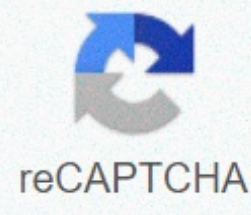




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A11 A law to regulate Negro, Indian and Mallatto slaves within this province of New-Jersey, Dec.12, 1704, 2 Bush 28-30. Repealed by an order of the Council, Oct.24,1709. No one to buy anything from or sell anything to a slave; slaves found over ten miles from Lord's home to be arrested and whipped and returned; slaves from other provinces without written license from commanders to be whipped and imprisoned; provisions for the trial and punishment of slaves for various crimes; baptism not to be grounds for freeing slave; children of slaves not to own land; other persons do not allow slaves to stay in their houses for two hours without the master's consent. TEXT OF ACT A12 Representation of the Lords of Trade to the Queen, in relation to a law passed in 1704, to regulate Negro, Indian and Mulatto Slaves & c in New Jersey, Oct. 18,1709, NJ Archives, 1st series, Documents related to colonial history in the state of New Jersey, 3:473-474. TEXT OF DOCUMENT A13 A Law for the Regulation of Slaves, Mar.11, 1713/14, 2 Bush 136-140; Kinsey ch. XLI, p.26-32; 1 Nevill [12 & 13 Anne] Im. X, p.18-24; Allinson ch. XXXIX, p.18-21. No one to buy anything from or sell anything to a slave; slaves who were found five miles from Lord's home without permission to be whipped and returned; slaves from other provinces without permission to be whipped and imprisoned; provisions for the trial and punishment of various crimes of slaves; provision for compensation to be paid to owners of slaves executed for criminal offences; punishment for holding the slaves of others without the owner's consent, free slaves not to hold property; master liberating slave must provide for annual support payment. Note: The 4th-7th Sections were repealed by the 1768 Act (A23), and the 14th Section repealed by the 1769 Act (A24). See cases C1, C4, C23, C28 and C35. TEXT OF ACT A14 A law to lay a duty on Negro, Indian and Mullatto slaves imported and brought into this province, Mar.11, 1713/14, 2 Bush 163-164. Imposed an import duty of ten pounds per slave. According to its own, this document would last only seven years, beginning on 1 June 1716. TEXT OF ACT A15 A law to prevent the killing of deer from the season, and against the carrying of weapons and hunting of persons who are not qualified, May 5, 1722, 2 Bush 293, 295; 1 Nevill [8 Geo. I] ch. XXXV, §6, p.102. Sections refer to the punishment of abusive slaves. TEXT OF SECTION A16 A Law for The Regulation of Taverns, Ordinarys, Inn Keepers and Dealers of Strong Liquors, Mar.15,1739, 2 Bush 493, 496; 1 Nevill [12 Geo. II] ch. LX, §9, p.242-243; Allinson ch. CLVIII, §8, p.105. Punishes the harboring or giving liquor to slaves. TEXT In section A17 A law to the residents of the county of Middlesex to build a work-house and House of Correction . . . Dec. 16, 1748, 3 Bush 130, 135; 1 Nevill [22 Geo. II] Chapter. CIII, p.416; Allinson ch. CCXXV, §18, p.185. Punishment of slaves for misdemeanors or rude or disorderly conduct. TEXT OF SECTION A18 A law to restrict Tavern keepers and others from selling strong Liquors to Servants, Negroes and Molatto Slaves, and to prevent Negroes and Molatto Slaves, from meeting in large corporations, from driving around on Nights, and from hunting or carrying a gun on Lord's Day, Oct. 25,1751, 3 Bush 180-181; 1 Nevill [25 Geo. II] Im. CXI, p.443-444; Allinson ch. CCXLI, p.191-192. Note: Allinson gives dates as Oct.23.1751. TEXT OF ACT A19 A law to enable mayors, Recorder, aldermen, and common councilmen, of the free borough and town of Elizabeth, to build a poor house, work-house, and house of correction within the city mentioned..., June 21, 1754, 3 Bush 288, 291; 2 Nevill [27 Geo. II] Chapter. CXIX, §10, p.29; Allinson ch. CCLXI, §9, p.201. Punishment of slaves for misdemeanors or rude or disorderly conduct. TEXT OF SECTION A20 A law to regulate the size of traps to be hereafter as in this Colony, Dec.5, 1760,[§1], 4 Bush 52; 2 Nevill [1 Geo.III] ch. CLVI p.365: Provided that slaves are punished by flogging, for an offence that others were punished with a fine. Replaced by 1769 act (A25). TEXT OF SECTION A21 A law to lay a duty on Negroes and Mulatto slaves, imported into this province, 1762, 4 Bush 171-175. TEXT OF ACT A22 A law to impose a duty on the buyers of slaves imported into this colony, June 24, 1767, 4 Bush 435-436. TEXT OF ACT A23 A law to regulate the trial of slaves for murder, and other crimes . . . , May 10, 1768, 4 Bush 480-481; Allinson ch. CCCCLXXV, p.307-309. This law replaced the 4th-7th part of the Law for the Regulation of Slaves of 11 March 1713/14 (A13). Quoted by argument in Case C35. TEXT OF ACT A24 A law to impose a duty on the buyers of slaves imported into this colony, Nov.16, 1769, 4 Bush 510-512; Allinson ch. CCCCXCIV, p.315-317. Includes provisions on manumission (§4) and maintenance (§5). Repeals §14 of a13. See cases C28 and C35. TEXT OF ACT A25 A law for more effective conservation of Deer in this colony, Dec.6, 1769,[7], 4 Bush 582, 583: Forbidden to set traps heavier than five pounds, and prescribed for whip instead of a fine as punishment if the offender was a slave. This act repealed the 1760 Act (A20) and was repealed by the 1771 Act (A26). TEXT BY SECTION A26 A Law for the Conservation of Deer, and Other Games, and to Prevent Intrusion with Guns, Dec.21, 1771, 5 Bush 69.70; Allinson ch. DXL §7, p.345: This act, replacing the 1769 Act (A25), carried forward the same provision to whip slaves in lieu of fine. TEXT OF SECTION A27 A law to provide a more effective against excessive costs in debt recovery above £10 .

... Dec.6, 1775, §§ 8, 5 Bush 337, 339, Allinson ch. DCXXXIV, p. 491 (persons trapped for fines may be sold for up to 5 years). . . . TEXT OF SECTION A28 A law to raise an income for the support of Her Majesty's government within this province of New-Jersey, for two years, Dec.12,1704, [§ 3], 2 Bush 11.12, Slaves twelve years or older were valued at twenty pounds each. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A29 A law of support of this Her Majesty's Government of Nova Caesarea or New-Jersey, for one year, Apr.4, 1709, [§4] 2 Bush 45.47, Slaves fourteen years old or older, if not superannuated or disabled, were valued at twenty pounds. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A30 A law for the support of this Her Majesty's Government of Nova-Caesarea or New- Jersey, Feb.10, 1710/11, [§§ 15 ∓ 17], 2 Bush 89, 92-93. Judged working slaves older than fourteen years and younger than fifty years of age at fifteen pounds each. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A31 A law for the support of the government of His Majess province of New-Jersey in America for three years, Jan.25, 1716/17, 2 Bush 213, 218: Slaves sixteen years old and older valued at twelve pence each. . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A32 A law for the support of the government of His Majess Province of New-Jersey for two years. . . . Mar.27, 1719, 2 Bush 231, 233. Slaves sixteen years old and older are valued at twelve pence each. . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A33 An Act for the Support of the Government of His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, for five years May 5, 1722, 2 Bush 277, 279. Male slaves sixteen years and older rated on one shilling each. . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A34 A Act of Support of the Government of His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, for five years Aug.23, 1725, 2 Bush 340, 344. Male slaves sixteen years and older rated on one shilling each. . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A35 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty's Colony in New Jersey 1752, 3 Bush 195, 201. For the period Aug.10,1751 to Nov.21,1752, male slaves sixteen years and older rated at two shillings and eight pence. . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A36 A law to levy a fund during various periods of Provincial Taxes. . . . 1753, 3 Bush 219, 221. (A shilling). . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A37 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty's Colony in New Jersey 1753, 3 Bush 234, 239. (A shilling). . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A38 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty's Colony in New Jersey 1754, 3 Bush 269275. (Nine pence). . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A39 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty's Colony in New Jersey 1755, 3 Bush 327333. (A shilling). . . . TEXT TO DESTINATION A40 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty the Colony of New-Jersey 1756, 3 Bush 393, 398. (A shilling). . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A41 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty's Colony in New Jersey 1757, 3 Bush 472, 476-77 (A Shilling). . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A42 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty's Colony in New Jersey 1758, 3 Bush 581, 586 (A Shilling). . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A43 A law for the support of the government of His Majesty's Colony in New Jersey 1759, 3 Bush 639, 644 (A Shilling). . . . TEXT OF PROVISION A44 A law to regulate quotas of several counties in this colony, to levy taxes, Dec.6, 1769, 4 Bush 547, 550. (Four shillings) TEXT OF PROVISION 3. MILITIA ∓ MILITARY ENLISTMENT DOCUMENTS EXEMPTING OR EXCLUDING SLAVES A45 A Law to Resolve the Militia in this Province, Dec 12, 1704, 2 Bush 15.19. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A46 A law to solve the militia in this province, Apr.4, 1709, [§1], 2 Bush 49. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A47 A law to solve the militia in this province, Mar.11, 1713/14, [§1], 2 Bush 133. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A48 A law to solve the militia in this province, 5 May 1722, [§1], 2 Bush 289. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A49 A law to set the militia of the province of New-Jersey, 1730, [§1], 2 Bush 410,411. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A50 A law for better settling and regulating the militia of this colony in New Jersey 8 May 1746, [§1], 3 Bush 5. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A51 A law to encourage the listing of five hundred freemen, or native well-struck Native Americans, in this colony in New Jersey, for his majesty's service, in the current Expedition against Canada 1746, [§4], 3 Bush 15, 17. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A52 An act to encourage the listing of five hundred free men, or well-affected Native Americans in this colony of New-Jersey, for The Service of His Majesty, in the current Expedition, associated with the Forces of New-England and New-York, to erect a strong fortress near Crown Point 1755, [§5], 3 Bush 307, 309. . . . TEXT in section A53 A law to raise two hundred and fifty can able-bodied free men as volunteers. . . . 16 March, 1756, [§3], 3 Bush 385, 386 TEXT OF SECTION A54 A law for better regulation of forces at the border of the colony of New- Jersey in County Sussex. . . . June 2, 1756, [§18], 3 Bush 425, 433-434. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A55 A law for compleating regiment, in the salary of the colony of New-Jersey to the number of five hundred effective men. . . . 1757, [§ 5], 3 Bush 455, 456. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A56 A Law for Raising and Maintaining One and Twenty effective Men, for the defense of the boundaries of the colony of New-Jersey,, 1757, [§3], 3 Bush 495. . . . TEXT IN SECTION A57 A supplementary act to the law instituted, a law for better settling and regulating the militia. . . . 1757, [§1], 3 Bush 502, 503. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A58 A law to make current thirty thousand pounds in Bills of Credit for His Majesty's service in the current war, 1757, [§ 14], 3 Bush 517, 522-523. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A59 An act to expand the regiment of this colony in New Jersey, to the number of One thousand effective men 1758, [§5], 3 Bush 539, 540-541 TEXT OF SECTION A60 An act for further defense of the boundaries of the colony of New-Jersey, 1758, [§3], 3 Bush 563, 563-564. . . . TEXT BY SECTION A61 A law to raise a thousand effective volunteers March 15, 1759, [§5], 3 Bush 621, 622-623. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A62 A law to raise A Thousand Effective Volunteers March 25, 1760, [§5], 3 Bush 663, 664-65 TEXT OF SECTION A63 A law to raise Six Hundred effective volunteers 1761,[§5], 4 Bush 73, 74-75. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A64 A law to the Compleat New-Jersey Regiment to six hundred sixty-six effective volunteers 1762, [§ 5], 4 Bush 125, 126-127. . . . TEXT BY SECTION A65 A law to make the current ten thousand pounds in Bills of Credit 1763, [§18], 4 Bush 207, 213-214. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A66 A law to raise a number of men, in the usual Proportion, does not exceed Six Hundred 1764, [§5], 4 Bush 289, 290-291 TEXT of Section C. State Period in the Quotes for Statutes of this Period, Acts ... G.A. = Acts of the ... General Assembly of the State of New Jersey (backbone title: Statute of New Jersey; also known as Pamphlet Laws and Session Laws) Bloom. = Joseph Bloomfield, Laws of the State of New-Jersey (1811) Elm.Yoo. = Lucius Q.C. Elmer, A summary of the laws of New Jersey (1838) Nix.Dig.1855 = John T. Nixon, A summary of the laws of New Jersey , 2d ed. (1855) Nix.Dig.1861 = John T. Nixon, A summary of the laws of New Jersey , 3d ed. (1861) Pat. = William Paterson, Laws of the State of New Jersey (1800) Penn. = William S. Pennington, Laws of the State of New Jersey (1821) (quoted in some sources as Rev.L.) Revision of 1846 = Statutes of the State of New Jersey, Revised (1847) (This is the primary source of the revision laws approved in April 1846, which do not appear in the Session Laws.) Wilson = Peter Wilson, Acts of the Council and General Assembly of the State of New-Jersey (1784) A67 An Amendment to the Law, intitled, A law to explain and amend a law, intitled, A law to prevent the substances of this state from entering, or coming out of, the enemy without Permissions or Passport, and for other purposes therein mentioned, Dec. 25, 1779, 4th G.A. Acts 1st Sittling, Chap. XXI, §86-8, p.48, p.50, Wilson Appendix, No.VII, 13, 15-16. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A67.1 A law more effective to prevent the inhabitants of this state from trading in the enemy, or going within their lines, and for other purposes therein mentioned, Dec.22, 1780, Acts of the Apostles, 5th G.A., Chap.V, §2, p.12. That if any Indian or Negro, whether Free or in Bondage, shall commit any of the Crimes prohibited by this law, and shall be thereof charged and convicted on Manner aforesaid, such Indian or Negro so insulting shall have the Judgment of imprisonment, flogging, puning, louting; or, if a Man, to serve aboard any vessel of war, as is previously directed. A67.2 A law to prevent an illegal trade and sexual intercourse between the subjects of this state and the enemy, 24 June 1782, Acts 6th G.A. 2nd Session, Chap. XXXII, §25, p.95, p.103. That if any Minor or Slave voluntarily and of his own free will and Accord be guilty of a Crime described in this Law, such Minor or Slave shall be sentenced to receive any Number of Lashes, does not exceed thirty-nine, on his bare Back, at the discretion of any two Justices of the Peace in the county: ... A67.3 A law to procure an estimate of the number of inhabitants of the state of New Jersey, 24 Dec 1783, Chap. CCCCVII, §1 Wilson 387-388. The number of slaves to be specified in separate column in accounts. A68 A law to free Peter Williams, a negro, late estate John Heard, Sept.1, 1784, Acts 8th G.A. 2nd sitting, ch. LIII, p.110. Master fought for the enemy, slave fought in the continental army. . . . TEXT OF ACT A69 A law to prevent the import of slaves in the state of New-Jersey, and to approve manumission of them under certain restrictions, and to prevent the abuse of slaves, March 2, 1786, Acts 10th G.A. 2nd session, ch. CXIX, p.239-242. Provided two different penalties for bringing a slave into the state, depending on whether the slave had been imported from Africa before or since 1776: slave owners moving into the state could bring with them only slaves imported before 1776. Slaves could manumitted only about between 21 and 35 years old. Freed slaves who committed non-capital crimes to be exiled, and to be sold if returning during the period of exile. The travel of freed slaves within the state conditional on carrying certificates showing which township they were liberated in. See case C52. . . . TEXT OF ACT A69.5 A law to regulate mud fishing in hacksackssack river, in County Bergen, Nov.2, 1786, Acts 11th G.A. 1st Session, Chap. CLIX, p.337. Slave, apprentice or servant setting illegal grid to be imprisoned at the expense of master or mistress until fines are paid. A70 A law setting free Negro Prime, Nov.21,1786, Acts 11th G.A. 1st Session, ch. CLXXVI, p.368. Slave was forfeited property loyalist master. See case C10. TEXT OF ACT A71 An amendment to a law, intitlent 'A law to prevent the importation of slaves in the State of New-Jersey. . . ' Nov.26, 1788, Acts 13th G.A. 1st Sittling, ch. CCXLIV, p.486-488. confiscation of vessels equipped for the slave trade; Slaves who have been in New Jersey twelve months or more so as not to be removed from the state without their consent, unless the owner moves out of the state. Trial and punishment of crimes of Negroes and mulattos, whether they are slave or free, to be in the same way as for other inhabitants. Slaves born after publication of this document to learn to read. TEXT BY ACT A72 A law to set free negro catov, Nov.25,1789, Acts 14th G.A. 1st session, ch. CCLXIX, p.538. Slave was forfeited property by a loyalist master. TEXT OF THE ACT A72.5 A law to vest the title of two certain lots of land, in the township of Shrewsbury, and the County of Monmouth, in Abigail Bowman, Widow of Henry R. Bowman, deceased, June 6, 1793, Acts 17th G.A. 2d Sittling, Chap. CCCXXXVIII, p. 868-869. . . . except negro boy named Joseph and Negro Girl named Mary, freed by the will of said Henry R. Bowman, who is hereby made free as the said Will directs . . . A73 A law for the manumission of some Negro slaves, the late estate of William Burnet, deceased, Feb.17,1794, Acts 18th G.A. 1st ∓ 2nd Sessions, ch. CCCCLXIII, p. 894-895. Freed ten slaves and, for four minors among them, appointed guardians and made abstinent lords responsible for their upkeep. TEXT OF ACT A74 A Law for Punishment of Crimes, 18 March 1796, §69, Acts 20th G.A. 2nd sitting, ch. DC, p.92, 111, Pat. 208, 220-221, Penn. 244, 262-263: That the court or justice, before which any negro, Indian or mulatto slave shall be convicted, for any offence not punishable by death, shall have the power to impose, instead of the punishment provided for by this act, such corporal punishment, does not extend to life or limb, as such court or judge in their discretion shall directly. A75 An Act Respecting Slaves, March 14, 1798, 22nd G.A. 2nd Sittling Act, ch. DCCXXVII, P. 364-373; Pat. 307-313 Penn. 369-377, Elm.Dig. Slaves §81-27, p.520-525. TEXT TO ACT §1. Slaves at the time of the act to continue as such unless manumitted. See case C64. §2. Slaves do not be witnesses, except in criminal proceedings of another slave. §3. No buying from or selling to slave without consent on master. §§4.5. Punishment for harboring another's slave. See cases C48, C51, C53 and C59. §6. Finder of slave ten miles from master's home without permission to have reward for returning slave to master. §7. Slaves from other states here without permission to be Replaced by law of Dec.26,1826 (A92). §8. Disorderly or riotously collected slaves risk being imprisoned or whipped. §9. Slaves removed from the master's house after ten at night, or hunting or carrying a gun on Sunday, risk being imprisoned or whipped. §10. The owner not to allow the slave to beg. §11. Invalidates the collusion or fraudulent sale of an aged or decrepit slave to someone unable to sustain that slave. §§12-14. Bringing slave into state for sale prohibited; N.J. citizens can bring in their own slaves, if certified as their property before passage of this act. §15. Abuse of slaves who are indictable. §16. Slaves born since Nov.26,1788 to learn to read. §§17-19. Provisions against the use of ships for the slave trade. §20. Slaves residing for twelve months are not removed from the state without their consent. Replaced by file from Feb.1,1812 (A84), §§21-25. Manumission provisions. Legal to manumit slaves ages 21 to 40, if certified sound in mind and capable of their own support; others may be manumitted with bands of support by owners. See cases C36, C52 and C62. §26. Slave owners obliged to support slaves if not manumitted. See cases C49, C50 and C61. §§27-28 Certificate of Freedom required for free Negro from another state to travel or live in NJ, or for Negro freed in NJ to travel outside the county where is freed. §29. Procedure for habeas corpus to remove Negro etc. from possession of person claiming the service. §30. Repeal of previous acts. A76 A law for the establishment of workhouses in several counties in this state, Feb.20,1799, §§5 ∓ 6, App 23rd G.A. 2nd sitting, ch. DCLXXVII, p. 499, 500-501, Pat.378-379, Penn. 443,444. Any stubborn, disobedient, rude or intemperate slave or male servant can be committed to the workhouse by a justice of the peace on complaints from the master or mistress, the latter paying for food. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A77 An Amendment to the Law, intitled, A Law for the Punishment of Crime, passed March 18,1796, March 7, 1801, Acts 25th G.A. 2nd Session, ch. XXXV, p.77-78, Bloom. 23-25. Slaves convicted of crimes can be sent out of the state. . . . TEXT OF ACT A78 A Law for the Gradual Abolition of Slavery, Feb.15, 1804, Acts 28th G.A. 2nd Sittling, ch. CIII, p.251-254, Bloom. 103-105. Children born to slaves after Jan. 4, 1804 to be free, but remain servants of slave owners until 25 years old if male, 21 if female. Owners may abandon such children within a year of birth, and such abandoned children became when one-year-old paupers maintained by the county or township. See cases C64 and C65. . . . TEXT OF ACT A79 An act supplementing the act respecting slaves, Dec.3, 1804, Acts 29th G.A. 1st Sittling, ch. CLV, p.460-463, Bloom. 141-143. Manumission valid if signed by only one supervisor of the poor if the city had only one. Requirements for manumission certificates to be and included in evidence; journalation of manumission. . . . TEXT OF ACT A80 A law to repeal the third part of an act entitled An Act for the Gradual Abolition of Slavery, . . . March 6, 1806, Acts 30th G.A. 2nd session, ch. CVII, p.668, Bloom. 106. Repealed the part which allowed closures, but did not annul the closures that had already occurred. . . . TEXT OF ACT A80.5 A Amendment to the Law intitled A Law to regulate the election of members of the Legislative Council and General Assembly, sheriffs and coroners of this state, passed in Trenton on the twenty-second day of February, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, November 16, 1807, §1, 32nd G.A. 1st session, ch. II, p.14, Bloom. 33. Restricted voting rights to free, white males. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A81 An additional amendment to the Law, intitled An Act for the Gradual Abolition of Slavery. . . . 26 Nov.1808, Acts 33rd G.A. 1st session, ch. XXXI, p.112-113, Bloom. 106-108. Provision for the binding of abandoned children to slaves. . . . TEXT OF ACT A82 An additional amendment to the law intitled A Law for the Gradual Abolition of Slavery. . . . Nov.27, 1809, Acts 34th G.A. 1st Session, ch. LI, p.200-201. Payments for the maintenance of abandoned black children require the municipality's certificate of maintenance contract with honest. . . . TEXT BY ACT A83 A Law on the Abolition of Slavery, Feb.22,1811, Acts 35th G.A. 2nd Sittling, p.313-314, Bloom. 108-109. Government payments for the maintenance of abandoned black children to expire in May 1811. . . . TEXT BY ACT A84 A law supplementing the law intitled An Act that Respects Slaves, 1 1812 Feb,1812, Acts 36th G.A. 2nd Session, P.15-18. Provisions against removal from the state without consent. Replaces §20 of the law from 1798 (A75). Replaced by act of Nov.5,1818 (A85). . . . TEXT OF ACT A85 An act to prohibit the export of slaves or servants of color from this state,Nov.5,1818, Public Acts 43rd G.A. [1st ∓ 2nd sittings], p.3-6. Replaced document from Feb.1,1812 (A84). . . . TEXT IN ACT A86 An amendment to the Law, intitled A Law to Prohibit the Export of Slaves or Servants of Color from this State, 19 Feb.1819, Public Acts 43rd G.A. [2nd ∓ 2nd sittings], p.31. Legal for temporary residents to bring their slaves when they leave the state. . . . TEXT BY ACT A87 An act for the gradual abolition of slavery, and for other purposes with respect for slaves, 44 1820 February, Acts 44th G.A. [1st ∓ 2nd sittings], p.74-80; Elm.Dig. Slaves §§28-48, p.525- 529; Penn.679-685; Revision of 1846, title XI, ch.5, §§1-3, p.380-381; Nix.Dig. 1855 v.758- 759; Nix.Dig. 1861 p.801-802. (Repealed by laws of 1930, ch.37, p. 93, p.137.) a general compilation and re-enlistment of ex ante provisions; See case C54, C62, C64, C65. . . . TEXT OF ACT A88 A Amendment to the Act, entitled A Act for the Punishment of Crime [18 Mar.1796], 31 May 1820, §§5 ∓ 6, Public Acts 44th G.A. [3rd session], p.134-135; Penn. 735, 736. Deportation of slaves as an alternative to other punishments. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A89 A Addition to an act, entitled 'A document for the settlement and relief of the poor [Mar.11,1774], 10 June 1820, §§6-8, Public acts 44th G.A. [3rd session], p.166, 168-169; Penn. 763,765; Elm.Dig. Bad §§34-36, p.416-417. Included in a law for the settlement and relief of the poor, revision approved April 10, 1846, §§29-31, Revision of 1846, title XXXII, ch.1, p.877, 892; Nix.Dig. 1855 p.614-615; Nix.Dig. 1868 p.714-715; and revision approved 27 March 1874, §§33-35, Revision of 1877, p.844; General Statutes 1895, p.2511; Compiled statutes 1910, p.4025. (Repealed by P.L.1930, c.37, p.93.171.) Provisions on the legal residence of children of slaves. See cases C65 and C66. . . . TEXT OF ACT A90 A further addition to the law intitled An Act for the Punishment of Crime, [18 Mar.1796]. . . . Nov.3, 1820, Public acts 45th G.A. [1st session], p.203-204; Penn. 793. The governor may give the owner the opportunity to send the convicted slave out of the state. Replaces §§5 ∓ 6 in law of May.31,1820 (A88). Replaced by law from Feb.17,1829, 888 (A93). . . . TEXT OF THE ACT A90.5 An act to authorize Reverend John Boyd to take out of this state some people of color, in that specially named, Nov.3, 1820, Private ∓ Temporary Acts 45th G.A. , p. 139. . . . TEXT OF ACT A90.7 Additional amendment to the law intitled An Act for the Punishment of Crime, passed the eighteenth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and nine hundred, Dec.21, 1824, §2, Acts 49th G.A. p.79, p.80. Applies to punishment of slave convicted of assault with intent to kill. . . . TEXT OF SECTION A91 Resolutions in relation to the gradual liberation of people of color and their colonization in a foreign country, Dec.30, 1824, Acts 49th G.A. , p.191. . . . TEXT OF RESOLUTIONS A91.5 A Law for Manumission by Robert Gumber, 8 Dec 1825, App 50th G.A. p. 71. . . . TEXT IN ACT A92 A Supplement to an actA slave act, Dec.26, 1826, App 51st G.A. [1st sitting], p.90-93; Elm.Dig. Slaves §§49-57, p.529-531. Procedure regarding fugitive slaves from other states. Replaces §7 of the act on Mar.14,1798 (A75). . . . TEXT OF ACT A93 A Law for the Punishment of Crime, 17 Feb.1829, §§69, 88, Acts 53rd G.A. 2nd Session, p. 109, 129, 132; Elm.Dig.116. [Provision on corporal punishment of slaves, and for sending slaves out of the state. Replaces act from Nov.3, 1820 (A90). . . . TEXT BY EPISODE A93.5 A law for the relief of Sharp Halsey, a colored man, in County Morris, 1832, Acts 56th G.A. 2nd session, p.107-108. Former slave whose instrument of manumission was unrecorded and lost, confirmed as free colored man. TEXT OF ACT A93.7 A Law for The Relief of Baas Staats Bergen, Jan.26, 1837, Acts 61st G.A. 2nd Session, p.72-73. Former slave who bought freedom declared himself free. TEXT IN ACT A94 A further addition to an act entitled, A Document on Slaves, 15 Feb 1837, APG 61st G.A. 2nd Session, p.134-136. Revised procedure regarding fugitive slaves from other states. . . . TEXT OF ACT A94.3 A Law for Relief of Severn Martin, a colored man, of The County Burlington, Mar.6, 1837, App 61st G.A., 2nd sitting, p.337-338. Former slave confirmed as free. TEXT BY ACT A95 An Act of Relief by Caesar Jackson, in Bergen County, Feb.4, 1840, App 64th G.A. 2nd sitting, p.19-20. Declared former slave, born before 1804, to be free, as requested in the will of deceased owner. . . . TEXT OF ACT A95.3 An Act for the Relief of York Mulford, a Colored Man, of the County of Morris, Feb. 16, 1842, App 66th G.A. 2nd Sittling, P.47-49. Former slave confirmed as free. TEXT OF ACT A95.4 A law authorizing John Dilts to sell certain properties, formerly occupied by Thomas Wilson, Feb.21, 1842, App 66th G.A., 2nd sitting, p.64-67. The law appointed a trustee to sell land previously brokered and occupied by a slave, now deceased, who had legally not been able to own the land. EXTRACT FROM ACT A96 An Act to Confirm The Manumission of Certain Slaves, Feb.28, 1844, Acts 68th G.A. 2nd sitting, p.138-139; Revision of 1846, Title XI, ch.4, p.380; Nix.Dig. 1855 p.758; Nix.Dig. 1861 p.801. (Repealed by laws of 1930, ch.37, p. 93, p.137.) Confirmed previous missions with only one witness (if not already of judgment). . . . TEXT OF THE ACT | PDF of the Law (contained in Revision of 1846) A96.5 A law respecting apprentices and employees, revision approved 10 April 1846, §5, Revision of 1846, Title XI, ch.1, p.370, 371-372; Nix.Dig. 1855 p.23; Nix.Dig. 1861 p.25-26; Nix.Dig. 1868 p.27-28. Provisions for adjudicating disputes between master and servant, which by §14 of the Abolition Act (A98) apply to the apprentices created by this act. . . . TEXT OF ACT A97 A Law on Escaped Slaves,Revision approved April 15, 1846, Revision of 1846, Title XXI, ch.6, p.567-572; Nix.Dig. 1855 v.764-767; Nix. Dig. 1861 p.807-810. . . . TEXT OF ACT A98 A law to abolish slavery, revision was approved April 18, 1846, Revision of 1846, title XI, ch.6, p.382-390; Nix.Dig. 1855 p.759-764; Nix.Dig. 1861 p.802-807. (Repealed by laws of 1930, ch.37, p. 93, p.137.) Existing slaves were made apprentices. Children born to them hereafter to be completely free from birth. Provisions on discharge from apprenticeships, residence, housing, etc., very similar to provisions relating to slaves. §14 applies the legal provisions of the act on Apprentices and Employees (A96.5). As of §17, the sale of apprentices to only be with their written consent. TEXT OF THE ACT | PDF of Act A99 Joint Resolution in relation to the extension of slavery in any territory that can be attached to the United States, Feb.16, 1847, Acts 71st Legislature, p.188-189. RESOLUTION A100 Joint Resolution Against the Extension of Slavery to Free Territory and The Traffic of Slaves in the District of Columbia, March 2, 1849, Acts 73rd Legislature, p.334-335. TEXT OF RESOLUTION A101 An act making grants to the New Jersey Colonization Society, March 24, 1852, 76th Legislature Act, ch. CLVI, p.373. Provided two years of appropriations for transport and living of free persons of color to West Africa. Extended five years by act of Mar.17,1855 (A103). TEXT OF ACT A102 A further amendment to the law intitled An Act for the Settlement and Mitigation of the Poor, april 10th, eighteenth century, 18March 1853, §3, Acts of the Apostles approved 77th Legislature, ch. CXLVI, p.374, 375; Nix.Dig. 1855 p.616 840; Nix.Dig. 1868 p.716 840; included in a document for the settlement and relief of the poor, revision approved March 27, 1874, §21, Revision of 1877 p.841; General Statutes 1895, p.2508; Compiled statutes 1910, p.4020. (Repealed by P.L. 1930, ch.37, p.93, 171.) Provided that poor colored servants were removed with a right to support the municipality where they last served. TEXT OF SECTION A103 A law to encourage the emigration and settlement of the free people of color in New Jersey, Liberia, March 17, 1855, Acts 79th Legislature, ch. CXIX, p.321. Revived and extended the Law of Mar.24,1852 (A101) for five years. TEXT OF ACT A104 A law to confirm the act of manumission of the slave Joseph, executed in the name of Simon Nevius, as the act and act of David Nevius, late in the township of Branchburg, in County Somerset, and the state of New Jersey, March 20, 1857, Acts 81st Legislature, ch. CLXXI, p.467-468. TEXT OF ACT A105 A law to raise a fund through taxation for the discharge of debts and pay the necessary expences in the state of New Jersey, March 26, 1778, App 2nd G.A. 2nd session, Chap. XXIII, p.57: Every male slave of sixteen years old and up, except those who cannot work, shall be rated the sum of fifteen Shillings. A106 An An to raise the sum of a hundred thousand pounds of taxation . . . Dec.5,1778, Acts 3rd G.A. 1st Session, Chap. VI, p.9: Every slave, a man of sixteen years old and up, except those who cannot work, shall be rated at the discretion of the assessors, not under fifteen Shillings or over Thirty Shillings. A107 An An to raise the sum of a million pounds in the state of New Jersey, June 8, 1779, Acts 3rd G.A., 2nd session, Chap. XXX, p.72: (at least seven pounds ten shillings, maximum twenty-five pounds) A law to raise the sum of three million three hundred and seven thousand pounds, in the state of New Jersey, Dec.18, 1779, Acts 4th G.A. 1st Sittling, Chap.I, p.4. (maximum 30 pounds) A109 A law to raise the value of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds in money and other necessities. . . . June 21, 1781, 5th G.A. Acts 2nd Session, Chap. XXXIV, p.85: Every male slave between sixteen and sixty years of age, any sum not exceeding Thirty Shillings, provided ALWAYS, that no Slave shall be taxed who is unable to work, or that may be shown to assessors and selected Freeholders to be more Free than Profit to their Master or. A110 An act to raise the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds, in money and certificates, in the state of New Jersey, Dec.26,1781, Acts 6th G.A. 1st Session, Chap.XII, p.34 (same as the Act of June 21, 1781 except maximum is Twenty Shillings) A111 A law to raise the sum of Ninety thousand pounds in the State of New-Jersey June 22, 1782, Acts 6th G.A. 2nd Sittling, Chap.XXXI, §2, p.83-84, Wilson Chap. CCCXVI, p.273, 275. Verdict: Every male slave between sixteen and sixty years of age, a sum not exceeding fifteen shillings. PROVIDED ALWAYS, that no Slave shall be taxed who is unable to work, or that may be shown to the Assessor and chosen the Freeholder to be any Profit to his Master or Mistress. A112 An act to raise the sum of Ninety thousand nine hundred and thirty pounds, in the state of New-Jersey, for the requirements of the year One thousand seven hundred and eighty-three . . . June 9, 1783, Acts 7th G.A. 2nd Session, Chap. XIX, p.32-33. Slaves aged 16 to 55 years, a maximum of 15 shillings. A113 A law to raise a revenue of thirty-one thousand two hundred and fifty pounds five shillings per year, for the term of twenty-five years, in order to pay interest and capital debts paid from the United States . . . Dec.20, 1783, Acts 8th G.A. 1st sitting,Chap. XXI, p.46 Wilson Chap. CCCXCVIII, §2, 363, 365. Verdict: Each male slave between sixteen and sixty-five years, a sum not exceeding ten shillings. PROVIDED ALWAYS, that no Slave shall be taxed who is unable to work, or who may appear to be any Profit to his Master or Mistress. A114 A law to raise the sum of ten thousand pounds in the state of New-Jersey, for the government's support, and the contingent expences for the year One Thousand Seven hundred and eighty-four, Dec. 22, 1783, Acts 8th G.A. 1st session, Chap. XXIII, §2, p.58, p.59, Wilson Chap. CCCC, p.377, 378. Assessment of male slave age 16 to 65: maximum five A115 A law to raise the sum of ten thousand pounds, to be applied against lowering the Bills of Credit in this state, Dec. 21, 1784, App 9th G.A., 1st session, Chap.LXXV, p.156, p.158. Male slaves aged sixteen to fifty-five, rated no more than five shillings. A116 A law to raise the sum of ten thousand pounds in the state of New-Jersey, for the support of the government, and contingent Expences for the year one thousand seven hundred and first, Dec.22, 1784, Acts 9th G.A. 1st session, Chap.LXXVI, p.160, p.161. same as act of Dec.21,1784 A117 A law to provide for payment of several officers of the government of New Jersey for a year ... [12.1785 Oct.12.1786]... and to the increase sum of ten thousand pounds ... Nov.26, 1785, Acts 10th G.A.1st sitting, Chap. CVI, p.215, p.218. Male slaves aged 16 to 55 years, maximum 5 shillings. A118 A law to provide for the payment of several officers of the government of New Jersey for a year ... [Oct.12.1786-Oct.12.1787]... and to raise the sum of four thousand pounds ... Nov.21, 1786, Acts 11th G.A. 1st Sittling, Chap. CLXXV, p.363, p.366. Male slaves 16 to 55 years, max 2 shillings. A119 An act to raise the sum of twelve thousand five hundred pounds per year, for the term of office of twenty-two years, in order to pay the interest on the debt due from that state to the inhabitants thereof, 7 June 1787, Acts 11th G.A. 2nd session, Chap. CCICVI, §2, p.429, p.430. Male slaves aged 16 to 55, rated no more than six shillings and three pence. A120 A law to raise the sum of Fiften Thousand Pounds, this year a thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, Feb.17, 1794, Acts 18th G.A. , Chap. CCCCLXVI, p. 897, p.899. Male slaves aged 16 to 50 years, at least 2 shilling6 pence, maximum 7 shilling 6 pence. A121 An act to raise the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and five, Dec.3, 1804, Acts 29th G.A., Chap. CLVI, §5, p.463, p.467. Male slave age 16 to 50, maximum 50 cents, provided, that no slave should be taxed that usually cannot be labored. An Act to Raise the Sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars for the Year of Our Lord a Thousand Eight Hundred and Six, March 13, 1806, Acts 30th G.A. 2d Session, Chap CXIX, p.695-6. Same as 1804 act. A123 An act to raise the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand hundred and eight, Dec.3, 1807, Acts 32nd G.A. Chap. XXII, p.63, p.68. Same as 1804 act. A124 An act to raise the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine, Nov.25, 1808, Acts 33rd G.A., Chap. XXXII, p.114, p.117. Same as 1804 act. A125 An act to raise the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the year of our Lord a thousand eight hundred and ten, 1809, Acts 34th G.A., Chap. XLVI, p.158, p. 162. Same as 1804 act. A125.5 An act to raise the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eleven, Jan.24,1811, Acts 35th G.A., 2nd session, p.296, §4, p.297. All prices be the same as the act of Nov.23, 1809. A126 An act to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve, 4 Nov 1811, Acts 36th G.A. p.17, p.20. Same as 1804 act. A127 An act to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirteen, Feb.17, 1813, Acts 37th G.A. p.24, p.28. Same as 1804 act. A128 An act to raise the sum of sixty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fourteen, Feb.9, 1814, Acts 38th G.A. p.231, p.234. Same as 1804 act. A129 An act to raise the sum of thirty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord eighteen hundred fifteen, Feb.17, 1815, Acts 39th G.A.2nd session, p.178, p.181. Same as 1804 act. A130 An act to raise the sum of thirty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, Feb.10, 1816, Acts 40th G.A.2nd session, p.41, p.46. Same as 1804 act. A131 An act to raise the sum of thirty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, Feb.10, 1817, Acts 41st G.A.2nd session, p.57, p.61. Same as 1804 act. A132 An act to raise the sum of thirty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nineteen, Feb.10, 1819, Acts 43rd G.A.2nd session, p.67, p.69. Same as 1804 act. A134 An act to raise the sum of thirty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, 1 March 1820, Acts 44th G.A.2nd sitting, p.126, p.128. Same as 1804 act. A135 An act to raise the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, Nov.16, 1820, Priv. ∓ Temp. Acts 45th G.A. 1st session, p.146, p.148. Manslav aged 16 to 50, maximum 25 cents; no slave to be taxed who usually can't work. A136 An act to raise the sum of ten thousand dollars for the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two, Nov.26, 1821, Priv. ∓ Temp. Acts 46th G.A. 1st Session, p.32, p.34. Same as 1820 act. A137 An act to raise the sum of ten thousand dollars for the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three, Nov.27, 1822, Priv. ∓ Temp. App 47th G.A. 1st sitting, p.99, p.102. Manslav aged 15 to 60, maximum 25 cents, with the same reservations as before. A138 An act to increase the sum of thousand dollars for our Lord's year, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, 12 Dec. 1823, Priv. ∓ Temp. Acts 48th G.A. 1st session, p.176, p.178. Male slave aged 15 to 60, maximum 50 cents, with the same caveat. A139 An act to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars for our Lord's year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five Dec. 1824, Acts 49th G.A. p.113, p.115-116. Male slave aged 15 to 60, maximum 75 cents, provided that no slave shall be taxed who cannot work. A140 An act to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, Dec. 8, 1825 Acts 50th G.A. p.92, p.94. (Same as before.) A141 An act to raise the sum of thirty thousand dollars for the year of our Lord a thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven, Dec.26, 1826 Acts 51st G.A. p.64, p.66. Male slave aged 15 to 60,

reversed by the Governor & Council, in 1795 due to lack of jurisdiction. Elections were held illegally because of irregularities, including the admission of a negro to vote who had no legal residence, on his explanation that he had been manumitted in another state. TEXT TO CASE C31 State v. Release, 1 N.J.L. [Coxe] 259 [2d ed. 299-300] (Sup. Ct. 1794). One of his own occasional and general statements, unaccompanied by any particular document or formality, was held insufficient to free slaves sold by his executors. TEXT TO CASE C32 State v. Assembly, 1 N.J.L. [Coxe] 292-293 [2d ed. 337-339] (Sup. Ct. 1795). The buyer of a slave associated with the seller to free her after 10 years if she had no children during that time, but apparently did not inform her of the covenant, and she had children. The court ruled that he was not obliged to inform her. TEXT TO CASE C33 State v. Heddon, 1 N.J.L. [Coxe] 328-332 [2d ed. 377-381] (Sup. Ct. 1795). The court, in a 2 to 1 decision, freed a negro on the grounds that the evidence of the person claiming him was insufficient, although, as noted in dissent, Negro could not prove his free status. TEXT TO CASE C34 State v. McDonald, 1 N.J.L. [Coxe] 332-335 [2d ed. 382-385] (Sup. Ct. 1795). The court freed a negro on the basis of hearsay evidence for statements made by a former mistress then deceased. TEXT OF CASE C35 State v. Van Waggoner, 6 N.J.L. [1 Halsted] 374-377 (Sup. Ct. In Habeas corpus, it was considered that Indians could be slaves and that the evidence sufficiently proved the slavery of the Indian woman in question. The argument cites acts A13, A23 and A24. TEXT TO CASE C36 State v. Emmons, 2 N.J.L. [1 Pennington] 10-20 [2d ed. 5-12, 3d ed. 6-16] (Sup. Ct. 1806). Manumissions held invalid because they did not have two witnesses required by the 1798 act (A75). TEXT OF CASE C37 The v. Urison, 2 N.J.L. [1 Pennington] 212-228 [2d ed. 154-166, 3d & 4th ed. 197-213] (Sup.Ct. 1807) Incidental mention, on p.213, of wills including a Negro boy and a mulatto boy. TEXT TO CASE C38 State v. Quick, 2 N.J.L. [1 Pennington] 413e-415e [2d ed. 302-304, 3d & 4th ed. 393-395] (Bergen Circ. Ct. 1807). Case of a slave who had been brought out of New York and later sold, and claimed freedom under a New York law. Report gives instructions to the jury and notes that the verdict was against the slave. TEXT OF CASE C39 Heir of Potter v. Potter's Widow, 3 N.J.L. [2 Pennington] 415o-416o [2d ed. 315-316, 3d 9-10] (Sup. Ct. 1808). The widow who had committed herself to supporting Decedent's slave could not bring an action against the heirs to recover their expenses. TEXT OF CASE C40 Prall v. Patton, 3 N.J.L. [2 Pennington] 570-575 [2d ed. 427-431, 3d ed. 157-162] (Sup. Ct. 1809). The defendant, a New Jersey resident, sold two Negroes to plaintiffs in Maryland. A court in Maryland later found them free. The plaintiff sued the defendant for the purchase price. By 2 to 1, the NJ Supreme Court kept the minutes of the Maryland court ruling inadmissible because the defendant had not noticed it, and therefore reversed the trial court's ruling for the plaintiff. TEXT OF CASE C41 Anonymous, 3 N.J.L. [2 Pennington] 576 [2d ed. 431, 3d ed. 162-163] (Sup. Ct. 1809). The court refused to compel justices of the peace and overseer of the poor to certify the manumission of a slave. TEXT OF CASE C42 Brooks against. Farmer, 3 N.J.L. [2 Pennington] 640-641 [2d ed. 475, 3d ed. 222] (Sup. Ct. 1810). An act that gave a punishment to lure away servants was not held to apply in the case of a slave. TEXT OF CASE C43 Nixon v. The Story's Administrators, 3 N.J.L. [2 Pennington] 991-992 [2d ed. 722, 3d ed. 545] (Sup. Ct. 1813). In an action over the costs of carrying out black servants, the ruling was overturned for the vagueness of the complaint. TEXT OF CASE C44 Potts v. Harper, 3 N.J.L. [2 Pennington] 1030 [2d ed. 751, 3d ed. 583] (Sup. Ct. 1813). Confirmed a verdict that had been challenged because the trial court had recognized as a witness a black man who was known free, without definitive proof of his freedom. TEXT OF CASE C45 Smock v. Warford, 4 N.J.L. [1 Southard] 306-312 [3d ed. 352-358] (Sup. Ct. 1816). The defendant in an action for guilt was not to offset the debt with costs allegedly incurred in pursuing for the plaintiff a slave who had run away, nor could he offset the debt with half the value of the slave that the plaintiff allegedly agreed to pay him. TEXT IN CASE C46 State. Aaron, 4 N.J.L. [1 Southard] 231-247 [3d ed. 269-286] (Sup. Ct. 1818). A 12-year-old boy (slave son and therefore bound for service until the age of 25) who had been convicted of murder was granted a new trial because his master had not been given permission to testify. TEXT OF CASE C47 The v. Vancleve, 5 N.J.L. [2 Southard] 589-680 (Sup. Ct. 1819). Temporary reference on p.617 to a little black boy belonging to the defendant. TEXT OF CASE C48 Gibbons v. Morse, 7 N.J.L. [2 Wm. Halsted] 253-271 (Ct.of Errors 1821). In a suit under Act A75\$5 by the master of a slave against a ferry owner, for the value of a slave who had taken passage on the defendant's boat and not returned, the Chief Justice instructed the jury that in New Jersey all black men were prima facie slaves, and that the defendant would be liable if he or his agents had knowingly given passage. The judgment of the plaintiff was confirmed on appeal. TEXT OF CASE C49 Township of Chatham v. Canfield 8 N.J.L. [3 Wm. Halsted] 52-54 (Sup. Ct. 1824). In cases under Law A75 \$26, executors of an estate were responsible for the support of a Negro pauper, on the basis of a provision of the deceased will. TEXT OF CASE C50 Monitors of the Poor in South Brunswick v. Supervisor of the Poor of East Windsor, 8 N.J.L. [3 Wm. Halsted] 64-68 (Sup. Ct. 1824). South Brunswick tried to remove a poor slave to East Windsor because his master had lived there before leaving for New York. Apply the law, Penn. 375 (A75) \$§25 & 26, the court held that East Windsor was not obliged to support him because he was an unscorned slave whose master still had the opportunity to keep him. TEXT OF CASE C51 Cutter v. Moore, 8 N.J.L. [3 Wm. Halsted] 219 (Sup. Ct. 1825). Another case under Law A75 \$5, of a slave carried out of the state on a ship; opinion follows the precedent of Gibbons v. Morse (C48). TEXT BY CASE C52 Fox v. Lambson, 8 N.J.L. [3 Wm. Halsted] 275-282 (Sup. Ct. May terms 1826) and 8 N.J.L. 366-367 (Sup. Ct. Sept. term 1826). Considered that a black man was rightly allowed to be a witness in a suit, on the basis of other people's testimony that he had long been known free. In the case of another black man, the county clerk's record of a certificate of manumission was held insufficient to establish the competency to testify. CITES acts A69 \$5 and A75. TEXT OF CASE C53 Boice v. Gibbons, 8 N.J.L. [3 Wm. Halsted] 324-333 (Sup. Ct. 1826). In an action under Law A75\$5 to recover the value of slaves allegedly abducted, the plaintiff's explanation was flawed on demurrs, for that the defendant was obliged to pass on the slaves. TEXT OF CASE C54 Ogden v. Price, 9 N.J.L. [4 Wm. Halsted] 167-173 (Sup. Ct. 1827). Applying the Law of Gradual Abolition, Penn.679 (A87), considered that the services of Negro children born after July 4104 were assignable, and she was bound to serve until the age of 21 regardless of subsequent manumission of her mother. TEXT TO CASE C55 State v. Guild, 10 N.J.L. [5 Wm. Halsted] 163-190 (Sup.Ct. 1828). Murder trial. The prisoner was a colored boy . . . servant of a Joshua Bunn (p.164). TEXT OF GOAL C56 Supervisor of the poor of Upper Freehold v. Supervisor of the Poor of Hillsborough, 13 N.J.L. [1 J.S. Green] 289-293 (Sup. Ct. 1833). The court upheld a decision by a Justice of the Peace, that a black girl found begging at Hillsborough should be sent to Upper Freehold for a determination of her residence, on the basis of her statement that she lived there. TEXT TO CASE C57 Stat v. Sheriff of Burlington (Sup. Ct. 1836: Opinion of Chief Justice Hornblower on the Fugitive Slave Law, reprinted in: Fugitive Slaves and American Courts: the Pamphlet Literature, ed. Paul Finkelman (Slavery, Race & the American Legal System, ser.II, vol.1) p.97-103) (Garland Publishing 1988) [call number KF4545. S5 A5 1988b. See also items S4 and S5. TEXT OF CASE C58 Stoutenborough against. Haviland, 15 N.J.L. [3 J.S. Green] 266-269 (Sup. Ct. 1836). A person in possession of a negro boy, selling him on his own, would be held to an implied guarantee of title. Includes dictum that colored persons should no longer be adopted slaves in New Jersey. TEXT OF CASE C59 Stille v. Jenkins 15, N.J.L. [3, J.S. Green] 302-312 (Sup. Ct. 1836). In a 2 to 1 decision, the court suffered a judgment for the future value of service of a negro servant (not a slave) carried by the defendant. Refers to Rev.L.369 (A75) \$5. TEXT OF CASE C60 Stillwell v. Pease, 4 N.J. Eq. [3 H.W.Green] 74, 75 (Ch. 1837). Temporary quote of provision in will for the maintenance of colored husband and wife belonging to testator. TEXT OF CASE C61 Kraft v. Haines, 17 N.J.L. [2 Harrison] 385-414 (Sup. Ct. 1840). Force sold Haines custody and the services of his slave for a limited time, but then refused to take the slave back. The court found that Haines, who maintained the slave thereafter, could not recover the maintenance cost from Force. Law A75 \$26 is stated on pages 401 and 412. TEXT OF CASE C62 Supervisor of poor of Perth Amboy v. Monitors of poor of Piscataway, 19 N.J.L. [4 Harrison] 173-181 (Sup. Ct. 1842). In a dispute between two cities over the responsibility of a Negro poor, an act manumission lacking two subscribing witnesses was held invalid. Application of 1798 concerned acts A75 \$21 and 1820 act A87 \$§ 5 & 6. TEXT OFF C63 Chance against. Teeple, 4 N.J.Eq. [3 H.W.Green, or 3 Gr.Ch.] 173-174 (Ch. 1842). In the case of the mention of a colored man as a witness, on p.173. TEXT TO CASE C64 State v. Post, 20 N.J.L. [Spencer] affirmed 368-386 (Sup. Ct. 1845), confirmed, 21 N.J.L. [1 Zabriskie] 699-700 (E.&A. 1848). Agreed that the 1844 Constitution of New Jersey did not abolish slavery. Quoting various early acts, and specifically notes which are still in force the acts of 1798 (A75) and 1804 (A78)--the latter which was re-adopted by the Act of 1820 (A87). See also items S3 and S11. TEXT OF CASE C65 Monitor of Franklin v. Overseers of Bridgewater, 20 N.J.L. [Spencer] 563-567 (Sup. Ct. 1846) Concerning Sarah Brocaw. Children of slave held put in town of birth. 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