

Treasurer and Collector to give security for performance of their duties.

Assessors to fix the rate of poundage to be taken by Treasurer and Collector.

Collector neglecting his duties, or not accounting,

to forfeit £5.

Assessors or Fire Wardens refusing to serve, to forfeit a sum not exceeding £2 each.

Collector, Treasurer and Assessors to transmit annually to Colonial Secretary an account of moneys received and disbursed.

Assessors appointed under this Act empowered to compel Treasurer or Collector under Act of 6 Will. 4th, to account, &c.

VIII. And be it enacted, That the Treasurer and Collector of the Fund contemplated to be raised in pursuance of this Act, shall give good and sufficient security for the due performance of their respective duties; and the said Assessors may allow the said Treasurer and Collector such poundage as they shall see fit, and at their discretion to displace either or both of such officers, and to appoint others in their place.

IX. And be it enacted, That if the Collector so appointed shall neglect to perform the duties enjoined by this Act, or shall not account and hand over the said Moneys so received by him, within the time herein-before directed, he shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds, and such Collector shall also pay over all such sum or sums of Money he may have received from time to time for fines and forfeitures, under and by virtue of this Act, within Ten days after the receipt of the same respectively.

X. And be it enacted, That if any of the said Assessors or Fire Wardens shall refuse to serve in their respective offices as enjoined by this Act, each and every such person so refusing shall forfeit and pay a Fine not exceeding Two Pounds—and such Collector, Treasurer and Assessors shall and are hereby required, within Thirty days after such their Annual Meeting, to transmit to the Colonial Secretary's Office a just and true Account of the Receipts and Disbursements of all Moneys received under and by virtue of this Act.

XI. And be it enacted, That the said Assessors, or the major part of them, are hereby empowered and required to cause the Treasurer or Collector appointed under and by virtue of an Act of the Sixth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled *An Act to provide against accidents by Fire, and for the improvement of Property at Georgetown*, to render a copy