

Madison street vacated.

Y street opened.

Provisos.

Reversion.

Donation.

to abandon and vacate that part of Madison street, Georgetown, from the west line of Back street, westwardly to the west line of Beattie and Hawkins addition to Georgetown; and to open and dedicate Y street at its present width eastwardly from the west line of said addition to Back street; *Provided however*, That the ground in the street so abandoned and vacated shall accrue and belong to the abutting property: *And provided also*, That the ground needed to extend Y street, as aforesaid, shall be donated to the District for that purpose.

Approved, May 25, 1892.

May 25, 1892.

CHAP. 79.—An act for the relief of holders of drawback certificates issued under an act of Congress approved June second, eighteen hundred and ninety.

District of Columbia.

Drawback certificates receivable for all taxes.

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Proviso.

Limit receivable.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the drawback certificates issued under an act of Congress approved June second, eighteen hundred and ninety, shall be received in payment of all general taxes due the District of Columbia, in addition to the arrears of taxes for which they are now receivable: *Provided*, That not to exceed one half the amount of said certificates outstanding shall be so received during the fiscal year to end June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and the amount not then received shall be receivable for current taxes of and during the subsequent fiscal year.

Approved, May 25, 1892.

May 31, 1892.

CHAP. 83.—An act for the protection of livery-stable keepers and other persons keeping horses at livery within the District of Columbia.

District of Columbia.

Livery-stable keepers may detain animals for charges.

Proviso.

Notice.

Enforcement of lien.

Lien in force after notice.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be lawful for all persons keeping or boarding any animals at livery within the District of Columbia, under any agreement with the owner thereof, to detain such animals until all charges under such agreement for the care, keep, or board of such animals shall have been paid: *Provided, however*, That notice in writing shall first be given to such owner in person or his last known place of residence of the amount of such charges and the intention to detain such animal or animals until such charges shall be paid. And such persons at any time may maintain an action in any of the courts of the District of Columbia to enforce such lien and procure a sale of the said animals for the payment of the said keeping and board and the cost of such action.

SEC. 2. That from the time of giving such notice and while such horse or horses, animal or animals, are so detained, and no longer, such livery-stable keeper or other person shall have a lien upon such horse or horses, animal or animals, for the purpose of satisfying any execution which may be issued upon a judgment obtained for such charges.

Approved, May 31, 1892.

June 3, 1892.

CHAP. 85.—An act making Laredo, Texas, a subport of entry.

Corpus Christi collection district, Texas.

R. S., sec. 2578, p. 510, amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph three of section twenty-five hundred and seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes be, and the same is hereby, amended so that it shall read:

“Third. The district of Corpus Christi, to comprise all the waters and shores within the counties of Nueces, Zapata, Duval, (Enciniao) Encinal, Webb, LaSalle, McMullen, Live Oak, Bee, Refugio, and San

Patricio, as bounded on the twenty-eighth day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, in which Corpus Christi shall be the port of entry, Laredo a subport of entry, and Aransas a port of delivery."

Approved, June 3, 1892.

Laredo a subport of entry.

CHAP. 86.—An act to amend sections twenty-eight hundred and seven and twenty-eight hundred and eighty-one of the Revised Statutes.

June 3, 1892.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section twenty-eight hundred and seven of the Revised Statutes be amended by adding after the word "respectively," in the first paragraph, the following words, to wit: "*Provided, however,* That the master of a vessel laden exclusively either with sugar, coal, salt, hides, dyewoods, wool, or jute butts, consigned to one consignee, arriving at a port for orders, may be permitted to destine such cargo or determine its disposition "for orders," upon entering the vessel at the custom-house, and, within fifteen days afterward and before the unloading of any part of the cargo, to amend the manifest by designating the actual port of discharge of such cargo: *Provided further,* That in the event of failure to designate the port of discharge within fifteen days such cargo must be discharged at the port where the vessel entered."

Ship's manifest.
R. S., sec. 2807, p. 543,
amended.

Provisos.

Touching for orders.

Amendment of manifest.

Limitation of time.

SEC. 2. That section twenty-eight hundred and eighty-one of the Revised Statutes be amended so as to read as follows:

"**SEC. 2881.** The limitation of time for unloading, prescribed by the preceding section, shall not extend to vessels laden exclusively with coal, salt, sugar, hides, dyewoods, wool, or jute butts, consigned to one consignee, arriving at a port for orders; but if the master of any such vessel requires a longer time to discharge her cargo, the wages or compensation of the inspector, for every day's attendance exceeding the number of days allowed by law, shall be paid by the master or owner; and thereupon the collector is hereby authorized and required to allow such longer time, not exceeding fifteen days.

Extension of time for cargoes of coal, salt, sugar, hides, etc.
R. S., sec. 2881, p. 558,
amended.

Approved, June 3, 1892.

CHAP. 87.—An act to repeal the license tax of twenty-five dollars per year now imposed upon produce-dealers in the markets of the District of Columbia.

June 3, 1892.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the annual corporation license tax of twenty-five dollars per year, now imposed by an ordinance of the District of Columbia upon dealers in farmers' produce, such as butter and cheese, poultry, eggs, fruits, and vegetables, or any other articles of family provisions, in the markets of the District of Columbia, is hereby repealed, to take effect at the end of the present license year, April one, eighteen hundred and ninety-two.

District of Columbia.

License tax on market produce dealers repealed.

SEC. 2. That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved, June 3, 1892.

CHAP. 88.—An act to establish West Point, Virginia, a subport of entry and delivery in the Collection district of Richmond, Virginia.

June 4, 1892.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That West Point, in said collection district, be, and hereby is, constituted a subport of entry in said collection district, and that a deputy collector and such other officers of the customs as may be deemed necessary by the Secretary

Richmond collection district, Va.

West Point made a subport of entry.
Officers.