

No. 344.

## AN ACT

To amend section three of an act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and twenty-two), entitled "An act relating to dogs, and the protection of livestock and poultry from damage by dogs; providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture; providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors; regulating the keeping of dogs, and authorizing their destruction in certain cases; providing for the protection of licensed dogs, and for dogs temporarily imported for trial, show, and breeding purposes; prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs, and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners; providing for the assessment of damages done to livestock and poultry by dogs, and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs, and the payment of such damages by the Commonwealth; imposing powers and duties upon certain State, county, city, borough, town, and township officers and employes; directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury; and making an appropriation thereof; and providing penalties"; appointing the county treasurer as agent of the Commonwealth, and authorizing him to retain certain fees for issuing said licenses; and providing for the disposition of fees collected hereunder.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section three of an act, approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and twenty-two), entitled "An act relating to dogs, and the protection of livestock and poultry from damage by dogs; providing for the licensing of dogs by the Secretary of Agriculture; providing for the enumeration of dogs by assessors; regulating the keeping of dogs, and authorizing their destruction in certain cases; providing for the protection of licensed dogs, and for dogs temporarily imported for trial, show, and breeding purposes; prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs and dogs owned or used by the Board of Game Commissioners; providing for the assessment of damages done to livestock and poultry by dogs, and for the illegal killing of licensed dogs, and the payment of such damage by the Commonwealth; imposing powers and duties upon certain State, county, city, borough, town, and township officers and employes; directing the payment of all moneys collected into the State Treasury; and making an appropriation thereof; and providing penalties," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Dog licenses.

Section 3 of act of  
May 11, 1921 (P.  
L. 522), amended.

Section 3. On or before the fifteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and on or before the fifteenth day of January of each year thereafter, the owner of any dog six months old or over shall apply to the county treasurer of his respective county, or to a qualified justice of the peace, alderman, magistrate, or notary public of his respective district, either orally or in writing, for a license for such dog

Application for.

owned or kept by him. Such application shall state the breed, sex, age, color, and marking of such dog, and the name and address of the last previous owner; and shall be accompanied by a license fee of one dollar for each male dog and each spayed female dog; and by a license fee of two dollars for each unspayed female dog. The applicant shall also pay an additional fee of ten cents for the [services of the county treasurer in] issuing, recording, and reporting said license to the Secretary of Agriculture and remitting fees and fines to the State Treasurer. *The county treasurers of the several counties of this Commonwealth shall be agents of the Commonwealth for the collection of said license fees; and for services rendered in collecting and paying over the same the said agents shall be allowed to retain the sum of ten cents from the amount paid by each licensee, which amount shall be paid into the county treasury, except that said county treasurers may retain out of said fees amounts necessary to reimburse them for any expenses, including the compensation of necessary employes incurred in the collection and transmission of money for the Commonwealth under the provisions of this act: Provided, however, That the number and compensation of such employes shall have been approved by the Secretary of Agriculture of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. County treasurers shall also be entitled to retain out of fees heretofore received hereunder amounts heretofore actually expended for the payment of expenses, including the compensation of employes actually incurred in the collection and transmission of money under the provisions of this act. Except as hereinbefore provided all fees heretofore retained under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the respective county treasuries.*

Fee.

County treasurers to be agents for collection.

County treasurers may retain expenses.

Proviso.

APPROVED—The 13th day of May, A. D. 1925.

GIFFORD PINCHOT.

No. 345.

### AN ACT

To amend section one of the act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred forty-two), entitled "An act to provide for the licensing of transient retail merchants in cities, boroughs, and townships; and providing a penalty for the failure to obtain such license."

Licensing of transient retail merchants.

Section 1 of act of May 24, 1923 (P. L. 442), amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of the act, approved the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred forty-two), entitled "An act to provide for the licensing of transient, retail merchants