

Act be in force for two years, and to the end of the then next Session of the General Assembly.

CAP. XVII.

An Act to provide payment for certain Public Services.

Passed the 11th March, 1818.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it has been usual and is expedient to provide for the services of the Speaker, and for defraying the expences and travelling charges of the Members of the House of Assembly,

Speaker of the House of Assembly, £100 for each Session.

Members per diem for their expences of travelling and attendance, to be certified by the Speaker.

To be paid by the Governor's Warrant, with the advice of His Majesty's Council.

Limitation.

I. *Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly,* That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the Province, to the Speaker, the sum of *one hundred pounds* for each and every Session, during the continuance of this Act, and to the Members of the House of Assembly, for defraying the expences of their attendance, and travelling charges, reckoning twenty miles to each days travel, to be certified by the Speaker, *twenty shillings* per diem each, for the present Session, and all future Sessions of the General Assembly, during the continuance of this Act; which forementioned sums of money shall be paid by the Treasurer, by Warrant of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, out of the monies now in the Treasury, or as payments may be made at the same.

II. *Be it further enacted,* That this Act shall be and remain in full force for and during