

## PILOTAGE.—BY—LAWS

FOR THE DISTRICT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF PILOTS FOR THE SAID DISTRICT UNDER THE DOMINION ACT, 36 VIC., CAP. 54, INTITULED "AN ACT RESPECTING PILOTAGE, 1873," WITH ITS SEVERAL AMENDMENTS AND SUBSEQUENT ORDERS IN COUNCIL. ALL PILOTAGE DUES ARE COMPULSORY.

### *Licenses.*

1. Every person now holding a license as a Pilot under the "British Columbia Pilotage Ordinance, 1867," shall forthwith surrender the same to the Pilotage Authority of British Columbia, and shall, if entitled thereto, receive a License as a Pilot for the District of British Columbia, on the payment of a fee of Fifty Dollars.

2. Every person not already licensed, applying to be licensed as a pilot for the District of British Columbia, must make a written application to the Pilotage Authority, he must be a British subject, and a resident of British Columbia, not less than 21 years of age, and must produce certificates from the Masters of the vessels in which he has served as to his capability as a seaman; and before being appointed, he shall be examined before Examiners appointed for that purpose by the Pilotage Authority touching his qualifications and practical knowledge of the management of square-rigged vessels and steamboats, and of the navigation of the said Pilotage District; and if after such examination he shall be deemed qualified, and shall be found to be of good moral character and temperate habits, he shall receive a license to act as a pilot, on payment of \$20 for the expense of such examination, and a license fee of Fifty dollars.

3. Pilotage certificates may be issued by the Pilotage Authority of British Columbia to Masters and Mates of vessels plying regularly within the waters of British Columbia, or of steamers plying regularly once a week or oftener between Victoria and any of the various ports on Puget Sound, on application in writing to the Pilotage Authority. Such applicants must be of not less than 21 years of age, and on payment of \$100, a certificate to act as pilot for a term of 12 months will be granted such certificate to specify the name of the vessel and the ports to and from which such vessel shall ply, and such certificate may be renewed from year to year on payment of an annual fee of \$100 as the Pilotage Authority may think fit.

### *Boats.*

4. All boats to be licensed as Pilot Boats shall be surveyed by or on behalf of the Pilotage Authority, and if satisfactory, shall be licensed for a term of 12 months, on payment of a fee of \$20 each, and such boats shall be surveyed annually, and if found satisfactory shall have their licenses renewed for a term of 12 months on payment of a fee of \$20.