

Proviso:
Clerk and Assessors, &c., of Corporation to be considered as officers of Court from which Writ issued, for certain purposes.

after the same shall be so received by him, and be applicable to the general purposes of such Municipal Corporation as the surplus of any other rate : And provided also, secondly, that the Clerk of such Municipal Corporation, and the several Assessors and Collectors of such Corporation, shall, for all purposes in any way connected with the carrying into effect, or permitting or assisting such Sheriff to carry into effect, the provisions of this Act, with respect to the satisfaction of any such execution, be taken and deemed to be Officers of the Court out of which such Writ of Execution issued, and as such shall be amenable to such Court, and may be proceeded against by Attachment or otherwise to compel the performance of the duties hereby imposed upon them as any other Officers of such Court may by law be proceeded against for a similar purpose.

An annual account of debts of each Municipal Corporation to be submitted to the Governor General.

Particulars in such account.

CLXXX. And be it enacted, That every such Municipal Corporation shall, annually, on or before the thirty-first day of January in each year, transmit to the Governor General of the Province, through the Provincial Secretary thereof, in such form as shall from time to time be prescribed for that purpose, by any order of the Governor in Council, an account of the several debts of such Corporation, as they may have stood on the thirty-first day of December preceding, specifying in such account the original amount of every such debt of which a balance remained due at that day, the date when such debt was contracted, the day of payment, the amount of interest to be paid therefor, the amount of the rate provided for the redemption and satisfaction of such debt and interest, the proceeds of such rate for the year ending on such thirty-first day of December, the amount of such original loan redeemed and satisfied during such year, the amount of interest, if any, unpaid on such day, and the balance still due on the principal of such loan.

Provision for the appointment of a Commission to investigate financial affairs of Municipal Corporations upon due cause shewn.

CLXXXI. And be it enacted, That upon the petition of one third or upwards of the members of any Municipal Corporation created or to be erected under the authority of this Act, it shall and may be lawful for the Governor of this Province, if sufficient cause be shewn, by order in Council, to issue one or more Commission or Commissions under the Great Seal of this Province, directed to such person or persons as he shall think fit, empowering them to inquire into the financial and monetary affairs of such Municipal Corporation and all things connected therewith, and the person or persons so named in