

or affirmation of any one credible witness, which oath or affirmation such Justice or Justices is or are hereby empowered and required to administer without fee or reward, and shall be levied by distress and sale of the offender's goods and chattels, by warrant under the hand and seal, or hands and seals, of such Justice or Justices; and all fines, forfeitures and penalties, the application whereof is not hereinbefore particularly directed, shall be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Company, to be applied to the use thereof, and the overplus of the money, so raised, and after deducting the penalty and expenses of the levying and recovering thereof, shall be returned to the owner of the goods so distrained and sold; and for want of sufficient goods and chattels, whereof to levy the said penalty and expenses, the offender shall be sent to the common goal for the County or District in which he shall have been convicted, there to remain without bail or main prize, for such term, not exceeding *one month*, as the Justice or Justices shall think proper, unless the penalty or forfeiture and all expenses attending the same shall be sooner paid and satisfied; but every such person or persons may, within four calendar months after the conviction, appeal against the same to the Court of General Quarter Sessions, to be holden in and for the County or District. And all contraventions of this Act; by the Company or by any other party, for which no punishment or penalty is herein provided, shall be a misdemeanor, and shall be punishable accordingly; but such punishment shall not exempt the Company, if they be the offending party, from the forfeiture of the privileges conferred on them by this Act, and the Acts herein before cited, if by the provisions thereof, or by law, the same be forfeited by such contravention.

How to be applied.

Imprisonment in default of payment &c. Appeal.

All contraventions of this Act to be misdemeanour &c.

Company to convey Troops Mails &c. on certain terms.

Proviso.

XXIX. Provided always, and be it enacted, That the said Company shall at all times when thereunto required by Her Majesty's Deputy Post Master General, the Commander of the Forces, or any person having the superintendence or command of any Police Force, and with the whole resources of the Company, if necessary, carry Her Majesty's Mail, Her Majesty's Naval or Military Forces or Militia, and all Artillery, ammunition, provisions or other stores for their use, and all Policemen, Constables and others travelling on Her Majesty's service, on their said Railroad, on such terms and conditions and under such regulations as the said Company, and the said Deputy Post Master General, the Commander of the Forces, or person commanding any Police Force, respectively, shall agree upon, or if they cannot agree, then on such terms and conditions, and under such regulations as the Governor in Council shall make:—Provided always, That any further enactments which the Legislature of this Province may hereafter deem it expedient to make with regard to the carriage of the said Mail or Her Majesty's forces; and other persons and articles as aforesaid, or the rates to be paid for carrying the same, or in any way respecting the use of any Electric Telegraph or other service to be rendered by the Company to the Government, shall not be deemed an infringement of the privileges intended to be conferred by this Act.

XXX. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be, and be deemed to be, a public Act.