directed to pay the same out of the public Treasury in like manner with other salaries and appropriations annually or by the month.

SECTION 2. The said Henry S. Swinton shall be entitled to draw upon the public Treasury for the pension provided for in Section 1, from and after the date of the passage of this Act.

Approved this 9th day of August, A. D. 1880.

KALAKAUA R.

## CHAPTER XXVIII.

## AN ACT

TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP FIRMS.

Be it Enacted by the King and the Legislative Assembly of the Hawaiian Islands in the Legislature of the Kingdom assembled:

SECTION 1. Whenever any two or more persons shall carry on business in this Kingdom in Co-partnership, it shall be incumbent for such persons to file in the Office of the Minister of the Interior a statement of

1. The names and residences of each of the members of such Co-partnership.

2. The nature of the business of such Co-partnership.

3. The firm name of Co-partnership, and

4. The place or places of business of the Co-partnership.

SECTION 2. All persons who at the time of the commencement of this Act, shall be carrying on business in Co-partnership, shall within two months of the time of the commencement of this Act, cause such statement as aforesaid to be filed in the Office of the Minister of the Interior.

SECTION 3. Whenever any change shall take place in

the constitution of any such firm by the death or withdrawal of any member thereof, or by the addition of any member thereto, or by the dissolution thereof, a statement of such change or dissolution shall also be filed in the said Office of the Minister of the Interior, within one month from such change, death or dissolution as the case may be.

SECTION 4. All such statements as are required to be made by the preceding Sections shall also be published by the members of each Co-partnership at least twice in the Hawaiian and English languages, in two newspapers published in Honolulu.

SECTION 5. The Minister of the Interior shall cause a book to be kept in his office, in which shall be recorded the several particulars hereinbefore required to be filed in his office; and which book shall be open for public inspection on payment of a fee of twenty-five cents for each inspection.

SECTION 6. There shall be paid to the Minister of the Interior a fee of fifty cents for each name so recorded as aforesaid.

SECTION 7. The members of every copartnership who shall neglect or fail to comply with the provisions of this law, shall severally and individually be liable for all the debts and liabilities of the such co-partnership and may be severally sued therefor, without the necessity of joining the other members of the co-partnership in any action or suit, and shall also severally be liable upon conviction, to a penalty not exceeding five dollars for each and every day while such default shall continue; which penalties may be recovered in any Police or District Court.

SECTION 8. Nothing in this Act contained shall be deemed or construed to apply to corporations or incorporated companies.

SECTION 9. All fees received by virtue of this Act shall be accounted for, as part of the revenue of the IIawaiian Government. SECTION 10. This Act shall come into operation and become law on the 1st day of September next.

Approved this 9th day of August, A. D. 1880.

KALAKAUA R.

## CHAPTER XXIX.

## AN ACT

TO REPEAL SECTION 924 OF THE CIVIL CODE.

- WHEREAS, it is injurious to the public interest that one person should be appointed as Judge for two districts widely separated; therefore,
- Be it Enacted by the King and the Legislative Assembly of the Hawaiian Islands in the Legislature of the Kingdom assembled:

SECTION 1. That Section 924 of the Civil Code be and the same is hereby repealed. For judicial purposes, the provisions of Section 498 of the Civil Code, as amended by 'the Act approved on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1878, shall be observed.

SECTION 2. This Act shall become a law from and after the date of its publication.

Approved this 13th day of August, A. D. 1880.

KALAKAUA R.