

Payment of awards.

be repaid to the District of Columbia from the assessment for benefits when the same are collected, and a sufficient sum to pay the amounts of all judgments and awards is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the District of Columbia.

Approved, January 21, 1907.

January 22, 1907.
[S. 6578.]

[Public, No. 24.]

CHAP. 384.—An Act To amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of a sealer and assistant sealer of weights and measures in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes," approved March second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and to amend an Act amendatory thereof approved June twentieth, nineteen hundred and six.

District of Columbia.
Weights and measures.
Vol. 23, p. 812.
Ante, p. 315.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section ten of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of a sealer and assistant sealer of weights and measures in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes," approved March second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and the Act amendatory thereof approved June twentieth, nineteen hundred and six, be, and the same are hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

Sales of provisions, etc., not to be under actual weight, etc.
Ante, p. 315, amended.

"**SEC. 10.** No person shall sell or offer for sale anywhere in the District of Columbia, any provisions or produce or commodities of any kind for a weight or measure greater than the actual or true weight or measure thereof; and all provisions, produce, or commodities of any kind shall when sold by weight or measure, be weighed by scales, weights, or balances, or measured in measures duly tested and sealed by the sealer or an assistant sealer of weights and measures: *Provided*, That berries, when offered for sale in an original package or basket containing a standard measure, may be sold in said package or basket without the same having been first tested and sealed; but in no case shall said basket be refilled for use in the sale of berries or produce of any kind whatsoever: *And provided further*, That poultry and vegetables, usually sold by the head or bunch, may be offered for sale and sold in other manner than by weight or measure; but in all cases where the person intending to purchase shall so desire and request, poultry shall be weighed, as hereinbefore prescribed: *And provided further*, That scales reported not in use shall be sealed down, and said seal shall not be broken except by authority of the sealer of weights and measures."

Provisos.
Berries in original packages permitted.

Poultry and vegetables.

Sealing scales not in use.

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[Public, No. 25.]

District of Columbia.
Seventeenth street northwest.
Condemning land for extending.
Ante, p. 151.

CHAP. 385.—An Act Authorizing the extension of Seventeenth street northwest.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, under and in accordance with the provisions of sections four hundred and ninety-one a to four hundred and ninety-one n, both inclusive, of subchapter one of chapter fifteen of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, within sixty days after the passage of this Act the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to institute in the supreme court of the District of Columbia a proceeding in rem to condemn the land that may be necessary for the extension of Seventeenth street from Kenyon street to Irving street, with a width of ninety feet.

Assessments.
Ante, p. 152.

Proviso.
Damages, etc., assessed as benefits.

SEC. 2. That assessments shall be made by the jury as benefits as contemplated in section four hundred and ninety-one g of the subchapter of the Code hereinbefore referred to: *Provided*, That the total amount found to be due and awarded as damages, plus the cost