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shall also be executed by at least two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved of by the Treasurer, and shall be taken in the name of Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors; and the said Deputy Treasurers now in office, and all those who may hereafter be appointed, shall be accountable to the Treasurer of the Province for the time being, when thereunto required, for all sums of money received by them under and by virtue of this or any other Act relating to the Revenue of the Province; and all Deputy Treasurers, whether appointed under this or any previous Act and now in force, shall have the same powers to the fullest extent in every respect to make seizures and proceed to condemnation and sale as are given to the Treasurer by virtue of this or any other Act; and each Deputy Treasurer shall and may retain for his services ten pounds for every hundred pounds which he shall receive, secure or shall come into his hands, under and by virtue of this or any other Act relating to the Revenue of this Province, over and above his proportion of the seizures and forfeitures which he may make under and by virtue of this or any other Act relating to the Provincial Revenue: Provided always, that the sum so retained, as aforesaid, shall not in any one year exceed three hundred pounds for the services of any one Deputy.

XXVI. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the said Treasurer, in case of sickness or necessary absence from the City and County of Saint John, to appoint a fit person to act as his Deputy there, for whose acts the said Treasurer shall be responsible, which Deputy, during his continuance in office, shall have the same power and authority in every respect as the Treasurer hath by virtue of this or any other Act relating to matters of Revenue, when personally executing the duties of his office, but shall receive no compensation or allowance from the Public Treasury for his services, except his proportion of the proceeds of any seizures which he may make, or of any penaltes and forfeitures which may be incurred by this or any other Act during his continuance in office as aforesaid.

XXVII. And be it further enacted, That the Tide Surveyors and Waiters, other Revenue Officers who may be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor or Administrator of the Government, for the Port of Saint John, or for any other port or place within the Province, shall in all respects be under the orders, directions and control of the Treasurer and Deputy Treasurers respectively for the places where such Officers may be appointed; and the said Tide Surveyors and Waiters, and other Revenue Officers, shall attend to the unloading of ships and vessels with dutiable articles, and shall not allow any such dutiable articles to be landed from any ship or vessel arriving at any port or place for which they are respectively appointed, without a Permit from the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurers, as the case may be; which permit to land dutiable articles shall be made by the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer immediately upon the Duties thereon being paid or secured agreeably to the provisions of this or any other Act relating to Provincial Revenue; and if any Tide Surveyor, Waiter, or other Revenue Officer attending the unlading of any vessel with dutiable articles, shall discover any articles on board which have not been duly entered by the Master in his report of the cargo on board such vessel or in the report of the owner or consignee of such articles, or if any such articles shall be by such Officer found to be landed from such ship, or otherwise imported contrary to the provisions of this Act or any other Act for raising a Revenue, it shall be the duty of such Tide Surveyors and Waiters respectively, and other Revenue Officers respectively, and they are hereby required forthwith to take possession of such articles and detain the same, and make report thereof to the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer