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SEC. 948. Any accident, except such as is impossible to be foreseen or avoided, that may happen to any steamboat, from racing, carrying higher steam than may be allowed by law, running into or foul of another boat, or that may occur whilst the captain, pilot or engineer is engaged in gambling or attending any game of chance or hazard, or whenever an accident happens from the boat being overloaded, the owner of the boat shall be responsible for all loss or damage, and shall be barred from the recovery of freight or insurance; and the officer violating the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of not less than five hundred nor more than two thousand dollars, and imprisonment for not less than three months nor more than three years; and in the event of loss of life being the result of such accident, then said officers shall be adjudged guilty of manslaughter.

Penalties in case of accident

D. sec. 3651; Act 1855, p. 468.

SEC. 949. When gunpowder is shipped on board of a steamboat it shall be stored away at as great a distance as possible from the furnace, and a written notification of the fact shall be placed in three conspicuous parts of the boat; and in the event of such notification not being so exhibited, then for any loss of property or life for which the powder may be deemed the cause, the owner and captain shall be liable to the penalty provided in the preceding section.

Formalities required when gunpowder is received on board.

D. sec. 3652.

SEC. 950. Any person who shall ship or put on board, or cause to be shipped or put on board of any steamboat within this State, any gunpowder, without giving notice thereof, at the time of making the shipment, to the master or clerk of said boat, shall be liable to a penalty of two hundred dollars, which may be sued for and recovered by the owner, captain or clerk of said boat, for his own use and benefit; and in case of any loss of property in consequence of gunpowder being on board of said boat, the shipper that shall have failed to give due notice as herein required, shall be liable therefor, or for any injury done to any person or to his family; and in the case of loss of life the person who shall have shipped the same without giving due notice thereof, shall, on conviction, be adjudged guilty of manslaughter.

Penalty for shipping gunpowder without notice.

D. sec. 3653, 408, 409, 2705—Pilots.

AUCTION SALES.

SEC. 951. It shall be the duty of every auctioneer who shall offer for sale jewelry of any kind or description to announce to the persons present, in a loud voice, whether the same be gold, silver or base metal before proceeding to sell the same; also whether the article offered is to be sold by the lot or by the piece, and, if by the piece, the

Their duty when offering jewelry.