

jurisdiction to the faithful and impartial discharge of the duties imposed on them by this Act, and which they shall be bound to undertake under a penalty of *ten pounds* currency, which shall make part of the common fund of the Board of Notaries for the District, shall visit within the limits respectively assigned to them within their District, the Offices, Records and Registers of the Notaries therein, for the purpose of ascertaining whether such Notaries have conformed to the laws of this Province and to the requirements of this Act and of the Act hereby amended, and shall obtain information on all matters and things mentioned in the instructions which they shall receive from the Board of Notaries, to whom they shall make faithful and circumstantial report; and every Notary who shall refuse either to permit the visit of the Censor or to grant him access to his papers, shall for every refusal incur a penalty of *ten pounds* currency, to be recovered in a summary manner before the nearest Justice of the Peace: Provided always, that the said office of Censor shall be held during three years, and that during each of the said three years one visit shall be so made; Provided also, that during the ten years next after the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Governor of this Province to appoint the said Censors by instruments under his hand and seal, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of this Province; and the Censors so appointed shall have the same powers and duties as if they had been elected by the Board of Notaries; Provided also, that every Censor so appointed shall be entitled to receive out of the unappropriated monies in the hands of Her Majesty's Receiver General, such sum as shall be deemed sufficient by the Board to indemnify him for his expenses and disbursements during such visit as aforesaid, provided the said sum shall not exceed the amount of such expenses and disbursements, and also *twenty* *shillings* currency for every day necessarily

Penalty on Notaries obstructing Censors in their duties.

Term of office.

Proviso: during ten years the Governor in Council shall appoint the Censors.

Proviso: allowance to ten Censors to be paid by the Province.