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Sixty-Second Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 142.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE.

AN ACT to amend section twenty-three of chapter fifty-two of the Revised Statutes relating to Certificates of Inspection of Steamboats and Inspectors' Fees for Pilots, etc.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section twenty-three of chapter fifty-two of 2 the Revised Statutes is hereby amended so 3 as to read as follows:

'SECT. 23. The inspectors shall each receive 5 from the State the sum of four dollars per day for 6 the time they are actually employed under this act, 7 and shall also be paid their actual traveling ex-8 penses incurred in performing the duties imposed

9 upon them by this act. The owners of each vessel 10 inspected and certified under this act shall pay to 11 the inspectors the sum of five dollars, and each 12 person licensed under this act shall pay to the in-13 spectors the sum of two dollars for each original 14 license, and two dollars for each renewal of the 15 same; provided, that in the case of vessels of less 16 than five tons of measurement the owners of each 17 vessel inspected and certified under this act shall 18 pay to the inspectors the sum of five dollars, and 19 two dollars for each renewal of the same, and each 20 person licensed under this act shall pay to the 21 inspectors the sum of fifty cents for each original 22 license and fifty cents for each renewal of the 23 same; provided, also, that in cases where the master 24 is also pilot of the vessel he shall not be required 25 to hold two licenses, but may act in either or both 26 capacities under one license, such license stating 27 on its face that he is authorized to do so. 28 The inspectors shall account for all such sums to 29 the Governor and Council, and pay the same into 30 State treasury. The accounts of the inspectors 31 for compensation and expenses under this act shall 32 be audited by the Governor and Council.

STATE OF MAINE.

In House of Representatives, February 20, 1885.

Reported from Committee on Commerce, by Mr. HOLT; ordered printed under joint rule.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Clerk