

such penalty and costs, to the Common Gaol of the judicial district, territorial division or locality in and for which the said Justice or Justices is or are then acting, or to some House of Correction or lock-up house situate therein, for a period of not less than ten days when the penalty does not exceed twenty dollars, and for a period of not less than twenty days nor more than thirty days when it exceeds the last mentioned sum.

**97.** No prosecution against an Officer of Provincial Militia for any penalty under this Act shall be brought except on the complaint of the Adjutant or Deputy Adjutant General;—And no such prosecution against any Non-Commissioned Officer or private of the Militia, shall be brought except on the complaint of the Commanding Officer or Adjutant of the Corps to which such Non-Commissioned Officer or private belongs;—But the Adjutant or Deputy Adjutant General may authorize any Officer of Militia to make such complaint in his name, and the authority of any such Officer alleging himself to have been so authorized to make any complaint, shall not be controverted or called in question except by the Adjutant or Deputy Adjutant General.

On whose complaint penalties may be sued for.

Evidence of authority to sue.

**98.** No such prosecution shall be commenced after the expiration of six months from the commission of the offence charged, unless it be for unlawfully buying, selling, or having in possession Clothing, Arms or Accoutrements delivered to the Militia; and no prosecution against any person named in the seventy-ninth section of this Act or against any Municipal Officer for any pen-

Limitation of time for such prosecutions.