

CAP. XII.

An Act in further amendment of the Act concerning the performance of Statute Labor on Highways.*(Passed the 21st day of March, 1848.)*

BE it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly, That in the County of Richmond, instead of the time prescribed in and by the Twelfth Section of the Act passed in the Seventh Year of Her present Majesty's Reign, entitled, 'An Act relative to the performance of Statute Labor on Highways,' the time within which the Statute Labor shall hereafter be performed in each and every District of the said County of Richmond, shall be between the First day of May and the Fifteenth day of October, in each and every year.

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CAP. XIII.

An Act further to amend the Act for the Summary Trial of Actions before Justices of the Peace.*(Passed the 21st day of March, 1848.)*

WHEREAS, it is provided in and by the First Section of the Act passed in the Fifth Year of Her present Majesty's Reign, entitled, 'An Act for the Summary Trial of Actions before Justices of the Peace,' that the decision given in any cause thereunder tried before a Justice or Justices of the Peace, shall be without appeal, unless the whole dealing or cause of Action shall amount to Twenty Shillings; and such limitation of the right of appeal, in some instances, works injustice, and should, therefore, be dispensed with:

Preamble.

I. *Be it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly,* That in all Actions hereafter brought before any Justice of the Peace, under the provisions of the said hereinbefore mentioned Act, either party, Plaintiff or Defendant, if dissatisfied with the decision of the Justice before whom the same shall be tried, may appeal therefrom, notwithstanding the whole dealing or cause of Action may not amount to Twenty Shillings, subject nevertheless, to all other conditions and restrictions in and by such Act imposed on the party appealing thereunder; and all such appeals shall be conducted, tried, and adjudicated upon, in the same manner as if no limitation of the right of appeal had been inserted in such Acts.

Appeal of Action not
amount to Twenty
Shillings.

II. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall continue and be in force for One Year, and thence to the end of the then next Session of the General Assembly.

Duration of Act.

CAP. XIV.

An Act in further amendment of the Act for the encouragement of Schools.*(Passed the 21st day of March, 1848.)*

BE it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly, That a voluntary Assessment, under and in conformity with the provisions of the Forty-third Section of the Act passed in the Eighth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled, 'An Act for the encouragement of Schools,' may be made for the purchase

Assessment for build-
ing Schools, &c.