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The permittee shall not rent the conduit or pipe or any portion thereof.

Penalty.

SEC. 2. That on violation of any of the above provisions or restrictions, the said Commissioners shall require the permittee, after thirty days' notice, to abandon the use of said conduits or pipes and remove them from the alley or alleys in which they are located, and if said permittee shall neglect or refuse to remove said conduits or pipes and place the surface of the alley in good condition within sixty days after the date of said notice, the said permittee shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to a fine of ten dollars for each and every day that said conduits or pipes are allowed to remain in the alley, or the said alley shall remain out of repair, which fine shall be recovered in the police court of said District, in the name of said District, as other fines and penalties are now recovered in said court.

Amendment.

SEC. 3. That Congress reserves the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act.

Approved, May 26, 1900.

May 26, 1900.

CHAP. 588.—An Act To amend an Act regulating the inspection of flour in the District of Columbia, approved December twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight.

District of Columbia. Inspection of flour. Vol. 30, p. 766, amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section six of the Act entitled "An Act regulating the inspection of flour in the District of Columbia," approved December twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, be amended by striking out the last clause of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Penalty for selling unbranded, etc., flour.

"And no barrel, half barrel, or sack of flour not examined and branded by the inspector as aforesaid shall be sold within the District under fine of one dollar for each and every barrel, half barrel, or sack, to be collected as other fines and penalties are collected."

Approved, May 26, 1900.

May 26, 1900.

CHAP. 589.—An Act To provide for officers in the customs district of Hawaii.

Hawaii. Customs officers authorized.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be in the customs district of Hawaii one collector, who shall reside at Honolulu, and who shall receive a salary of four thousand dollars per annum, and such deputy collectors and other customs officers as the Secretary of the Treasury shall deem necessary.

Approved, May 26, 1900.

May 26, 1900.

CHAP. 590.—An Act To detach the county of Concho from the western judicial district of Texas and attach the same to the northern judicial district of Texas, and for other purposes.

Texas judicial district. Concho County transferred from western to northern district. Pending cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the county of Concho, in the State of Texas, is hereby detached from the western and attached to the northern judicial district of the State of Texas.

SEC. 2. That all offenses heretofore committed in said county of Concho of which the district court of said western judicial district has jurisdiction and upon which proceedings have been taken shall be tried and prosecuted in said western judicial district. Civil suits and proceedings now pending in the circuit or district courts in said State shall not be affected by this Act.