

SEC. 36. *And be it enacted,* That the officers and crew of the steamer aforesaid, shall each receive one ration per day of the quality and quantity such as is allowed by law to the officers and crew of the Revenue Marine of the United States, but no rations shall be allowed to officers or crews of the sailing vessels.

Rations.

SEC. 37. *And be it enacted,* That the officers and crew aforesaid, shall be paid monthly by the Treasurer, upon warrant of the Comptroller, and the certificate of commanding officers, that their duties have been performed as required by law; and the Board of Commissioners of the State Fishery Force shall have power to appoint some suitable person to perform the duty of clerk to said commissioners, and allow such compensation to said clerk as in their judgment may be proper; provided, the amount so paid does not exceed five hundred dollars per annum.

Shall be paid monthly.

SEC. 38. *And be it enacted,* That nothing contained in this act shall affect any suits, actions, presentments or indictments now pending before any tribunal in this State, which have been instituted under the provisions of the article hereby repealed.

Not to affect.

SEC. 39. *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act shall be construed so as to apply to Worcester county.

Not to apply.

SEC. 40. *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit vessels from seeking harbors in any waters of this State.

Construed.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

In force.

Approved, March 30th, 1874.