

SOLDIER'S VOTE.

Duties of Elector receiving a Soldier's Vote.

Extract from Section 5 of Chapter
253 Laws of 1864.

SECTION 5. Such elector, upon receiving such letter from such absent elector, may open the outer envelope thereof, but he shall not open the inner envelope thereof. On the day of such election, and between the opening and close of the polls thereof, he shall deliver the inner envelope to the clerks of elections of the proper election district, and at the polls thereof.

To _____

N. Y.

§ 3. The said absent elector shall make and subscribe the following affidavit:

" I, _____ do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have been a citizen of the United States for ten days, am now of the age of twenty-one years, that I have been or shall have been an inhabitant of the State of New York for one year next preceding the election to be held on the _____ day of _____ 186 , for the last four months a resident of the county of _____ for thirty days next preceding said election a resident of the town (or city) of _____ and that I am now, and until said election, intend to be a resident thereof; that I have not made any bet or wager, and am not directly or indirectly interested in any bet or wager depending upon the result of said election, and I do further swear, that I am in the actual military (or naval) service of the United States, that I am now a member of Company _____ of the _____ regiment of _____ now at or near _____ in the state (or territory) of _____ (or attached to the United States vessel _____)

Sworn to and subscribed this _____ }
day of _____ 186 , *before me,* }