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trict make any false or fictitious report of a birth or any false or fictitious transcript of any record of a birth or of a marriage.

Inspection of reports.

SEC. 3. That the reports required by this Act shall, when duly filed with the health officer of the District of Columbia, be a part of the public records of said District, and any person having an interest in any particular matter contained or reasonably believed to be contained therein, shall be permitted to inspect such certificates and reports, during all reasonable hours, without charge, so far as can be done without interfering with the official use of such certificates by employees of the health department. The health officer aforesaid shall be the custodian of all reports filed under the provisions of this Act, and annually, and at such other times as the Commissioners of said District may direct, shall make and publish abstracts and analyses of the data therein contained.

Duties of health officer.

Punishment for violations.

SEC. 4. That any person violating any of the provisions of this Act or aiding or abetting in any violation thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars or by imprisonment for a period not exceeding ninety days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court. And if any report required by this Act to be made within a specified time be not made within the time so specified each week or part of a week thereafter during which such report has not been made shall constitute a separate and distinct offense: *Provided, however*, That no report aforesaid nor any information which has been obtained by the prosecuting officer on the basis of such report shall be receivable in evidence against the person filing the same in any prosecution of such person for failure to file such report within the time allowed by law. Prosecutions under this Act shall be in the police court of the District of Columbia on informations signed by the corporation counsel of said District or by one of his assistants.

Failure to report in specified time.

Proviso.
Prosecutions for not filing reports, evidence not admitted.

Corporation counsel's duties.

Effect.

SEC. 5. That this Act shall take effect from and after the expiration of the six months immediately following its passage, and from and after that time all Acts and parts of Acts contrary to the provisions of this Act or inconsistent therewith shall be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Repeal.

Approved, March 1, 1907.

CHAP. 2281.—An Act To create the Barnaby road, from its intersection with the Livingston road to the District line, a public highway in the District of Columbia.

March 1, 1907.
[S. 6993.]
[Public, No. 150.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Barnaby road, from its intersection with the Livingston road to the District line, shall be regarded and treated by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia as a public highway of the said District, and if dedication of any part of this road may be considered necessary the Commissioners are hereby authorized and directed to accept such dedication, free of cost to the District of Columbia.

District of Columbia.
Barnaby road made a public highway.

Dedication.

Approved, March 1, 1907.

CHAP. 2282.—An Act To provide and maintain for the port of Galveston, Texas, a customs boarding boat.

March 1, 1907.
[S. 7684.]
[Public, No. 151.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be provided for the port of Galveston, Texas, a motor boarding boat, and that the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary

Customs.
Boarding boat for Galveston, Tex.