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Money owing to the Crown by a Seignior may be retain. arising from any Seigniory held by such Seignior or Seignior ed out of his share.

Act of 1854.

him to the Receiver General.

Provision where the Judges have been equally divided in opinion.

XXI. In any case in which, by reason of an equal division, 25 no judgment has been rendered by the Judges of the Court of Queen's Bench and Superior Court for Lower Canada on any of the questions to them submitted by the Attorney General for Lower Canada under the provisions of the sixteenth clause of the said Seigniorial Act of 1854, the Commissioner making \$0 the Schedule shall, in any case to which such question refers, decide it in such manner as he shall think most equitable under the circumstances, saving the right of the Court for the revision of Schedules to be appointed under the twelfth section of the said Seigniorial Act of 1854, to pronounce a final decision on \$5 such question or questions, and to amend such Schedule according to such decision, if need shall be.

Commissioners may inspect Repertories of Notaries.

XXII. The Commissioner making the Schedule of any Seigniory shall have full power to inspect the Repertory of any Notary whenever he shall think such inspection desirable for 40 obtaining information to ensure the greater correctness of the Schedule, such inspection being demanded and made at reasonable hours and on juridical days; and any Notary refusing to allow such inspection shall thereby incur a penalty of one hundred pounds; and for each such inspection the Notary shall 45 be entitled to for each hour it shall continue.

Possession to be sufficient

XXII. For the purpose of making the Schedule of any Seigniory, the boundaries thereof shall be deemed to be those

and the remainder shall be the sum to be deducted from the total value of the Seignorial Rights as shewn by the Schedule. in order to ascertain the amount payable by the Censitaires: Provided always, first, that the whole sum to be paid by the

Receiver General to any Seignior dominant, shall be also de- 5 ducted from that which would be otherwise payable by the Censitaires of the Seignor servant; and secondly, that if the

approximate sum paid to any Seignior dominant under this section by the Receiver General shall be more or less than the true value of his rights for the time, the difference shall be de-10 ducted or added (as the case may require) from or to the sum to be paid by the Receiver General to such Seignior dominant, under the sixth sub-section of section six of the said Seigniorial

XX. In the event of any Seignior or Seignior dominant being 15 indebted to the Crown in any sum of money for any right

dominant, the Receiver General shall retain the amount so

due to the Crown from the amount payable to such Seignior or Seignior dominant under the provisions of this Act or of the 20 Acts hereby amended; and the amount (if any) due to the Crown by each Seignor shall be ascertained by the Commissioner making the Schedule of each Seignory and certified by