

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That each and every person who shall take the oath herein prescribed, and who shall swear falsely to any matter of fact embraced by it, shall be held to have committed the crime of perjury, and shall be subject to the pains and penalties declared against that crime.

APPROVED, June 17, 1862.

CHAP. CIV. — *An Act making Provision for raising Property of the United States sunk in the Waters thereof.* June 17, 1862.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Navy be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to contract with such person or persons as he shall deem most for the public service for raising such vessels, their armaments, stores, or equipments, belonging to the United States, and sunk in the waters thereof; and that the sum of one hundred thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to carry the provisions of this act into effect.

APPROVED, June 17, 1862.

CHAP. CV. — *An Act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to change the Names of certain Vessels.* June 17, 1862.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be and hereby is authorized to change the name of the schooner "Frank Pierce," owned by A. Emerson and Company, of Youngstown, State of New York, to that of "General Sigel;" and also to change the name of the vessel "Maury," owned by A. A. Low and Brothers, of Brooklyn, State of New York, to that of "Benefactress;" and also to change the name of the bark "Henry H. Didier," owned by William Applegarth and William Hubbard, of Baltimore, State of Maryland, to that of the "Flora;" and to grant said vessels registers in said respective names.

APPROVED, June 17, 1862.

CHAP. CVIII. — *An Act to direct the Secretary of the Treasury to issue American Registers to certain Vessels.* June 18, 1862.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed to issue American registers to the vessels "North Star" and "Dolphin," of the Oswego collection district, in the State of New York, the same being Canadian-built vessels but now owned by American citizens.

APPROVED, June 18, 1862.

CHAP. CIX. — *An Act providing that the Officers of Volunteers shall be paid on the Pay-Rolls of the Regiments or Companies to which they belong.* June 18, 1862.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That company officers of volunteers shall be paid on the muster and pay rolls of their company, party, or detachment, and not otherwise, except when such officer may be on detached service without troops, or on leave of absence.

APPROVED, June 18, 1862.

CHAP. CX. — *An Act making Appropriations for Postal Service on Post Routes established at the present Session of Congress.* June 18, 1862.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the sum of one hundred

Swearing falsely in taking the oath, to be perjury.

Secretary of Navy may contract for raising certain sunken vessels, &c.

Appropriation.

Names of certain vessels may be changed.

The Frank Pierce.

The Maury.

The Henry H. Didier.

Registers to be granted.

Register to issue to the "North Star" and "Dolphin."

Company officers of volunteers, on what rolls to be paid.

Appropriations for postal service.

and fifty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for postal service on such mail routes established by the present Congress as the Postmaster General may deem necessary and expedient.

APPROVED, June 18, 1862.

June 19, 1862. CHAP. CXI. — *An Act to secure Freedom to all Persons within the Territories of the United States.*

Freedom in the Territories secur-

Post, p. 811.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That from and after the passage of this act there shall be neither slavery nor involuntary servitude in any of the Territories of the United States now existing, or which may at any time hereafter be formed or acquired by the United States, otherwise than in punishment of crimes whereof the party shall have been duly convicted.

APPROVED, June 19, 1862.

June 19, 1862. CHAP. CXII. — *An Act to change the Location of the Port of Entry for the Puget Sound Collection District.*

Port of entry for Puget Sound collection district.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That from and after the first day of October, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, the port of Port Townsend, in the district of Puget Sound, in Washington Territory, is hereby abolished as a port of entry; and that Port Angelos be and is hereby established as the port of entry and delivery for the said district from and after the said date.

APPROVED, June 19, 1862.

June 20, 1862. CHAP. CXVI. — *An Act to change the Port of Entry for the District of Brunswick, Georgia.*

Port of entry for the district of Brunswick, Georgia.

Deputy collector at Darien.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That from and after the first day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, the port of entry for the district of Brunswick, Georgia, shall be Brunswick, and that Darien shall be abolished as the port of entry.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That there shall be a deputy collector appointed, according to law, to reside at Darien, and to exercise such powers as the Secretary of the Treasury, under the revenue laws, may prescribe.

APPROVED. June 20. 1862.

July 1, 1862. CHAP. CXIX. — *An Act to provide Internal Revenue to support the Government and to pay Interest on the Public Debt.*

1842, ch. 163, § 27. Post, pp. 561, 627.

1863, ch. 74. Post, p. 713.

Office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue, created.

Commissioner, appointment, salary, duty, &c., to prepare rules, forms, blanks, &c.,

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That, for the purpose of superintending the collection of internal duties, stamp duties, licenses, or taxes imposed by this act, or which may be hereafter imposed, and of assessing the same, an office is hereby created in the Treasury Department to be called the office of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue; and the President of the United States is hereby authorized to nominate, and, with the advice and consent of the Senate, to appoint, a Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with an annual salary of four thousand dollars, who shall be charged, and hereby is charged, under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, with preparing all the instructions, regulations, directions, forms, blanks, stamps, and licenses, and distributing the same,