

Senior Officers of Militia to preside at the election of Overseers and to make return.

The Senior Officer of Militia is to preside at the Election and is to declare to the Persons assembled the names of the Overseers chosen, and he is to make a return of the names of the Overseers to the Grand-Voyer, and if the Senior Officer of Militia refuses or neglects to call the Meeting for the Election or to preside therein, or to make his Return to the Grand-Voyer, he forfeits the Sum of five Pounds.—*Sec. 25.*

The Overseers duty.

The Overseer is to direct the Persons within his Division in the performance of the work and duty required by the Act and to prosecute every one who neglects or refuses to perform what the Act requires. He is to enter upon the Duties of his Office on the first day of January and to serve for two years.—*Sec. 25.*

Overseer chosen declining to serve forfeits £5; and accepting the charge, and neglecting his duty to forfeit 20s.

Any Person chosen to be Overseer, who neglects for eight days after his appointment, to signify his consent to serve, forfeits five Pounds, and if he consents to accept the Office and refuses or neglects to obey the lawful Orders of the Grand-Voyer or his Deputy, or to oversee or perform any of the duties required by the Act, he forfeits, for every neglect or refusal, twenty shillings.—*Sec. 25.*

The Grand Voyer to nominate Surveyors in each Parish.

Surveyors duty.

The Grand-Voyer is to nominate and appoint in each Parish, Seigneurie or Township of his District, a Surveyor of Highways and Bridges, who is to enter upon his Office at the periods directed for Overseers, and to serve for two years, during which period he is to superintend and direct the Overseers in their duty, to prosecute every Overseer who shall refuse or neglect his duty—to communicate to them the Grand-Voyer's Orders and to forward such Orders, if required, to the Surveyor of the next Parish. He is also to report, in writing or verbally, to the Grand-Voyer, once in every six months and at the time of his Circuit, the state of the Roads and Bridges within his Parish, &c.—*Sec. 26.*

Surveyors who decline the office forfeit £5. Accepting and neglecting their duty forfeit 20s.

Surveyors, who, when appointed, do not accept the office, forfeit four pounds, if they do accept, they forfeit twenty shillings, for every refusal or neglect of duty.—*Sec. 26.*

Grand Voyer in cases of vacancy to nominate Overseers

In all cases of vacancy, the Grand Voyer or his Deputy may name other fit and proper persons to be Overseers and Surveyors, who are to serve until the period for nominating