

IX. COSTS.

certified by the said Speaker, or into the hands of some Officer of such Court appointed by such Court to receive the same, or shall be transmitted by such Clerk through the Post in manner hereinafter mentioned, to the Chief Justice or other Judge of such Court as the case may require, and in every such case such delivery or transmission of such recognizance shall have the same effect as if the same were estreated or otherwise proceeded upon for the like purpose from or in a Court of Law, according to the Laws of that section of the Province in which such recognizance shall have been so taken as aforesaid, and the course of the Court to which the same shall have been so transmitted as aforesaid, and the validity of such certificate (the handwriting of the Speaker thereunto being duly verified), shall not be called in question in any such Court upon the ground of any matter having arisen anterior to the date of such certificate.

Provision for
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post.

CXLIV. And be it enacted, That for the purpose of transmitting any such Recognizance through the Post as aforesaid, the Clerk of the Commons House of Legislative Assembly, or some other person appointed by the Speaker for that purpose, shall carry such Recognizance under a cover directed to the Chief Justice or one of the Judges of the Court into which the same shall be so certified as aforesaid, to the General Post Office of the place where such Recognizance shall then be with the other records of the said House, and there deliver the same to the Post Master or Deputy Post Master of such place for the time being, or to the person discharging the duties of such Post Master or Deputy Post Master therein for the time being, who on receipt thereof shall give an acknowledgment in writing of such receipt to the person from whom the same is received, and shall keep a duplicate of such acknowledgment signed by the parties respectively to whom the same is so delivered, and the said Post Master or Deputy Post Master, or person performing the duties of such Post Master or Deputy Post Master, shall despatch all such Recognizances by the first Post or Mail after the receipt thereof, to the person to whom the same is directed, accompanied with proper directions to the Post Master or Deputy Post Master of the town or place to which the same is directed, or person performing the duties of such Post Master or Deputy Post Master at such place for the time being, requiring him forthwith to carry such Recognizance, and to deliver the same to the person to whom the same is directed, who (or some officer appointed by the court for that purpose) is hereby required to give to such Post Master or Deputy Post Master, or person performing the duties of such Post Master or Deputy Post Master, a memorandum in writing under his hand, acknowledging the receipt of