

leges as aforesaid it shall file with the commission copies of the joint tariffs of rates, fares, or charges on which such joint interchangeable mileage tickets are to be based, together with specifications of the amount of free baggage permitted to be carried under such tickets, as carriers are required to do with regard to other joint rates by section six; and all the provisions of the said section relating to joint rates, fares and charges shall be observed by such carrier and enforced by the commission as fully with regard to such joint interchangeable mileage tickets as with regard to other joint rates, fares, and charges referred to in the said section. No carrier that has issued or authorized to be issued any such joint interchangeable mileage tickets shall demand, collect, or receive from any person a greater or less compensation for transportation of persons or baggage under such joint interchangeable mileage tickets than that required by the rates, fare, or charge specified in the copies of the joint tariff of rates, fares, or charges filed with the commission in force at any time, and the provisions of section thirteen of this Act shall apply to any violation of this provision.

**26.** The county and superior courts of the province shall have jurisdiction upon the relation of any person, firm or corporation alleging such violation by a carrier of any of the provisions of this Act as prevents the relator from having interprovincial traffic moved by the carrier at the same rates as are charged or upon terms or conditions as favourable as those given by the carrier for like traffic under similar conditions to any other shipper, to issue a writ of mandamus against the carrier, commanding it to move and transport the traffic or to furnish cars or other facilities for transportation for the party applying for the writ: Provided, that if any question of fact as to the proper compensation to the carrier for the service to be enforced by the writ is raised by the pleadings, a writ of peremptory mandamus may issue, notwithstanding such question of fact is undetermined, upon such terms as to security, payment of money into court, or otherwise, as the court thinks proper, pending the determination of the question of fact: Provided, that the remedy hereby given by writ of mandamus shall be cumulative and shall not be held to exclude or interfere with other remedies provided by this Act.

Jurisdiction  
of courts.

**27.** No person shall be prosecuted or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture for or on account of any transaction, matter or thing, concerning which he testifies or produces evidence, documentary or otherwise, before the commission, or in obedience to its subpoena, or in any such case or proceeding: Provided that no person so testifying shall be exempt from prosecution and punishment for perjury committed in so testifying.

Witnesses to  
be protected.

Perjury.

**2.** Any person who neglects or refuses to attend and testify, or to answer any lawful inquiry, or to produce books, papers, tariffs, contracts, agreements, and documents, if in his power to do so, in obedience to the subpoena or lawful requirement

Penalty for  
refusal to give  
evidence.