

II. RECOGNIZANCES.

or to any person who on the application of such Petitioner for the issue of a commission to take evidence on such trial, may be appointed a Commissioner for that purpose, or to any Clerk, Bailiff, or other Officer employed by such
5 Commissioner in or about, or in any way relating to the execution of the commission issued to him in that behalf; and such recognizance may be in the form or to the like effect as is set forth in the Schedule to this Act annexed marked A (1) with such alteration as may be necessary
10 to adapt such form to the circumstances of the case.

XI. And be it enacted, That before any application shall be made to any Select Election Committee appointed under this Act, on the part of any sitting Member interested or concerned in any such Election Petition, for the
15 issuing of a Commission to take evidence upon the trial thereof, a recognizance shall be entered into by *one, two, three or four* persons, as sureties for such sitting Member, for the sum of *one* hundred pounds, in one sum or in several sums, of not less than *twenty-five* pounds each,
20 for the payment of all costs and expenses which under the provisions herein contained shall become payable by such sitting Member to any Commissioner who may be appointed for taking such evidence for such trial, or to any Clerk, Bailiff or other officer employed by such
25 Commissioner in or about, or in any way relating to the execution of such commission, which recognizance shall be entered into before the Speaker or a Justice of the Peace, as is herein provided with respect to other recognizances to be entered into under this Act, and shall
30 be accompanied by affidavits of the sufficiency of the sureties as is provided with respect to the same, or a deposit of money may be made in lieu of such recognizance, or a deposit of money in lieu of some part of the amount required to be so secured, and a recognizance for the residue thereof
35 shall be made and entered into as is hereby provided with respect to such other recognizance, and such recognizance may be in the form or to the like effect as is set forth in the Schedule to this Act annexed marked A (2), with such alteration as may be necessary to adapt such
40 form to the circumstances of the case.

Security for costs, to be given by sitting Member demanding a commission; amount and form of recognizance, &c.

XII. And be it enacted, That any person who enters
into any such recognizance, shall testify upon oath in writing to be sworn at the time of entering into the said
recognizance, and before the same person by whom his
45 recognizance is taken, that he is seized or possessed of real or personal estate, (or both,) above what will satisfy all his just debts, of double the clear value of the sum for which he is bound by his said recognizance, and every such affidavit shall be endorsed upon or annexed to the
50 recognizance, and such affidavit may be in the form or

Parties entering into recognizances to justify their sufficiency on oath.