

the validity of the election of Thomas S. Bell, returned as elected a senator from the third senatorial district, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, agreeably to the report of said committee, and shall draw his warrant on the state treasurer in favor of said witnesses, respectively, for the amount found to be due to them respectively, for their attendance as witnesses as aforesaid, which warrant shall be paid out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DANIEL L. SHERWOOD,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No 11.

RESOLUTION

Explanatory of the supplement to an act, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and three, to establish a board of wardens of the port of Philadelphia, and for other purposes, approved February fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That in the proviso of the fourth section of the supplement to an act, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and three, to establish a board of wardens of the port of Philadelphia, and for other purposes, approved February fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, nothing shall be construed so as to abridge or impair, in any manner, the authority of the wardens of the port of Philadelphia, in the regulations of pilots and other matters, as provided in the act of March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and three; and that the proviso of the sixth section of said supplement, to wit: "*Provided, That the said fees shall not be collected on vessels under the burthen of seventy-five tons, nor on any canal boats trading on the canals of this commonwealth, and shall not exceed fifty cents on each vessel,*" shall be so construed as to authorize the wardens of the port of Philadelphia to collect a sum not exceeding fifty cents on each vessel, for each and every voyage by such vessel performed, and no more.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DANIEL L. SHERWOOD,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

FRS. R. SHUNK.