

Remuneration of persons filling up and transmitting schedules.

[4. The Minister of Agriculture, or such other Minister as aforesaid shall cause to be paid, out of any monies which may be provided by Parliament for that purpose, to any Clerk, Officer or Sheriff filling up and transmitting the schedules required under the first section hereof, the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ and the further sum of \_\_\_\_\_ for each \_\_\_\_\_ comprised in such schedules; and to any officer transmitting the returns required under the second section hereof the sum of \_\_\_\_\_.]

Penalty on persons neglecting to comply with the requirements of this Act.

5. Any person neglecting or refusing to fill up and transmit any schedule, or transmit any return required under the first or second section hereof, or wilfully making a false, partial or incorrect Schedule or return under either of the said sections shall forfeit and pay the sum of *eighty dollars* together with full costs of suit, to be recovered by any person suing for the same by action of debt or information in any court of record in the Province in which such return ought to have been made, or is made, or in the Exchequer Court of Canada, one moiety whereof shall be paid to the party suing, and the other moiety into the hands of Her Majesty's Receiver General, to and for the public uses of Canada.

Application of penalty.

Duty of Secretary of State respecting exercise of prerogative of mercy.

6. The Secretary of State shall, before the end of February in each year, cause to be filled up and transmitted to the Minister of Agriculture, or such other Minister as aforesaid, such schedules for the preceding year relative to the cases in which the prerogative of mercy has been exercised, as he shall from time to time receive from the Minister of Agriculture, or such other Minister as aforesaid.

Forms to be approved by Governor in Council and published.

7. All schedules transmitted under this Act shall be according to forms from time to time approved by the Governor in Council, and published in the *Canada Gazette*.

Statistics to be abstracted and printed yearly.

8. The Statistics collected by the Minister of Agriculture, or such other Minister as aforesaid, under this Act shall be abstracted and registered, and the results thereof shall be printed and published in an annual report.

Interpretation.

9. The word Judge in the first section of this Act includes any Recorder, District, Stipendary, or other Magistrate, or other functionary presiding over any court or tribunal administering criminal justice.

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