

“ — — — County,
BY — — — Esquire, one of his Majesty's Justices of the
 Peace for the said County.
 “ YOU are hereby required personally to be and appear before me,
 “ at the Dwelling House of [as the Case may be] on
 “ the day of next, at the Hour of o'clock
 “ of the same Day, then and there to answer wherefore you did not
 “ perform your Labour on according to the Form of the Act
 “ of the General Assembly in such case lately made and provided
 “ and according to the Warning you have received in that behalf,
 “ as it is said. Given under my Hand and Seal, the Day
 “ of A. D. 17
 “ To the Defendant.”

Form of Summons.

VII. And upon Proof being made of such Person's Non-appearance, Refusal, or Neglect, the said Justice or Justices shall cause the said Forfeiture to be levied (together with expences of levying) by Warrant of Distress and Sale of the Offender's Goods and Chattels. And the Money so levied, shall immediately be paid into the Hands of such Overseer or Overseers as prosecute for the same; to be by him or them applied for and towards the Repairs of High Ways within the respective Districts, in such Manner as the Governor, with the advice of his Majesty's Council, shall direct.

Justice empowered to issue Warrants against Delinquents' Goods and Chattels.

Application of Forfeitures.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That the Justices of the Peace for this Island, shall as often as thereto required by the Governor, with the advice of his Majesty's Council, make out with the assistance of the Constables in their Neighbourhood (or any other Person or Persons whom they may judge well informed and fit to give their assistance, and whom they are hereby empowered to summon before them for that Purpose) subscribed Lists of the Names of all such Persons within their respective Districts, who are liable in Terms of this Act to perform Statute Labour on the High Ways; the same to be done between the first day of March and the first day of May annually. And the Persons whose Names are inserted in the said Lists, shall accordingly be deemed and taken to be the Persons who are or may be obliged to labour as aforesaid.

Justices, with the Assistance of Constables, to make out subscribed Lists of the Names of Persons liable to perform Statute Labour.

Persons named in such Lists to be deemed liable to labour, &c.

IX. And be it further enacted, That the said Overseers of the High Ways shall, and they are hereby empowered and required, pursuant to the Orders they shall or may receive from Time to Time from the Governor with the advice aforesaid, to summon the Inhabitants contained in their respective Lists, giving them at least Ten Days Notice of the Time and Place when and where they mean to employ them. And they shall Oversee and Order the Persons so summoned to Labour in making or repairing the High Roads, Streets and Bridges, in the most effectual and advantageous Manner, for and during the Number of Days appointed by this Act for such Service or Labour; they the said Overseers being hereby exempted and excused from any other Labour and Service on, or relative to the High Ways, than the issuing the Summons, ordering and overseeing the Performance of the stated Statute Labour within their respective Districts, and making out and returning within the Time limited by the Orders they receive from the Governor, as aforesaid, exact and true Reports

Overseers required to summons such Persons and to give them at least Ten Days Notice of Time and Place when and where to be employed.

Authority of Overseers.

Exemption of Overseers from all Services, relative to the High Ways, except, &c.