

Commissioners and to others employed by them making the said returns.

out of any unappropriated monies in the hands of the Receiver General by warrant under the hand of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Person administering the Government as a remuneration for their respective services the following sums, that is to say ;—For every inhabited house mentioned in the return, and situate in the Cities of Quebec or of Montréal, or in the Town of Three Rivers, or in any Village containing upwards of thirty houses, five pence currency ; for every such house in the Country Parishes or Townships, ten pence currency ; and the said Commissioners shall pay out of the monies so received to the Militia officer or Church-Warden, who shall have assisted personally in making the Returns for any Parish, Seignior, Township, Extra Parochial Place, Ward or Division of a City or Town, one third of the sum so received for every house mentioned in such Return ; and to the Militia officer or Church-Warden, who shall unassisted by any Commissioner have made and certified the Returns of any Parish, Seignior, Township, Extra Parochial Place, Ward or Division of a Town or City, two thirds of the sum so received for every house mentioned in such Return : Provided always, that such Militia officer or Church-Warden shall have been furnished by the Commissioner by whom he shall have been appointed, with a copy of this Act, and of the Schedules (A.) and (B.) thereunto annexed, and a certificate in the form of the Schedule (C.) hereunto annexed, distinctly describing the limits of the place for which he is to make such Return, unassisted by such Commissioner or Commissioners.

Proviso.

Penalty on Commissioners or others refusing to make the necessary returns.

VII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that any Commissioner or any Militia officer or Church-Warden, appointed by any Commissioner, who shall, in so far as he may be concerned, refuse or neglect to make, or assist in making the Returns hereby required, or who shall negligently or wilfully make a false Return, shall incur a penalty of Twenty-five pounds currency, and shall forfeit any remuneration to which he might otherwise have been entitled, under this Act ; and the person incurring such penalty (or such other person as the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or person administering the Government shall appoint,) shall forthwith proceed to make a true Return, according to the provisions of this Act.

Commissioners to give public notice, that a certain Census is to be taken.

VIII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the Commissioners appointed under this Act, shall fifteen days at least before they proceed to take the census and to procure the information hereby required, cause a Notice in the form of Schedule (B.) hereunto annexed, to be publicly read immediately after Divine Service in the forenoon, on two successive Sundays, at the Church door of the Parish or other place in which such census is to be taken, and to be posted thereon during the said time, and in case there shall be no Church therein, then the said Commissioners shall post such written notice at the most public place in such Parish or other place.