

missioner or Commissioners, upon application to him or them made by the party or parties, as aforesaid.

One Clerk only to be employed in each Parish, Township &c.

First Clerk appointed to act in preference to others appointed subsequently.

Clerks how appointed.

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They may be removed from Office.

Such removal to be sanctioned by the Governor.

V. And be it declared, and further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that in any one Parish, Township, or Seignior, as aforesaid, no more than one Clerk, or person doing the duty of Clerk, shall be employed, or in any way act as such Clerk, although two or more Commissioners may have been or may hereafter be appointed in such Parish, Township, or Seignior, as aforesaid, in virtue of this Act, and that the person first appointed to be or act as such Clerk, shall be and act as such Clerk, to the exclusion of all others subsequently appointed as such in the same Parish, Township, or Seignior, until he shall be removed in the manner hereinafter mentioned, and when it may hereafter be necessary to appoint a Clerk or person to act as such under this Act, the appointment shall be vested in a majority of the Commissioners where there are more than two Commissioners in the same Parish, Township, or Seignior, as aforesaid; and when there are no more than two Commissioners in such Parish, Township, or Seignior, as aforesaid, then the appointment of such Clerk or person to act as such, shall be vested in the Commissioner whose appointment shall have been oldest or first in date; provided always, that any Clerk or Clerks, or person or persons acting as such, that may have been or that may hereafter be appointed under and in virtue of this Act, shall and may be removable from his office by the Commissioner by whom he may have been appointed, or by the Commissioners of the same parish, Township, or Seignior, as aforesaid, or a majority of them, such removal being sanctioned by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government of the Province for the time being; and another Clerk or person to act as such appointed in his stead, in the same manner as by this Act it is herein-before provided.

VI. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that such Commissioner or Commissioners shall keep a Register of all Suits