

missioner to value only particular rights, assigned to them.

said Seigniorial Act of 1854, such Commissioner shall state in writing the particular class of rights the value of which he shall require the *Experts* to determine, and the *Experts* so appointed shall determine the value of that particular class and of no other, and the Commissioner shall determine the value of all others. 5

Either party may desist from their demand for *experts*.

VI. In all cases where *Experts* have been, or shall hereafter be required, either by the Seignior or by the *Censitaires* of a Seigniori, it shall be in the power of the Seignior, if he have required them, or of the majority of those *Censitaires* who signed the requisition for the public meeting to appoint *Experts*, 10 if *Experts* were required by *Censitaires*, to withdraw, with the consent of the other party, such requisition for *Experts*, by filing a declaration in writing to that effect, at the time and place appointed for the meeting called to name *Experts*, or by causing such declaration to be delivered to the Commissioner at any 15 time before such meeting.

Sub-section 2 of section 10 amended.

VII. The second sub-section of the said tenth section of the Seigniorial Act of 1854, in so far as it empowers the *Experts* to value any other than casual rights, or any other than the casual rights referred to them when the Commissioner shall 20 have required the *expertise*, or as empowers the *Experts* or any Judge to appoint a third *Expert*, is hereby repealed.

Experts to value none but casual rights.

VIII. Notwithstanding anything in the said Acts or this Act contained, no *Expert* shall be appointed to determine any other 25 rights than casual rights, nor shall any *Expert* already named determine the value of any other than those rights, and the Commissioner shall determine the value of all others.

Experts to be sworn.

IX. Every *Expert* shall before acting take the following oath :

I, A. B., duly appointed an *Expert* to determine the value 30 of (*here state the rights*), in the Seigniori of _____, do solemnly swear that I will honestly and faithfully, to the best of my knowledge and ability, determine the value of the said rights, without partiality or favor either to the Seignior or the *Censitaires*.—So help me God. 35

By whom oaths may be administered.

X. Any other oath than that to be taken by the Commissioners, required by this Act or by either of the said Acts, shall and may be administered by any Judge of the Superior or Circuit Courts, by any Justice of the Peace or by any one 40 the Commissioners.

Commissioner to be third *expert* unless objected to.

XI. Whenever *Experts* are appointed, the Commissioner making the Schedule shall be *ex officio* the third *Expert*, unless either party notify him in writing that he objects to his acting as such ;—in which case the third *Expert* shall be appointed by the two *Experts*, or if they cannot agree, then such third *Ex-* 45