

gatories proposed to him or her, having been reduced to writing, the same shall be read to him or her and it shall be thereon declared whether the Witness persisted in such answers or whether he or she made any and what changes therein, and the deposition shall be signed by the Witness or mention shall be made of the cause why he or she hath not so signed.

XVI. And be it further enacted, that the return or *procès verbal* of the execution of the said order or rule shall contain the names of the parties in the cause, the date of the order or rule by which such person shall have been named and appointed as aforesaid, the day upon which such order or rule shall have been served upon him, and by whom, the order by him given, fixing the day, hour and place for the swearing of the Witnesses of the parties, and to receive and reduce their testimony to writing, the service of the said order made at the diligence of one of the parties to the other party or parties in the cause, the name of the party producing the Witnesses, the names of the said Witnesses so produced and of the oath having been taken by the said Witnesses in the manner and form herein before directed.

XVII. And be it further enacted, that any person who shall be convicted of having voluntarily made a false oath, in any of the cases in which an oath is required under and by virtue of this Act, shall be subject to the pains and penalties to which persons are liable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

XVIII. And be it further enacted, that this Act shall be and continue in force until the first day of May, of the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, and no longer.