

L. H. J. the Sheriff of each County is hereby directed once in every Six  
 Liber No. 48 Months or oftner if required to deliver an Account to the Governor  
 May 22 or Commander in Chief for the Time being and another to the  
 Treasurer of each respective Shore of this Province to whom the  
 Said Sheriff shall pay all Such Sum and Sums of Money as he  
 shall receive in Virtue of this Act and the Said Treasurers are hereby  
 required and directed to pay to the Order of the Governor or Com-  
 mander in Chief for the Purposes aforesaid from Time to Time Such  
 Sum and Sums of Money as they shall receive as aforesaid and the  
 Said Treasurers are hereby required and directed to lay an Account  
 before the General Assembly of this Province every Session of the  
 disposition of the said Money.

And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, that all and every  
 Sum and Sums of Money, which shall be received by any Officer of  
 the Militia, in Virtue of this Act, Shall be forthwith paid Such  
 Officer into the Hands of the Sheriff of the County wherein Such  
 Offender shall reside; which Said Sheriff is hereby required and  
 directed to render Accounts and Pay the Same to the Treasurers as  
 before directed, which Said Treasurers are hereby required and  
 directed to render Accounts and pay Such Money as before directed,  
 and in Case any Officer who shall receive any Sum of Money as  
 aforesaid shall depart this Life without Payment thereof into the  
 Hands of the Sheriff as aforesaid the Executor or Administrator  
 of Such Officer shall be liable to the Payment thereof before any  
 other Debt whether on Judgment or otherwise any Law Usage or  
 Custom notwithstanding. And every Officer who shall receive Money  
 as aforesaid in Virtue of this Act, shall transmit an Account thereof,  
 once in every Six Months, to the Governor or Commander in Chief  
 for the Time being, and pay the Same as aforesaid, on pain of for-  
 feiting double the Sum of Money by him Received on default of  
 such Payment, and also of being degraded and compelled to Serve  
 as a Private Man in the Militia of his County.

p. 315 And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, that if any Sum  
 or Sums of Money to be levied or raised in Virtue of this Act, shall  
 be unapplied to the Uses and Purposes in this Act Mentioned and  
 directed, Such Sum or Sums of Money so unapplied, shall be applied  
 to such Uses and Purposes as shall be directed by the next General  
 Assembly thereafter.

And be in Enacted by the Authority aforesaid; that the Office  
 Bonds of all Sheriffs shall be deemed to be liable to make good all  
 and every the Sum and Sums of Money, which they shall receive  
 in Virtue of or by Direction of this Act. And be it Enacted by the  
 authority aforesaid that if any Person or Persons, Shall be Sued  
 or impleaded for any matter or thing lawfully done, or Commanded  
 to be done, in the Execution or by Virtue of this Act, he or they  
 shall or may plead the General Issue, and give this Act in Evidence