

A bill

To regulate the pay of certain collectors of the Customs and for other purposes -

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled -

That from and after the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848. there shall be allowed to the several collectors of the Customs, ~~except~~ the necessary expenses incident to their respective offices, for rent, fuel, and stationery - under such limitations as the Secretary of the Treasury may deem reasonable and proper - <sup>the provisions of</sup> Provided that this section shall not extend to or affect such collectors as ~~now~~ receive the maximum for their services ~~now~~ provided by law, and shall not prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from continuing to pay for clerks in the Customs Houses when they have heretofore been employed -

Sec.

2. And be it further enacted -

Sept. 2<sup>d</sup>

That from and after the 30<sup>th</sup> day of ~~June~~ 1848. the Inspector at the Port of Petersburg in the State of Virginia shall receive a Salary of Five Hundred dollars per annum, and no more for his services - and that the collector of said Port, <sup>of Petersburg and of Newark in the State of N.J.</sup> shall receive a Salary of One Thousand dollars per annum - and that all fees, fines, forfeitures and penalties <sup>paid to them, by law,</sup> of every kind, shall accrue to and be <sup>paid</sup> into the Treasury of the United States - and that the collector of the Port of Salem in the State of Massachusetts shall <sup>after</sup> from the aforesaid day receive and be entitled to one per cent on the amount of duties collected by him instead of five eighths per cent as now provided by law -

262.91 Petersburg  
448.72 Newark  
1480 Salem \$2430.81

A bill 631

To provide for

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H.R. 631

(no report)

August 3. 1848

Read twice & Committed to  
the Committee of the whole  
House on the State of the  
Union.

Mr Grinnell from the  
Committee on Commerce  
reported the following  
bill

A Bill

(see within)