

An Act respecting the Militia.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows :

1. The thirty-fifth chapter of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, intituled : *An Act respecting the Militia*, is hereby repealed, but such repeal shall not revive any Act or parts of an Act, or any provision of law repealed by the said Act; nor shall the said repeal apply to or affect any transaction, matter or thing or to any commission granted or issued prior to the said repeal.

Chap. 35 of Consolidated Statutes of Canada repealed, saving things and commissions prior.

COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

2. The Governor shall, by virtue of his Office, be Commander in Chief of the Militia.

Governor to be Commander in Chief of Militia.

DESCRIPTION OF MILITIA.

3. The Militia shall consist of all the male inhabitants of the Province of the age of eighteen years or upwards and under sixty years, not exempted or disqualified by law.

Of whom Militia to be composed.

4. The Militia shall be divided into two classes, "The Active Militia" and "The Sedentary Militia."

Two classes of Militia.

5. The Active Militia shall be subdivided into three classes "The Volunteer Force," "The Regular Force," and "The Reserve Force."

Active Militia divided into three Classes.

6. The Sedentary Militia shall be subdivided into two classes, "The Service Sedentary Force," and "The Retired Sedentary Force."

Sedentary Militia divided into two classes.

COMPLETE EXEMPTIONS.

7. The following persons only between the ages of eighteen and sixty as aforesaid, shall be exempt from enrolment and from actual service in any case :

Exemptions from enrolment and service in any case.

The Judges of the Superior Courts of Law or Equity in Upper and Lower Canada ;

The Judge of the Court of Vice-Admiralty ;

30 The Judges of the County Courts ;