

Proviso: in what cases only such annuity shall be granted.

payment thereof, as the case may be, to the day of his death ; Provided always, that no annuity granted to any Judge appointed under this Act shall be valid, unless such person shall have continued in the said office, or in the said office and the office of a Judge in one or more of Her Majesty's Superior Courts of Common Law in Upper Canada, for the period of fifteen years, or shall be afflicted with some permanent infirmity disabling him from the due execution of his office which shall be recited in the said grant. 2
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Judges of the said court to take an oath of office.

VI. And be it enacted, That every Judge to be appointed in pursuance of this Act, shall previous to his executing the duties of his office, take the following oath, which said oath shall be administered to the Chancellor of the said Court, before the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province, in Council, and to the Vice-Chancellors of the said Court, in open Court, in presence of the Chancellor thereof: 14
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The oath.

" I, do solemnly and sincerely
" promise and swear, that I will duly and
" faithfully, and to the best of my skill
" and knowledge, execute the powers and
" trusts reposed in me, (as Chancellor or
" Vice-Chancellor): So help me God." 26
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Sittings of the Judges: who shall preside.

VII. And be it enacted, That from and after the appointment of the Judges hereby authorized, they shall sit together in the Court of Chancery, over which Court the Chancellor shall preside, or if he be absent, then the Senior Vice-Chancellor. 32
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Powers of the court to continue as heretofore.

VIII. And be it enacted, That from and after the appointment of such Judges, all the jurisdiction, powers, authorities and privileges of the said Court of Chancery of Upper Canada, shall by virtue of this Act, remain vested in the said Court, and shall be exercised by the Judges hereby appointed to preside therein, who shall have power to 38
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