

them appointed, shall have full power, and Authority, to do, and execute all, and every matter and thing whatsoever, necessary and lawful to be done, for the faithful Collection of the Revenue, in as full and ample a manner, as the Collectors of Impost and Excise, have heretofore been accustomed to do.

And for encouraging the Inhabitants of the said County and District, to aid the said Justices, in Collecting the Revenue.

III. *Be it further Enacted*, That there shall be paid out of the Treasury of this Province, to the said Justices, over and above the usual Commissions allowed by Law for collecting the Revenue, the Sum of Thirty Five Pounds, for every One Hundred Pounds, which shall be by them collected within their said Districts, respectively, and paid into the Treasury of this Province, which Sum or Sums so to be paid out of the Treasury, to the said Justices, shall be expended in repairing the Roads, and Bridges, within such County, and District, in such Manner, as the said Justices and the Grand Jury, for such County and District, shall appoint.

IV. *And be it further Enacted*, That the Collectors of Impost and Excise, shall on, no Account whatsoever, receive from any Person or Persons, any Warrant or Warrants, on the Treasury of this Province, or any other Provincial Security or Certificate, in Payment of any Debt or Duties, which shall be payable to such Collectors, by any Person or Persons whatsoever, after the First Day of July next, but all Debts or Duties due to the Government of this Province, on the said First Day of July, or which shall become due afterwards, shall be paid to the Treasurer or Collectors, in the current Specie of this Province. Any Law, Usage or Custom, to the contrary Notwithstanding.

And whereas it is necessary that the Treasurer of the Province, and all Persons employed in collecting any of the Revenue of this Province, should give good Security, for the faithful performance of the Trust reposed in them.

V. *Be it therefore Enacted*, That it shall not be lawful, for any Person or Persons, to execute the Office of Treasurer, or Collector or Collectors of Impost and Excise in this Province, or any part thereof, unless such Person or Persons, shall have given Bond to His Majesty, his Heirs, and Successors, with two sufficient Sureties joined therein, for the faithful performance of such Office, such Bonds respectively to be given on or before the First Day of October next.

VI. *And be it further Enacted*, That the Amount of the Security to be given by the Treasurer, shall be Four Thousand Pounds, and by the Collector or Collectors of the different Districts, of this Province, shall be as follows: That is to say, for the District of Halifax, Two Thousand Pounds; for the Districts of Shelburne, and Annapolis, One

with Authority to appoint Deputies to discharge the Duties of the Office.

Said Justices to be allowed out of the Treasury of the Province in Addition to the usual Commissions 35 per cent. on all Monies Collected as aforesaid and paid into the Treasury to be expended in repairing Roads and Bridges in said County and District.

Collectors of Impost and Excise to take no Warrant or Provincial Security in Payment of Debts or Duties due to Government after the 1st July, next.

Treasurer of the Province and Collectors of Impost and Excise to give Bonds for faithful Performance of their Duty, on or before 1st October next.

Treasurers Bond
£4000.

Collectors for District of Halifax,
£2000. for Districts of Shelburne and Annapolis, £1000 each,