

Act of 1862, ch. 82, § 3, repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the third section of the act aforesaid be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

APPROVED, June 17, 1864.

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CHAP. CXXX. — *An Act to regulate the Foreign Coasting Trade on the Northern, Northeastern, and Northwestern Frontiers of the United States, and for other Purposes.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That any boat, sloop, or other vessel of the United States, navigating the waters on our northern, northeastern, and northwestern frontiers, otherwise than by sea, shall be enrolled and licensed in such form as other vessels; which enrolment and license shall authorize any such boat, sloop, or other vessel to be employed either in the coasting or foreign trade on said frontiers; and no certificate of register shall be required for vessels so employed on said frontiers: *Provided,* That such boat, sloop, or vessel shall be, in every other respect, liable to the rules, regulations, and penalties now in force relating to registered and licensed vessels.

Vessels navigating the waters on northern, &c., frontiers to be enrolled and licensed.

Effect thereof.

Proviso.

Compensation of certain collectors of customs. 1831, ch. 98, § 4. Vol. iv. p. 487.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That in lieu of the compensation provided by the fourth section of the act of March second, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, entitled "An act to regulate the foreign and coasting trade on the northern, northeastern, and northwestern frontiers of the United States, and for other purposes," each of the several collectors of customs in the following districts on the said frontiers, to wit: Pembina, Chicago, Milwaukie, Sault Sainte Marie, Detroit, Miami, Sandusky, Cuyahoga, Presque Isle, (hereafter to be called Erie,) Dunkirk, Buffalo, Niagara, Genesee, Oswego, Cape Vincent, Oswegatchie, Champlain, and Vermont, shall receive an annual compensation of one thousand dollars, and, in addition thereto, the fees now collected under the general regulations of the treasury department of February, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, and a commission of three per centum on all moneys collected and accounted for by them respectively: *Provided,* That the aggregate compensation derived from salary, fees, and commissions, shall not in any case exceed the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars per annum, subject to the provisions of the act entitled "An act relative to collectors and other officers of the customs," approved February eleventh, eighteen hundred and forty-six. And whenever the aggregate of salary, fees, and commissions shall in any case exceed the said sum of twenty-five hundred dollars, after deducting the necessary expenses incident to the said office, for and during the same period for which said compensation is allowed, the excess shall, in every such case, be paid into the treasury of the United States. The fees and emoluments of all kinds to be accounted for as provided by the twelfth section of the act of the seventh of May, eighteen hundred and twenty-two.

Not to exceed a certain sum. 1846, ch. 7. Vol. ix. p. 3.

Fees, &c., how to be accounted for. 1822, ch. 107, § 12. Vol. iii. p. 695.

What fees may be charged.

Certain territory, waters, &c., added to the Milwaukie district.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the collectors and other officers of customs on the said frontiers shall be authorized to charge and collect the same fees as are now allowed by law to be charged and collected by the collectors and other officers of customs.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That all the territory, harbors, and waters on the eastern shore of the State of Wisconsin, bordering on Lake Michigan, heretofore embraced in the district of Michilimackinac, and lying within the limits of the State of Wisconsin, shall be, and the same are hereby, attached to and made part of the collection district of Milwaukie, in the State of Wisconsin.

Bonds of collectors, naval officers, &c., now approved and kept.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That all bonds given by collectors of customs, naval officers, surveyors, and by all officers of the customs throughout the United States, shall be approved by the commissioner of customs, in whose office they are now required to be filed.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from and after the thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and sixty-four. When act takes effect.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That the act entitled "An act to regulate the foreign and coasting trade on the northern, northeastern, and northwestern frontiers of the United States, and for other purposes," approved second March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be, and the same are hereby, repealed. Repeal of act of 1831, ch. 98, and of inconsistent acts.

APPROVED, June 17, 1864.

CHAP. CXXXI. — *An Act to regulate the Veto Power in the Territory of Washington.* June 17, 1864.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That every bill which shall have passed the legislative assembly of Washington Territory shall, before it become a law, be presented to the governor. If he approve he shall sign it, but if not he shall return it, with his objections, to that house in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large on their journal, and proceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, two thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if approved by two thirds of that house it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for and against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within five days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law, in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the legislative assembly by their adjournment prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law. Veto power of the governor of Washington Territory.

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CHAP. CXXXII. — *An Act to empower the Superannuated Fund Society of the Maryland Annual Conference to hold Property in the District of Columbia and to take a Devise under the Will of the late William Doughty.* June 17, 1864.

WHEREAS a certain William Doughty, of Georgetown, in the District of Columbia, by his last will, bearing date on the twenty-ninth day of April, eighteen hundred and fifty-nine, duly admitted to probate, devised and bequeathed certain real and personal property and estate — part thereof to take effect at his death, and the residue at the death or marriage of his widow — to a society incorporated by act of the general assembly of Maryland, by the name of "The Superannuated Fund Society of the Maryland Annual Conference," and called in said will The Superannuated Fund Society of the Methodist Protestant Church for the District of Maryland; and whereas it has been questioned whether the said corporation can lawfully take and hold the said property, in virtue of said last will, without the leave and assent of congress: Therefore — The Superannuated Fund Society may hold, &c., certain property in the District of Columbia.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the assent of congress is hereby given to all and every the aforementioned devises and bequests unto "The Superannuated Fund Society of the Maryland Annual Conference" aforesaid; and the said society and body corporate is hereby fully authorized and empowered to take and hold the said property and estate devised and bequeathed to it as aforesaid, agreeably to the tenor and provisions of the said last will, and to dispose of and enjoy the same to every intent and effect as if the said society had been originally incorporated by act of congress.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the said corporation is hereby empowered to hold real and personal property located in the District Property, real and personal, to