## No. 61.]

## BILL. [1863, 2nd. Sess.

## An Act respecting the Militia.

(Sections between Brackets [ ] are new sections.)

TER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Preamble. Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

1. The Governor shall, by virtue of his Office, be Com- Governor to be Commander in 5 mander in Chief of the Militia. Chief.

2. The Militia shall consist of all the male inhabitants of Of whom the the Province of the age of eighteen years or upwards and under Militia shall sixty, not exempted or disgualified by law.

3. The Militia shall be divided into three classes, to be Militia divided 10 called respectively first class Service Men, second class Service into three classes. Men and Reserve Men: the first class Service Men shall be those of eighteen years of age and upwards, but under fortyfive years, who are unmarried Men or widowers without children, and the second class Service Men shall be those second.

15 between the ages last aforesaid who are married Men or widowers with children,--and the Reserve Men shall be those Reserve. of forty-five years of age and upwards, but under sixty years,

## EXEMPTIONS.

4. The following persons only, between the ages of eighteen Certain funcand sixty years, shall be exempt from enrolment as hereinafter to be wholly 20 mentioned, and from actual service at any time : exempt.

The Judges of the Superior Courts of Law or Equity in Upper and Lower Canada;

The Judge of the Court of Vice-Admiralty;

The Judges of the County Courts ;

The Clergy and Ministers of all Religious denominations; 25

- The Professors in any College or University and all teachers in religious orders;
- The Warden, Keepers and Guards of the Provincial Penitentiary;

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