

in the said Township, or inhabitants or proprietors residing as near thereto as can be found, or as circumstances will admit of, which Surveyor and Overseers shall be bound to accept and perform their respective offices for the time by Law already provided, under the penalty and forfeiture of \_\_\_\_\_ for every neglect and refusal so to do.

XVII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that it shall be the duty of the Surveyors in the several Townships under the direction and authority of the Grand-Voyer, to superintend the opening and repairing of all such Highways as may be done and performed at the public charge as aforesaid, and to enter into contracts for the same, and to institute and maintain such actions thereupon as may be necessary, and to certify the execution and performance of the same to the Treasurer before any moneys shall be by him paid for work done and performed, under and in virtue of this Act.

XVIII. Provided always, and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that no contract for opening or repairing any Road, shall be made or entered into until public notice of the same be previously given, in the French and English languages, in some public Newspaper, printed in the District in which the Township wherein the Highway or Road is to be made may lie, as well as at the most public place in the said Township, and at the Church door of the nearest Parish, by at least two weeks; nor shall any such contract be made or entered into unless good and sufficient security be given by the person or persons offering to contract as aforesaid.

XIX. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all and every the penalties, fines and forfeitures which may be incurred in contravention to, by reason of this Act, shall be sued for and recovered in the manner and form as provided for in the aforesaid Act, made and passed in the thirty-sixth year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act for making, repairing and altering Highways and Bridges, within this Province, and for other purposes*;" and shall go to the purposes provided for by the said Act. And the due application of all such moneys as may be levied in virtue of this Act, shall be accounted for to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in such manner and form as His Majesty, His Heirs, and successors shall direct.