

and he is hereby declared to be, thenceforth, discharged from the said Office of Collector of Impost and Excise, for the District of Halifax.

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II. *And be it further enacted*, That there shall be granted and paid, out of the Treasury of this Province, unto the said John Newton, or his Assigns, during the term of his natural life, an Annuity, or Pension, of Two Hundred Pounds per Annum, from the said first day of January, One thousand eight hundred and seven; to be paid quarterly, by Warrant for that purpose, to be drawn by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being.

Allowed a pension of 200l. per Annum.

CAP. XV.

An ACT in further addition to, and amendment of an Act, made in the second year of his present Majesty's Reign, entitled, an Act for the appointment of Firewards, ascertaining their duty, and for punishing Thefts and Disorders at the time of Fire.

**W**HEREAS, *it having been found necessary to provide more than two Fire Engines for the Town of Halifax, it becomes expedient to increase the number of Engine Men:*

Preamble.

I. *Be it therefore Enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly*, That it shall be lawful for the Justices of the Peace, in their Sessions, for the Town and County of Halifax, to appoint a further number of discreet and prudent persons as Engine Men, not exceeding Twelve, in addition to the number already appointed, or to be appointed, under the Act or Acts, whereof this is a further amendment; and such persons shall be subject to the duties, and entitled to all the privileges and exemptions, granted by the said Acts to Fire Engine Men.

Twelve additional Firemen appointed.

*And whereas the present number of Firewards in the Town of Halifax has been found insufficient:*

II. *Be it enacted*. That it shall, and may be lawful, for the Justices of the Peace in the Town and County of Halifax, to appoint a further number of discreet persons as Firewards, not exceeding five, in the several parts of the said Town of Halifax, who shall be sworn faithfully to discharge their trust, and who shall be invested with all the powers and regulations, as are provided for, in, and by the several Acts aforesaid.

Five additional Firewards.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That the exemption from working on the Highways, granted by Law, to Engine Men, in the Town of Halifax, be extended, and the same is hereby extended, to Engine Men, appointed, or to be appointed by the aforesaid Acts, in the Towns of Annapolis, Windsor, Shelburne, Liverpool, and Lunenburg.

Engine Men in the Towns of Annapolis, Windsor, Shelburne, Liverpool and Lunenburg, exempted from Highway Labour.

CAP. XVI.

An ACT to regulate the appointment of Collectors, and other Officers of Impost and Excise.

**B**E *it enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly*, That from and after the First day of January, One thousand eight hundred and seven, there shall be only one person appointed or employed, as Collector of Impost and Excise, for the District of Halifax, or any other District or Port in this Province.

One Collector of Impost and Excise for Each District.