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The following appointments of Regislers are announced. The persons named will be assigned to duty by Post Commanders as members of Boards of Registration for the several Registration Precincts they may establish within their commands.

Commanding Officers of Posts will fill vacancies and report their action to these Headquarters for confirmation.

Two Boards of Registration will be organized for each County in North Carolina having more than six election precincts, except the Counties of Beanfort, Cumberland, Craven, Edgecombe, Granville, Halifax, New Hanover, Wake, Davie and Wilson, which shall have the Boards previded for in this order.

provided for in this order.

Registers will be required to take the oath prescribed by the Act of Congress approved 2d July, 1862. Blank forms of this oath of office will be furnished to Post Commanders and when duly subscribed and sworn will be re-

manders and when duly subscribed and sworn will be returned to these Headquarters.

The election precincts established by law or custom as voting places in the Counties and Cities of North Carolina will be designated by Post Commanders as the places for Registration. It is desirable that not more than six of these and preferably a less number, be included in a Registration Precinct and assigned to one Board, so that ample facilities may be afforded for Registration.

Every Board of Registration will choose its presiding officer, who will represent the Board and announce its action upon all matters coming before it.

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> SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the death, resignation or otherwise.

SEC 3. And be it further enacted, That the General of the armies of the United States shall be invested with all the powers of suspension, removal, appointment and detail granted in the

the due and proper administration of this act, and the acts to which this is supplementary.

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commander of any district named in said act shall have power, subject to the approval of the General of the armies of the United States, to have effect till disapproved, whenever in the opinion of such commander the proper administration of said act shall require it, to suspend or remove from office, or from the performance of official duties and the exercise of official powers, any officer or person holding or exercising, or professing to hold or excercise, any civil or military office or duty in such district, under any power, election, appointment, or authority derived from or granted by, or claimed under any so-called State or the government thereof, or any municipal or other division thereof, and upon such suspension or removal such commander, subject to the approval of the General aforesaid, shall have the power to provide from time to time for the performance of the said duties of such officer or person so suspended or removed by the detail of some competent officer or soldier of the army or by the appointment of some other person to perform the same and to fill vacancies occasioned by

preceding section to district commanders.

SEC 4. And it be further enacted, That the acts of the officers of the army already done in removing in said districts persons exercising the functions of civil officers and appointing others in their stead are hereby confirmed; provided that of any civil office may be removed, either by the the General of the army; and it shall be the duty of commanders to remove from office, as aforesaid, all persons who are disloyal to the government of the United States, or who use their official influence in any manner to hinder, delay, prevent or obstruct

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That the poards of registration provided for in the act entitled "an act supplementary to an act entitled 'an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States,'" passed March 2, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, shall have power, and it shall be their duty, before allowing registration of any person, to ascertain upon such facts or infor mation as they can obtain, whether such person is entitled to be registered under said act, and the eath required by said act shall not be conclusive on such question, and no person shall be registered unless such board shall decide that he is entitled thereto; and such board shall also have power to examine under oath (to be administered by any member of such board) any one touching the qualification of any person claiming registration. But in every case of a refusal by the board to register an applicant, made in every case herein after provided, the board shall make a note or memorandum, which shall be returned with the registration list to the commauding Generals of the Districts. setting forth the ground of such refusal, or such striking from the lift: Provided, that no person

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, That the true intent and meaning of the oath prescribed in said supplementary act is (among other things) that no person who has been a member of the Legislature of any State or who has held any executive or judicial office in any State, whether he has taken an oath to support the Constitution of the United States or not, and whether he was holding such office at the commencement of the rebellion or had held it before, and who has afterward engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof, is entitled to be registered or to vote; and the words "executive or judicial office in any State" in said oath mentioned shall be construed to include all civil offices created by law for the administration of the general law of the

SEC. 7. And be it further enacted, That the time for completing the original registration provided for in said act may, in the discretion of the commander of any district, be extended to the 1st day of October, 1867; and the boards of registration shall have power, and it shall be their duty, commencing fourteen days prior to any election under said act, and upon reasonable public notice of the time and place thereof, to revise for a period of three days the registration lists; and upon being satisfied that any person not entitled thereto has been registered, to strike the name of such person from the list. And such board shall also, during the same period, add to such registry the names of all persons who at that time possess the qualifications required by said act who have not beenalready registered, and no person shall at any time be entitled to be registered or to vote by reason of any executive pardon or amnesty for any act or thing which, without such pardon or amnesty, would disqualify him from registration

SEC. 8. And be it further enacted, That section of the said last named act shall be construed to authorize the commanding general named therein, shall be tendered in payment and refused by any whenever he shall deem it needful, to remove any member of a board of registration, and to appoint another person in his stead, and to fill any vacancy post within which such officer resides.

SEC. 9. That all members of said Boards of Registration and all persons hereafter elected or | ing of money advanced for the purposes of agriappointed to office in said military districts, under culture or appliances for the cultivation of the any so-called State or municipal authority or by soil, shall not be taken under the process known detail or appointment of the District Commanders, as foreign attachment; but the lien created by shall be required to take and subscribe to the oath any existing law shall not be disturbed, nor shall United States.

SEC. 10. That no District Commander or member of the Board of registration or any of the authorized to be enforced. officers or appointees acting under them shall be bound in his action by any opinion of any civil as actions ex contractu bail, as heretofore author-

SEC. 11. That all the provisions of this act, and | ken by the sheriff or other officer serving the prothe acts to which this is supplementary, shall be cess; in suits for trespass, libel, wrongful converconstrued liberally, to the end that all the intents sion of property, and other cases, known as ac-This bill has been passed by both Houses of Congress and sent to the President for his apin cases ex contractu shall not extend to persons

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HDQR'S SECOND MILITARY DISTRICT, Charleston, S. C., April 11, 1867.

GENERAL ORDER No. 10 .- The general destitution prevailing among the population of this military district cannot be relleved without affordlng means for the development of their industrial existing laws of the provisional governments in resources. The nature and extent of the destitu-tion demand extraordinary measures. The peo-ple are borne down by a heavy burden of debt, the crops of grain and garden produce failed last year, a deadly weapon, shall be deemed guilty of felony, and shall be punished by imprisonment at hard nany families have been deprived of shelter, many more need food and clothing, useful implements and auxilliaries of husbandry are very scarce; the laboring population in numerous localities are with starvation unless supplied with | ing jurisdiction thereof. Larceny, when the valfood by the Government of the United States; the ue thereof is less than \$25, shall be punished by inability of a large portion of the people to pay taxes leaves the local authorities without adequate | ing one year in the discretion of the court. means of relief, and the gravity of the situation increased by the general disposition shown by creditors to enforce upon an impoverished people dictions respectively to reprieve or pardon any the immediate collection of all claims. To suffer person convicted and sentenced by a civil court all this to go on without restraint or remedy is to and to remit fines and penalties. sacrifice the general good. The rights of creditors shall be respected, but the appeal of want and ruf-fering must be heeded. Moved by these considerations, the following regulations are announced and they will continue in force with such modification as the occarion may require until the civil government of the respective States shall be es- or of the provisional governments of North and tablished in accordance with the requirements of | South Carolina; but no imprisonment for over the Government of the United States. The com- due taxes shall be allowed, nor shall this order or manding General earnestly desires and confidently any law of the provisional governments of North believes that the observance of these regulations and the co-operation of all persons concerned in employing fairly and justly the advantages still remaing to them, will mitigate the distress now

prise, and organization thus opened will contrib-ute to the permanent welfare and future happi-lolding a fiduciary relation to the persons or the subject of the action or proceeding. ness of the people. First: Inprisonment for debt is prohibited, un-less the defendant in eqecution shall be convicted in force in North or South Carolina inconsistent of a fraudulent concealment or disposition of his with the provisions of this General Order is hereproperty with intent to hinder, delay, and prevent | by suspended and declared inoperative. the creditor in the recovery of his debt or demand. and the proceedings now established North and South Carolina respectively, for the trial and de- Capt. 38th U.S. Infantry, A. D. C. and A. A. A. G.

existing, and that the avenues of industry, enter-

termining of such questions, may be adopted. Second. Judgment or decrees for the payment of money on causes of action arising between the any person heretofore or hereafter appointed by 19th of December, 1860, and the 15th of May, any district commander to exercise the functions 1865, shall not be enforced by execution against the property or the person of the defendant. ceedings in such causes of action now pending shall be stayed, and no suit or process shall be hereafter instituted or commenced for any such

causes of action. Third. Sheriffs, coroners and constables are nereby directed to suspend for twelve calendar months the sale of all property upon execution of process on liabilities contracted prior to the 19th of December, 1860, unless upon the written con sent of the defendants, except in cases where the plaintiff, or in his absence his agent or attorney. shall upon oath, with corroborative testimony, allege or prove that the defendant is moving or intends fraudulently to remove his property qeyond the territorial jurisdiction of the Court. The sale of real or personal property by foreclosure of mortgage is likewise suspended for twelve calandar months, except in cases where the payment of interest money accruing since the 15th day of May, 1865, shall not have been made before the

day of sale. Fourth. Judgments or decrees entered or enrolled on causes of action arising subsequent to the 15th of May, 1865, may be indorsed by execution against the property of the defendant, and in the application of the money arising under such executions, regard shall be had to the priority of liens, unless in cases where the good faith of any lien shali be drawn in question. In such cases the usual mode of proceeding adopted in North and South Carolina respectively to determine that

question shail be adopted. Fifth. All proceedings for the recovery of mony under contracts, whether under seal or by parole, the consideration for which was the purchase of negroes, are suspended. Judgments or decrees eutered or enrolled for such causes of action shall

not be enforced. Sixth. All advances of moneys, subsistence, imelements, and fertilizers, loaned, used, employed, or required for the purpose of aiding the agricultural pursuits of the people, shall be protected, and the existing laws which have provided the most efficient remedies in such cases for the lender will be supported and enforced; wages for labor performed in the production of the crops shall be lien on the crop, and payment of the amount due for such wages shall be enforced by the like remedies provided to secure advances of money and other means for the cultivation of the soll. Seventh. In all sales of property and execution order of any court there shall be reserved out

f the property of any defendant who has a famidependent upon his or her labor a dwellingouse and appurtenances and twenty acres of land for the use and ocrupation of the family of the defendant, and necessary articles of furniture, apparel, subsistence, implements of trade, husbandry or other employment of the value of \$500. The homestead exemption shall inure only to the benfit of families-that is to say, parent or parents and child or children-in other cases the exemption shall extend only to clothing, implements of trade or other employment usually followed by the defendant, of the value of \$100. The exemption hereby made shall not be waived oredefeated by the act of the defendant. The exempted property of the defendant shall be ascertained by the Sheriff or other officer enforcing the execution, who shall specifically describe the same, and make a report thereof in each case to the Court.

Eighth. The currency of the United States declared by the Congress of the United States to be a legal tender in the payment of all debts, dues, and demands, shall be recognized in North and South Carolina, and all cases in which the same public officer will be at once reported to these headquarters or to the commanding officer of the

Ninth. Property of an absent debtor or one charged as such without fraud, whether consistof office prescribed by law for officers of the the possession or the use of the same be in any wise interfered with except in the execution of a judgment or final decree in cases where they are

Tenth. In suits brought to recover debts known The good housewife will find many valuable ized, shall not be demanded by the suitor nor tations ex delicto bail, as heretofore authorized, may about to leave the State, but the fact of intention must be clearly established by proof. Eleventh. In criminal proceedings the usual

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Twelfth. The practice of carrying deadly weap-ons, except by officers and soldiers in the military service of the United States, is prohibited. The t concealment of such weapons on the person will be deemed an aggravation of the offense. A vio-lation of this order will render the offender amed-

while to trial and punishment by military commis

sion. Whenever wounding or killing shall result

be deemed evidence of a felonious attempt to take

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