

to appoint Brigadier General H. H. Sibley, a Brigadier General of Volunteers, and to assign him to the command of the District of Minnesota, for the approaching campaign against the Sioux Indians.

Approved, March 5, 1863.

### NUMBER X.

*Joint Resolution for the Appointment of additional Commissioners to Receive Soldiers' Votes.*

*Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:*

That the Governor is hereby authorized and required, if, in his judgment the same be considered necessary, at least forty days before the next general election, to appoint, in addition to the Commissioners now authorized by law, four other Commissioners whose qualifications, duties, and compensation, shall be the same as those authorized by an act entitled "an act to enable citizens of this State, who are or may be engaged in the military or naval service of the United States, to vote in the election districts where they reside, at the general election to be held in the month of November, 1862, and at all subsequent general elections during the continuance of the present war," approved September 27th, 1862; and the Governor is further authorized to assign the said Commissioners districts, in which to exercise the functions of their office, and, if in his judgment, the objects contemplated by the act aforesaid, can be best subserved by a redivision of the States and Territories of the United States into districts, he is hereby authorized so to do.

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