

AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEES OF DEPUTY SHERIFFS.

Chap. 190

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

SECTION 1. There shall hereafter be paid for the attendance of a deputy sheriff upon the supreme judicial court, the superior court, or a meeting of the county commissioners, by their order, three dollars a day; and for travel out and home once a week during the attendance, five cents a mile, to be paid out of the county treasury.

Pay for attendance and travel defined.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved April 25, 1866.

AN ACT TO CONFIRM CERTAIN ACTS DONE BY GEORGE F. McLELLAN, AS A COMMISSIONER FOR MASSACHUSETTS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Chap. 191

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

SECTION 1. All acts done by George F. McLellan, esquire, of Washington, in the district of Columbia, as a commissioner for Massachusetts in said district, between the twenty-second day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and the tenth day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, are hereby confirmed and made valid to the same extent as they would have been valid had he been during that interval duly qualified to discharge the duties of the said office.

Acts from Aug., '65, to April, '66, confirmed.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved April 25, 1866.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A COMMISSIONER OF SAVINGS BANKS.

Chap. 192

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

SECTION 1. A commissioner of savings banks shall be appointed by the governor, with advice and consent of the council, and subject to removal in like manner. He shall hold office for the term of three years, unless sooner removed. Upon the occurrence of a vacancy before the expiration of a term, an appointment shall be made for the remainder of the term.

Governor to appoint: tenure defined.

SECTION 2. Before entering on the duties of his office the commissioner shall be sworn. He shall visit every savings bank and institution for savings, incorporated by authority of this state, once in every year, and as much oftener as he may deem expedient. At such visits he shall have free access to the vaults, books and papers, and shall thoroughly inspect and examine all the affairs of each of said corporations, and make such inquiries as may be necessary to ascertain its condition, ability to fulfil all its engagements, and whether it has complied with the provisions of law. He shall preserve in a

Shall visit banks, examine condition, and make record of proceedings.