fied voters shall be those persons residing and paying taxes within the limits of the district in which the poll is opened. Those who are for this act, shall write on their ballots "school," and those opposed, "no school." It shall be the duty of the superintendents of the voting to make immediate return of the votes cast to the levy court, and if it shall appear that a majority have voted "school," the said court shall proceed, with as little delay as possible, to levy and cause to be collected the taxes as is provided for in this act, and this act shall be considered as in force within the limits of that district.

Act not to apply to a district rejecting it. But a second ballot may be had.

SEC. 37. *And be it further enacted*, That if any of the school districts reject this act, by casting a majority of votes against it, the act shall in nowise apply to that district; but if at any time a majority of the taxable inhabitants of said district shall desire to take a second ballot it shall be the duty of the levy court again to submit the question in the manner pointed out in the last preceding section.

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CHAP. LXXXVII.—*An Act to provide for carrying into Effect the first Article of the Treaty between the United States and her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland of the fifteenth day of June, eighteen hundred and forty-six.*

Officers appointed to run the boundary line under treaty with Great Britain of June 15, 1846, vol. ix. p. 869.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the purpose of carrying into effect the first article of the treaty between the United States and her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland of the fifteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, there shall be appointed by the President of the United States, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a commissioner, and chief astronomer and surveyor, to unite with similar officers to be appointed by her Britannic Majesty's government; and there shall be appointed by the President an assistant astronomer and surveyor.

Secretary and clerk.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the said commissioner shall have power to appoint a secretary; and the said chief astronomer and surveyor shall have power to appoint a clerk.

Appropriation for pay and support of said officers, and for contingencies.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That, for the purpose of carrying into effect the said first article of the said treaty, there be appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the following sums:—

For the salary of the commissioner for one year, three thousand dollars.

For the salary of the secretary, for one year, two thousand dollars.

For the salary of the chief astronomer and surveyor, for one year, three thousand dollars.

For the salary of the assistant astronomer and surveyor, eighteen hundred dollars.

For the salary of the clerk, for one year, twelve hundred dollars.

For provisions, transportation, and contingencies, sixty thousand dollars.

Boundary of Washington territory only to be marked.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That until otherwise provided for by law, the proceedings of the said commission shall be limited to the demarcation of that part of the said line of boundary which forms the boundary line between Washington Territory and the British possessions.

Officers, &c., and vessels of coast survey may be employed to assist.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That, for the purpose of aiding in the demarcation of the said line, the President be authorized, in his discretion, to direct the employment of such officers, assistants, and vessels attached to the coast survey of the United States as he may deem necessary or useful.

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