

Friday, 9th May, 1873.

4. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act 32 and 33 *Vict.*: Cap. 8, Sec. 5, respecting the salaries and travelling allowances of the County Court Judges in the Provinces of *Ontario* and *New Brunswick* and to provide that except in the County of *York*, in the Province of *Ontario*, and the County of *St. John*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, the salary of each County Court Judge to be hereafter appointed, shall be two thousand dollars per annum, with two hundred dollars for travelling expenses; and that the salary of any County Court Judge, or of the Judge of the District of *Algoma* hereafter appointed, or, heretofore appointed, and having heretofore received a salary less than two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, shall, after a period of three years of service as such County Court Judge, be two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, with the travelling allowances aforesaid; and in each of the said Counties of *York* and *St. John*, the salary of any County Judge hereafter appointed shall be two thousand four hundred dollars, with two hundred dollars for travelling expenses; and the salary of the present Judge of the County Court of the County of *St. John* shall be the sum last aforesaid, the salary of the present Judge of the County Court of the said County of *York* remaining as it was.

That the salary of each Junior Judge of a County Court in either of the said Provinces shall be two thousand dollars per annum, with two hundred dollars for travelling expenses.

5. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that in case any Judge of a County Court in either of the Provinces of *Ontario* or *New Brunswick* becomes, after having continued in such office of Judge of a County Court in either of the said Provinces for fifteen years or upwards, afflicted with some permanent infirmity, disabling him from the due execution of his office, then in case such Judge resigns his office, Her Majesty may by Letters patent under the Great Seal of Canada, reciting such period of office and his disability from permanent infirmity duly to execute his office, grant unto such County Judge an annuity equal to two-thirds of the annual salary of which he was in receipt at the time of his resignation, to commence immediately after his resignation, and to continue thenceforth during his natural life and be payable *pro rata* for any period less than a year during such continuance, out of any unappropriated monies forming part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada.

6. *Resolved*, That the several increases of Salaries, and other changes proposed in the foregoing Resolutions, shall take effect and be computed from and after the first day of January in this present year.

7. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide for the payment to Members of the Senate and of the House of Commons of an increased indemnity, and in pursuance thereof to repeal the first section of the Act 31, *Vict.* Cap. 3, and to substitute in lieu thereof, and as to be read as the first Section of the said Act, the following Section, that is to say:—

“In each Session of Parliament there shall be allowed to each Member of the Senate and of the House of Commons, attending at such Session, ten dollars for each day’s attendance, if the Session do not extend beyond thirty days, and if the Session extends beyond thirty days, then there shall be payable to each Member of the Senate and of the House of Commons attending at such Session a Sessional allowance of One Thousand Dollars, and no more.”

8. *Resolved*, That the deduction provided by the second and fifth sections of the said Act shall be at the rate of eight dollars per day, in lieu of five dollars per day, as in the said section mentioned.

That in lieu of the sum of six dollars mentioned in the third and fifth sections of the said Act, the sum of ten dollars shall be taken and read as part of the said sections respectively.

That the foregoing provisions in respect to such Sessional allowance, shall apply to this present Session, as well as to future Sessions of Parliament.