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Sixty-Seventh Legislature.

SENATE. No. 241.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-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, as amended by chapter three hundred and nine of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five.

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

Section twenty-three of chapter fifty-two of the Revised 2 Statutes as amended by chapter three hundred and nine 3 of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, 4 is hereby amended by striking out all that part of said 5 amended section between the words "vessels of" in the 6 eleventh line and "provided" in the seventeenth line, and 7 inserting in place thereof the words 'five tons of measure-

8 ment or less, no fees, either for inspection or for licenses 9 shall be required or paid,' so that said section, as amended, 10 shall read as follows:

'Section 23. The inspectors shall each receive from the 12 state, the sum of four dollars per day for the time they 13 are actually employed under this act, and shall also be 14 paid their actual traveling expenses incurred in perform-15 ing the duties imposed upon them by this act. The 16 owners of each vessel inspected and certified under this 17 act, shall pay to the inspectors the sum of five dollars, 18 and each person licensed under this act, shall pay to the 19 inspectors the sum of two dollars for each original license, 20 and two dollars for each renewal of the same; provided, 21 that in the case of vessels of five tons of measurement or 22 less, no fees, either for inspection or for licenses shall be 23 required or paid; provided, also, that in cases where the 24 master is also pilot of the vessel he shall not be required 25 to hold two licenses, but may act in either or both capaci-26 ties under one license, such license stating on its face that 27 he is authorized to do so. The inspectors shall account 28 for all such sums to the governor and council, and pay 29 the same into the state treasury. The accounts of the 30 inspectors for compensation and expenses under this act, 31 shall be audited by the governor and council.'

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STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, March 15, 1895.

Reported by Mr. MAXWELL, from Committee on Interior Waters; and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, Secretary.