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GEORGII III. REGIS.

CAP. LXXXIX.

An Act for defraying, until the Twenty-fifth Day of *March* One thouſand eight hundred and eleven, the Charge of the Pay and Clothing of the Militia of *Ireland*; and for making Allowances in certain Caſes to Subaltern Officers of the ſaid Militia during Peace. [15th *June* 1810.]

WHEREAS it is neceſſary that Proviſion ſhould be made for defraying the Charge of the Pay and Clothing of the Militia in that Part of the United Kingdom called *Ireland*, for One Year, from the Twenty-fifth Day of *March* One thouſand eight hundred and ten; be it therefore enacted by the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty, by and with the Advice and Conſent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this preſent Parliament aſſembled, and by the Authority of the ſame, That for every County, County of a City or Town in *Ireland*, where the Militia is or ſhall be raiſed, the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury in *Ireland* ſhall iſſue and pay out of the Conſolidated Fund of *Ireland* the whole Sums required, in the Manner and for the ſeveral Uſes herein-after mentioned; (that is to ſay), for the Pay of the ſaid Militia, at the Rate of Six Shillings *per* Day for each Adjutant, Paymaſter, and Surgeon reſpectively, where an Adjutant, Paymaſter, or Surgeon is appointed; and at the Rate of One Shilling and Sixpence *per* Day for each Serjeant, reſident at the Head Quarters of the Regiment, Battalion, or Corps, with the Addition of Two Shillings and Sixpence *per* Week for each Serjeant Major and Quarter Maſter Serjeant, where a Serjeant Major and Quarter Maſter Serjeant are appointed; and at the Rate of One Shilling *per* Day for each Drummer, ſo reſident as aforeſaid, with the Addition of Sixpence *per* Day for each Drum Major, where a Drum Major is appointed; and at the Rate of One Shilling *per* Day for each Fifer ſo reſident as aforeſaid; and at the Rate of One Shilling and Two-pence *per* Day for each Corporal ſo reſident as aforeſaid, and alſo at the Rate of Four-pence

The Treaſury ſhall iſſue Four Months Pay in advance for each County, &c. where Militia is raiſed.

Rates of Pay.

Allowances for Contingencies.

per Month for each Private Man and Drummer, for defraying the contingent Expences of each Regiment and Battalion of Militia; One Penny whereof shall be applied for defraying the Hospital Expences of each Regiment or Battalion during the Time of the Men being from Home upon Account of their annual Exercise; and also for the Clothing of the Militia for such County, after the Rate of Three Pounds and Ten Shillings for each Serjeant, and Two Pounds for each Drummer, with the Addition of One Pound for each Serjeant Major and each Drum Major; and at the Rate of Two Pounds for each Corporal, when such Serjeants, Drummers, Serjeant Majors, Drum Majors, and Corporals, have not been clothed within Two Years; and, with respect to the Private Militia Men, at the Rate of One Pound Twelve Shillings for each Private Militia Man, when such Private Militia Men have not been clothed within Four Years: Provided always, that where any Serjeant, Corporal, or Drummer, shall be absent on Furlough or Licence, such Serjeant, Corporal, or Drummer, shall, during such Absence, receive the Rates of Pay following; (that is to say), every Serjeant the Sum of One Shilling, every Corporal the Sum of Eight-pence, and every Drummer the Sum of Six-pence *per* Day respectively, and no more, and it shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the Time being, to direct that any such Pay shall be from Time to Time issued by the said Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland*, for any Period not exceeding Four Months from the Time when such Advances shall be made.

Clothing.

Rates of Pay when on Furlough.

On Certificate of Discharge of a Serjeant, &c. no Pay to be issued for him.

II. Provided always, and be it enacted, That in case the Colonel, or in his Absence from the Kingdom, the Commanding Officer of any Regiment or Battalion of Militia shall certify in Writing, to the Paymaster of the same, that he hath discharged any Serjeant, Corporal, or Drummer, in such Case no Pay shall be issued for such Serjeant, Corporal, or Drummer, until another be duly appointed.

Colonel shall certify to the Treasury the Days of Exercise, &c. who shall pay to the Regimental Clerks the Sum herein specified.

III. And be it further enacted, That whenever the Governor or Governors, or Deputy Governors, at a General Meeting to be held for any County, County of a City or Town in *Ireland*, shall have fixed the Days of Exercise for the Militia, the Colonel or Commanding Officer shall as soon as may be, certify the same to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland*, specifying the Number of Men and the Number of Days such Men are to be absent from Home on account of such Exercise, not exceeding in the Whole Twenty-eight Days; and the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland* are hereby required within Fourteen Days after the Receipt of such Certificate, to issue and pay out of the Consolidated Fund of *Ireland*, at the Rate of Ten Shillings *per* Day for the Captain of each Company, at the Rate of Five Shillings and Eight-pence *per* Day for each Lieutenant, and of Four Shillings and Eight-pence *per* Day for each Ensign, at the Rate of Five Shillings and Eight-pence *per* Day for each Quarter Master, at the Rate of Seven Shillings and Sixpence *per* Day for each Assistant Surgeon, and also at the Rate of One Shilling *per* Day for each private Militia Man, for any Number of Days not exceeding Twenty-eight, during which such Men shall be absent from Home on Account of their Attendance at such Place of annual Exercise.

IV. And

IV. And be it further enacted, That all Sums of Money granted for the Pay, Clothing, and Contingent Expences of the said Militia as aforesaid, and the Allowances to Adjutants and Surgeons of the said Militia shall be issued and paid by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland*, under the Direction of the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the Time being, who is and are hereby empowered to issue such Regulations as he or they may deem it expedient to adopt from Time to Time in that Behalf. Money granted for Pay, &c. to be issued by the Treasury of Ireland.

V. Provided always, and be it enacted, That where any Regiment or Battalion of Militia is or shall be embodied, or called out into actual Service, and thereby the Officers and private Militia Men are or shall be entitled to the same Pay as the Officers and private Men in His Majesty's other Regiments of Foot, all Pay as aforesaid, shall, during such Time of actual Service, and until such Regiment or Battalion shall be disembodied and return Home, cease and not be paid. While Militia is embodied, Pay and Allowance to cease.

VI. Provided also, and be it enacted, That no Fee or Gratuity whatsoever shall be given or paid for or upon Account of any Warrant or Sum of Money which shall be issued in relation to or in pursuance of this Act. No Fee payable for any Warrant.

VII. Provided also, and be it enacted, That any Person being on Half Pay, or being entitled to any Allowance, as having served in any or either of the Two Troops of Horse Guards, or Regiment of Horse reduced, and serving in the Militia, shall and may, and he is hereby empowered, to receive and take the Subsistence Money by this Act directed to be paid to Captains, Lieutenants, or Ensigns; and the receiving and taking such Subsistence Money by any such Captain, Lieutenant, or Ensign, shall not be deemed a receiving or taking Pay, so as in any Manner to prevent such Person on Half Pay, or being entitled to any such Allowance, from receiving his Half Pay, or such Allowance; and such Person shall take the following Oath before some Justice of the Peace, who is hereby empowered to administer the same. Persons on Half Pay, or entitled to Allowance as having served in the Horse Guards, &c. serving in the Militia, may receive the same on taking the following Oath.

'I *A. B.* do swear, that I had not between the
and the any Place or Employment of Profit, or
'Civil or Military, under His Majesty, besides my Allowance of Half
'Pay as reduced in Regi-
'ment of or Allowance as in
'late Troop of Horse Guards or
'Regiment of Horse reduced, save and except my Subsistence as an
'Officer, for serving in the Militia in the County of
'So help me GOD'.

And taking the said Oath shall be sufficient to entitle such Person to receive his Half Pay or the said Allowance, without taking any other Oath; any Law, Usage, or Custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland*, as soon as they shall receive a Warrant under the Hand of the Colonel or Commanding Officer of the respective Regiments or Battalions of the Militia of *Ireland*, certifying the Receipt of the Clothing, which Certificate shall specify the Number of Serjeants, Treasury on receiving a Warrant from the Colonel certifying the Receipt of the Clothing,

&c. shall issue Money for the Payment.

Serjeants, Corporals, Drummers, and Private Men for whom the same shall have been supplied, and an Order from the said Colonel or Commanding Officer for Money due on Account thereof, payable to the Person or Persons who furnished the said Clothing, shall pay the Sum mentioned in such Order to the Person entitled to receive the same, provided the said Clothing shall not exceed the Allowance herein-before directed; and such Warrant and Order, together with the Receipt of the Person receiving the said Money shall be a sufficient Voucher to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland* for such Payment.

Expence of House for depositing Arms and Stores of the Militia to be defrayed by the County.

IX. And be it further enacted, That the Hire or Cost of any House or Place in which the Arms, Accoutrements, Clothing, or other Stores belonging to any Regiment or Battalion of Militia in *Ireland* shall be kept when not embodied, shall be defrayed by the County, and the necessary Sum for that Purpose shall be raised by Presentment of the Grand Jury of the said County, and which Presentment the Grand Jury of the County is hereby authorized and required to pass, on a Certificate signed by the Chief Secretary of the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the Time being, and specifying the Cost incurred or to be incurred in building such House or Place, or the Rent agreed to be paid for the same; which Certificate shall be transmitted by such Chief Secretary to the Clerk of the Crown for such County, at any Time prior to the First Day of the Assizes for such County, or if in the County or County of the City of *Dublin*, then prior to the First Day of the presenting Term: Provided, that in no Case any greater Rent than Forty Pounds *Irish* Currency shall be presented by such Grand Jury for the annual Rent of such Place, nor a greater Sum than Two hundred Pounds *Irish* Currency shall be required for building such House: Provided also, that the Grand Juries of such Counties shall be entitled to purchase Ground for building and erecting such House, in the same Manner as they are now by Law entitled to purchase Grounds for building County Gaols.

Adjutants and Surgeons, after 20 Years Service, 10 of which as Adjutants or Surgeons of Militia, entitled to receive a certain Allowance.

X. And whereas Persons appointed to act as Adjutants and Surgeons in the Militia may, by Age or Infirmity, be rendered incapable of doing the Duty thereof, and it is expedient that some Provision should be made for them in Consideration of their former Services: be it enacted, That if any Adjutant or Surgeon of the said Militia, who shall have served faithfully either in His Majesty's Regular Forces or in the said Militia, for the full Term of Twenty Years in the Whole, Ten of which he shall have served as an Adjutant or Surgeon of Militia, shall have been by Age or Infirmity, rendered unfit for further Service, he shall, on producing to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland* a Certificate of such Service of Twenty Years as aforesaid, from the Commanding Officer of the Regiment or Battalion of Militia to which he belongs, be entitled to receive, and the said Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in *Ireland* shall be, and they are hereby authorized and required, to pay to such Person producing such Certificate as aforesaid an Allowance at the Rate of Six Shillings *per Diem*: Provided always, that no Person shall be entitled to receive such Allowance as aforesaid, who shall have served for a less Term than Ten Years in the Militia, or who shall hold any Office or Employment of Profit, Civil or Military, under His Majesty.

Annual Allowance to be made to Subaltern Officers after disembodying of Militia.

XI. And whereas it is expedient to make some Addition to the Pay of certain Subaltern Officers, and to Quarter Masters and Assistant Surgeons of the Militia Forces of *Ireland* during Peace, under certain Regulations; be it therefore further enacted, That from and after the disembodying of the Militia Forces in *Ireland*, certain annual Allowances, over and above the Pay to which during Peace they are now entitled, shall for the future be allowed and paid to such Subaltern Officers, Quarter Masters, and Assistant Surgeons to the Amount, under the Restrictions, and in the Manner herein-after expressed; (that is to say), to every Subaltern of the said Militia, who shall have at any Time previous to the Expiration of Four Months from the passing of an Act of the last Session of Parliament, intituled, *An Act for defraying, until the Twenty-fifth Day of* March *One thousand eight hundred and ten, the Charge of the Pay and Clothing of the Militia of* Ireland; *for holding Courts Martial on Serjeant Majors, Serjeants, Corporals, and Drummers, for Offences committed during the Time such Militia shall not be embodied; and for making Allowances in certain Cases to Subaltern Officers of the said Militia during Peace,* been appointed to a Commission in the said Militia, or who previous to the Expiration of Four Months from the passing of this Act, shall be appointed to a Commission, and who shall have continued faithfully to serve in the same Corps, until the disembodying thereof, the Sum of Twenty five Pounds *per Annum* shall be allowed and paid over and above the Pay to which they may be by Law entitled during Peace, and over and above any Deduction of any Kind, or for any Purpose whatsoever; and to every Quarter Master and Assistant Surgeon respectively, a like Allowance of Twenty-five Pounds *per Annum*, in the Manner herein-after mentioned.

Exceptions.

XII. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That no Person who is or shall at any Time hereafter become possessed of such an Estate or Income, as would by Law entitle him to hold a Captain's Commission in the Militia of a County at large in *Ireland*, or who is or shall be at any Time hereafter appointed Adjutant or Paymaster in any Regiment or Battalion of the said Militia, nor any Person deriving in any Way whatsoever, otherwise than as a Subaltern, Quarter Master, or Assistant Surgeon of the said Militia, any Income, Stipend, or Allowance whatsoever from the Public, nor any Officer on the Full or Half Pay of the Navy, Army, or Marines, who shall also hold a Subaltern's Commission in the said Militia, shall have or be in anywise entitled to the said annual Allowance or any Part or Share thereof; any Thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

Subalterns claiming Allowances to take the following Oath.

XIII. And be it further enacted, That every Subaltern Officer, Quarter Master, and Assistant Surgeon of the Militia of *Ireland*, who shall claim under the Authority of this Act to receive any such annual Allowance, shall, previous to receiving the same, and in order to entitle himself thereto, annually take and subscribe an Oath before some one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County, or County of a City, or County of a Town in *Ireland*, to which the Regiment or Battalion in which he serves shall belong, in the Words or to the Effect following; (*videlicet*),

Form of Oath.

'I *A. B.* do swear, That I am serving as a Subaltern Officer, (Quarter Master, or Assistant Surgeon, *as the Case may be*) in the Regiment or Battalion of the Militia of *Ireland*; and that I am not in my own Right, or in Right of my Wife, nor have been since

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'diſembodying of the ſaid Regiment or Battalion, in the actual Poſſeſſion and Enjoyment or Receipt of the Rents and Profits of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, of ſuch an annual Value above Reprizes, as would qualify me to hold a Captain's Commiſſion in the Militia of a County at large in *Ireland*; and that I am not, nor have been ſince the diſembodying of the ſaid Regiment or Battalion, an Adjutant or Paymaſter in any Regiment or Battalion of the Militia of *Ireland*; that I do not hold or enjoy, nor have held or enjoyed, nor does nor has any Perſon for me hold or enjoy, or held or enjoyed ſince the diſembodying the ſaid Regiment or Battalion, any Office or Income whatſoever from the Public; and that I am not entitled either to the Full or Half Pay of the Navy, Army, or Marines, nor have been ſince the diſembodying of the ſaid Regiment or Battalion. So help me GOD.'

Juſtices to tranſmit Oaths to the Collectors of Exciſe.

Which Oath, ſo taken and ſubſcribed, ſhall be by the ſaid Juſtice forthwith certified and tranſmitted, and he is hereby required to certify and tranſmit the ſame to the Collector of Exciſe of the Diſtrict in which the County, County of a City, or County of a Town ſhall be ſituate, to which ſuch Regiment or Battalion of Militia in which ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon ſhall be then ſerving ſhall belong, to be by him filed and preſerved for the Purpoſes herein-after mentioned.

Subalterns to attend the annual Exerciſe, on Pain of forfeiting the Allowance and their Pay.

XIV. And be it further enacted, That every Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon of the ſaid Militia who ſhall be entitled, or claim to be entitled to the Benefits of this Act, ſhall regularly attend the annual Exerciſe and training of the Regiment or Battalion to which he belongs, during the Whole of the Twenty-eight Days by Law required for that Purpoſe, and ſhall, during that Time, punctually do and perform his Duty as a Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon of ſuch Regiment or Battalion, on Pain of forfeiting the ſaid annual Allowance, as well as the Reſt of his Pay, and every Part thereof which may be due for the current Year in which he ſhall neglect or refuſe to attend; and Certificates of his having ſo attended and performed his Duty, ſigned by the Commanding Officer of the Regiment or Battalion to which he may belong, ſhall be tranſmitted by the ſaid Commanding Officer to the Collector of Exciſe of the Diſtrict in which the County, County of a City, or County of a Town is ſituate, to which ſuch Regiment or Battalion in which ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon is then ſerving ſhall belong, to be by the ſaid Collector received previous to any ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon being entitled to demand or receive the ſaid annual Allowance, or any Part thereof; and in caſe any ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon claiming to be entitled to ſuch annual Allowance, ſhall be by his Commanding Officer permitted or ſuffered for any ſpecial Cauſe or unavoidable Neceſſity, to be abſent during the Whole or any Part of ſuch annual Exerciſe, (in which Caſe it ſhall be lawful for ſuch Commanding Officer to grant ſuch Leave of Abſence; and for ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon, who may be ſo permitted to be abſent, to demand and receive the ſaid annual Allowance, and every Part thereof, in like Manner as if he had attended during the Whole of the annual Exerciſe), the Reaſons for ſuch Abſence, as well as the Duration thereof, ſhall be carefully and truly ſpecified in the Certificates before mentioned, ſigned by the Commanding Officer, to be by him tranſmitted as ſoon as conveniently may be to the Collector of Exciſe for the Diſtrict in which ſuch

Certificates of ſuch Attendance to be tranſmitted by the Commanding Officer to the Collector of Exciſe of the Diſtrict.

In caſe of Leave of Abſence, the Reaſon for granting it to be inſerted in the Certificate.

ſuch County, County of a City, or County of a Town, to which ſuch Regiment or Battalion ſhall belong is ſituate, and to the Chief Secretary of the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the Time being.

If Militia be not called out to annual Exerciſe, the Subalterns ſtill to be entitled to Allowance.

XV. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That in caſe any Regiment or Battalion of the ſaid Militia, after the diſembodying thereof, at any Time ſhall not be called out for the annual Exerciſe and Training thereof, every Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, and Aſſiſtant Surgeon belonging to any ſuch Regiment or Battalion, and coming within the Deſcriptions of this Act, who ſhall have taken the Oath herein-before mentioned, before any ſuch Juſtice of the Peace as aforeſaid, ſhall be entitled to the ſaid annual Allowance, as if ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon had regularly attended the annual Exerciſe and Training of ſuch Regiment or Battalion during the Whole of the Twenty-eight Days by Law required for that Purpoſe, and as if a Certificate of ſuch Attendance, ſigned by the Commanding Officer of ſuch Regiment or Battalion, had been tranſmitted to the Collector of Exciſe for the Diſtrict in which ſuch County, County of a City, or County of a Town, to which ſuch Regiment or Battalion ſhall belong is ſituate, according to the Directions of this Act; any Thing contained in this Act to the contrary notwithſtanding.

Allowances to be paid without Deductions.

XVI. And be it further enacted, That upon ſuch Certificate as aforeſaid of ſuch Juſtice of the Peace and Commanding Officer as aforeſaid, or where any Regiment or Battalion ſhall not have been called out to their annual Exerciſe as aforeſaid, upon Certificate of any ſuch Juſtice of the Peace only being produced to or received by the reſpective Collectors, it ſhall and may be lawful for ſuch Collectors, and they are hereby authorized and required to pay to the ſaid Subaltern Officers, Quarter Maſters, and Aſſiſtant Surgeons, the annual Allowance above mentioned, in Addition to their Pay, without any Deduction whatſoever, out of any publick Monies in their Hands; all which Monies ſo paid by ſuch Collectors ſhall be allowed them in their Accounts; the Certificates before mentioned to be by them preſerved and produced as Vouchers for the Payments from Time to Time made by them in purſuance of this Act.

Subalterns not attending when called upon to forfeit their Claims.

XVII. And be it further enacted, That the Subaltern Officers, Quarter Maſters, and Aſſiſtant Surgeons of the ſaid Militia, entitled or claiming to be entitled to the Benefits of this Act, ſhall at all Times be liable to ſerve in the reſpective Regiments or Battalions to which they belong, whenever the ſame ſhall be embodied or called out upon actual Service; and in caſe of Neglect or Refuſal to attend when called upon, or in caſe any ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon ſhall a Second Time neglect or refuſe to attend and perform his Duty at the annual Exerciſe as before directed, each and every ſuch Subaltern Officer, Quarter Maſter, or Aſſiſtant Surgeon ſhall forfeit his and their Claim to the ſaid annual Allowance, and every Part thereof, in all Time to come, and ſhall alſo be conſidered as having reſigned and vacated his and their Commiſſion and Commiſſions to all Intents and Purpoſes whatſoever.

Allowance to be paid by Collectors on

XVIII. And be it further enacted, That the ſaid ſeveral annual Allowances ſhall be paid to the Perſons reſpectively entitled thereto, by the Collectors,

Production of Certificates;

lectors, upon the Production of the before mentioned ſeveral Certificates as ſoon after the Times of the annual Exerciſe and Training as may be convenient or practicable: Provided always, that nothing in this Act contained ſhall extend or be conſtrued to extend, to prevent any Subaltern Officer entitled to the Benefit of this Act, from receiving the Pay allowed by Law for his Attendance at ſuch annual Exerciſe as before mentioned, over and above the ſaid annual Allowance: Provided alſo, that nothing in this Act ſhall extend, or be conſtrued to extend, to entitle any Subaltern Officer as aforeſaid to the ſaid annual Allowance, or any Part thereof, during the Time the Regiment or Battalion to which he belongs ſhall be embodied or called out on actual Service: Provided alſo, that this Act, and the Benefits and Allowances therein contained, ſhall extend, and be conſtrued to extend, to the Quarter Maſter and Aſſiſtant Surgeon of each and every Regiment or Battalion reſpectively, and alſo to the reſpective Numbers of Subaltern Officers in each and every Regiment and Battalion herein-after reſpectively ſpecified and no more, that is to ſay, not exceeding Twenty Subaltern Officers in any Regiment conſiſting of Ten Companies; not exceeding Eighteen Subaltern Officers in any Regiment, conſiſting of only Nine Companies; not exceeding Sixteen Subaltern Officers in any Regiment conſiſting of only Eight Companies; not exceeding Fourteen Subaltern Officers in any Regiment or Battalion conſiſting of only Seven Companies; and not exceeding Twelve Subaltern Officers in any Regiment or Battalion conſiſting of only Six Companies.

but not to be paid while the Militia is embodied.

Allowances to extend only to a certain Number.

Senior Lieutenant to have the Preference, and the Junior to ſucceed on Vacancies.

XIX. And be it further enacted, That in caſe in any Regiment or Battalion of the ſaid Militia, at the Time of diſembodying thereof, there ſhall happen to be a greater Number of Subaltern Officers, coming within the Deſcription of this Act, than can be entitled to claim the Benefits thereof, within the true Intent and Meaning of the foregoing Proviſo, the Senior Officers of ſuch Number ſhall always be preferred, and ſhall be alone entitled to demand and receive the before mentioned Allowances, and that the Junior Officers ſhall ſucceed to ſuch Allowances in Rotation as Vacancies may happen among the ſaid Senior Officers from Time to Time.

Recovery of Penalties and Coſts.

XX. And be it further enacted, That all Penalties and Coſts, and Charges of Suit, and all Sums of Money to or for which any Perſon or Perſons is or are or may be made anſwerable or liable, under or by virtue of this Act, ſhall be paid in *Iriſh* Currency, and ſhall be recovered in any of His Majeſty's Courts of Record at *Dublin*, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information, wherein no Eſſoign, Wager of Law, Privilege, or Protection, nor more than one Imparlance ſhall be allowed.

Act may be altered or repealed this Seſſion.

XXI. And be it further enacted, That this Act may be altered, amended, or repealed, by any Act or Acts to be made in this preſent Seſſion of Parliament.

Continuance of Act.

XXII. And be it further enacted, That this Act ſhall continue in force until the Twenty-fifth Day of *March* One thouſand eight hundred and eleven, and no longer.

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