

evidence that they have been neglecting their duty until the circulation of the blood has become laggard for the want of the necessary exercise. Any Constable or officer endeavouring in any way to shirk his duty, or influence others in so doing, or endeavouring to cause discontent, will at once be dismissed as despicable and disgraceful. Respect for officers is one of the first duties of the Constable. Any omission in this respect indicates indifference to discipline, or, what is still more alarming, a leaning to insubordination. Persons will not be surprised, therefore, if disrespect and negligence result in the penalty of dismissal, and never will be overlooked.

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RIOT ACT.

A copy of the Riot Act is here inserted, in order that it may be at hand in the event of its being required by a Magistrate. Riot Act, 27 Geo. III. cap. 15.

PROCLAMATION.

Our Sovereign Lady the Queen chargeth and commandeth all persons being assembled, immediately to disperse themselves, and peaceably to depart to their habitations or to their lawful business, upon the pains contained in this Act, relating to High Treason, to tumults and riotous assemblies, and to other offences. God save the Queen!