

necessary, their compensation not to exceed three dollars per day or the rate thereof for the time actually employed.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That no enumerator, clerk, interpreter or other person employed in taking the census or casting up the same shall enter upon his duties until he shall have taken and subscribed before a proper person an oath or affirmation, to be prescribed and furnished in printed form by the Superintendent of the Census, which shall conform to the requirements of Section 6 of Article 1 of the Constiution, and, in the case of an enumerator, with the addition that he will accurately ascertain and faithfully return the number of persons in the precinct under his charge.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That any clerk, enumerator, interpreter or other employee who, having taken the prescribed oath of office required by this Act, shall, without justifiable cause, neglect or refuse to perform the duties enjoined on him by this Act, or shall fail to complete his work within the prescribed time, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, shall be fined not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars; provided that if the Superintendent of the Census shall be satisfied, that by the use of due diligence any enumerator shall have been unable to complete his work within the fifteen days of actual service hereinbefore provided for, he may, with the approval of the Governor, allow such enumerator compensation for such additional days, not exceeding five, as may be absolutely necessary for the completion of his work; or if he shall willingly or knowingly make a false certificate or fictitious return he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction of the last-named offense he shall be fined not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, or be imprisoned not exceeding three months.

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That each and every person more than twenty years of age belonging to any family residing in any enumeration district shall be, and each of them is hereby required, if requested by the enumerator, to render a true account under oath to be administered by the enumerator, to the best of his knowledge, of every person belonging to such family, and whoever shall wilfully fail or refuse to render such true account shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined a sum not exceeding fifty dollars, or committed to jail not exceeding one year, in the discretion of the court; and whoever shall render a false account, when thus requested and sworn, shall be guilty of perjury. That all fines imposed by this Act may be collected through due