

XVII. And whereas the Courts of Quarter Sessions cannot be holden without three Justices of the Peace ; be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or the person having the administration of the Government in this Province for the time being, to appoint for the district of Three Rivers, two fit and proper persons, being Justices of the Peace of the said district, with full power and authority to dismiss them from time to time, and to appoint others in their place and stead, or in case of vacancies by death, or otherwise, and the said two Justices of the Peace so named and appointed, shall be bound to sit regularly in the weekly sittings, when circumstances shall require it, and further to fulfil and execute all the duties incumbent on Justices of the Peace in the said district.

XVIII. And be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid, that it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or the person having the administration of the Government for the time being, to cause to be paid to the Chief Magistrate or Justice of the Peace so appointed for the district of Three Rivers, an annual salary of                      pounds, and to the other two Justices of the Peace, each of them the sum of                      pounds sterling money of Great Britain, and to order that all expences incurred by the said Justices of the Peace in the Execution of their ministerial duties, whether by themselves the Peace Officers, or others by them employed, shall be defrayed ; provided always that the said expences and the salaries of the said Justices shall not exceed, in the whole the sum of                      hundred pounds currency per annum.