

section, of all emoluments or sums by them respectively received for boxes, or pigeon-holes, or other receptacles for letters or papers, and by them charged for to individuals, or for the delivery of letters or papers at or from any places in
 5 such Cities respectively, other than the actual Post Offices of such Cities respectively, and of all emoluments, receipts, and profits that have come to their hands by reason of keeping branch Post Offices in such Cities respectively; and if from such accounting it shall appear that the net amount received
 10 by the Postmaster at any City for such boxes and pigeon holes and other receptacles for letters and papers, and for delivering letters or papers at or from any place in such City other than said Post Office, and by reason of keeping a branch Post Office or Branch Post Offices in such City shall, in the aggregate, with the salary of such Postmaster, exceed the sum of
 15 pounds in any one year, such excess shall be paid to the Postmaster General, for the use of the Post Office Department; and no Postmaster shall hereafter, under any pretence whatsoever, have or receive or retain for himself, in the aggregate,
 20 more than pounds per year, including salary, commissions, boxes, and all other fees, perquisites and emoluments, of any name or character whatsoever, and for any service whatsoever.

XXIII. And be it enacted that if any Officer of or connected with the Post Office Department shall convert to his
 25 own use, in any way whatever, or shall use, by way of investment in any kind of property or merchandize, or shall loan, with or without interest, any portion of the public moneys entrusted to him for safe keeping, transfer, disbursement, or
 30 for any other purpose, every such act shall be deemed and adjudged to be an embezzlement of so much of the said moneys as shall be thus taken, converted, invested, used or loaned, which is hereby declared to be a felony; and the neglect or refusal to pay over any public moneys in his hands
 35 or to transfer or disburse any such moneys promptly, on the requirement of the Postmaster General, shall be *prima facie* evidence of such conversion to his own use of so much of the public moneys as may be in his hands; and all persons advising or knowingly and willingly participating in
 40 such embezzlement, upon being convicted thereof before any Court of competent jurisdiction, shall for every such offence forfeit and pay to Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, a fine equal to the amount of the money embezzled, and shall suffer imprisonment for a term not less than
 45 months and not more than years.

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XXIV. And be it enacted that no mail stage or other
 winter or summer vehicle carrying the Mail shall be exempt
 from tolls or dues on any road or bridge in this Province if
 on the arrival of the same at the toll-house, toll-bar, or other
 50 place where tolls or dues for the use of such road or bridge are collected there be more than four passengers and two hundred pounds of baggage in or on such mail stage or other winter or summer vehicle carrying the mail as aforesaid.

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