as follows:

Interpretation of Terms.

1. In the Construction of the said Acts and of this Act the Word "Yarn" shall extend to and include Flax, Hemp, Jute, Cotton, Silk, and Wool which shall have been subjected to any Manipulation or Process to which such Materials respectively are subjected by Manufacturers, unless there be something in the Subject or Context inconsistent with such Meaning.

As to Persons having Yarns of Employers in their Hands.

2. Any Person in the Employment of a Yarn Manufacturer, and having any Yarns of such Manufacturer in the Hands or Power or under the Charge or Control of such Person, shall be deemed to be intrusted therewith for the Purpose of Manufacture.

This Act and recited Act, &c. to be read as One.

3. This Act and the said Act passed in the Third and Fourth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, as amended by the Acts since passed for amending the same, shall be read together as One Act.

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