

be exempted from being enrolled in the Militia, in manner herein before mentioned (except established Clergymen, and licensed Ministers of the Gospel, one miller to each grist mill, and one ferryman to each established ferry) who shall not have joined any company, shall be formed into a company by and under the direction of the commanding officer of the Regiment or Battalion, and shall be liable to the same draft by ballot as any other company in such Regiment or Battalion, in proportion to their numbers then fit for duty as aforesaid, and each and every person so drafted, shall go in his own proper person, or find a good and sufficient man in his room; and for his neglect or disobedience herein, he shall be subjected to a fine of *ten pounds*, which if he neglect or refuse to pay, he shall be committed to the nearest County gaol, where he can be safely kept by warrant from the commanding officer of the Regiment or Battalion, or if necessary to his safe custody, be removed to any other gaol, at the discretion of the commanding officer, where he shall remain three months, or until he pays the said fine, and another man shall be drafted as aforesaid, to march in his place, who shall have half of the said fine if he shall not refuse or neglect to go, or find a good and sufficient man in his room as aforesaid, but if he shall so neglect or refuse, then he shall be subjected to the like fine, and a further draft shall be made of another man who shall have half of the fine last mentioned, if he shall not neglect or refuse to go or find a good and sufficient man as aforesaid, and so as often as such case shall happen. Provided al-

Persons drafted to serve in their own persons, or find good substitutes under the penalty of £10.

No person to be a second time drafted until all the others belonging to the same company shall have been drafted.

Firemen in St. John, not to do duty beyond the limits of the City.

Substitutes to be hired for Quakers, who are to pay the expence not exceeding £10.

Persons who have served in the embodied Militia exempted from draft till all the others of the same company shall have been drafted.

ways, that in case any part of the Militia or the exempts as aforesaid, shall be called out more than once, no person who has been once drafted as aforesaid, shall be again drafted until all the others belonging to the same company shall have been drafted. Provided also, that nothing in this Act shall be construed to extend to oblige the Firemen appointed by the Corporation of the City of St. John, to the two Engines in that City, or Firemen that may be appointed to any Engine that may be hereafter established in any other town in this Province, not exceeding fifteen men to each Engine, to duty beyond the limits of the said City and town respectively. And also further provided, that if any person called and duly certified to be a Quaker, shall upon being drafted refuse to serve, or procure a substitute as aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for the Captain or Officer commanding the Company to which such Quaker belongs, to procure and hire a substitute for him and at his expence, not to exceed the sum of *ten pounds*, which if he shall refuse or neglect to pay, the same shall and may be recovered before any two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace in a summary way, at the suit of the said Captain or commanding officer of the Company, and levied with costs, upon the goods and chattels of such delinquent, or for want thereof, such delinquent shall be committed to Gaol, there to remain for three months, or until he pays the same. Provided also, that those who have already served in the Embodied Militia, and those to be hereafter drafted shall not be liable to be again drafted until all the others belonging to the same Company shall have been drafted.