

CAP. XVII.

An Act to provide for the Retirement of the present Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland.

[Passed 7th April, 1865.]

WHEREAS the Honorable Sir Francis Brady, Knight, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland, has applied to the Local Government to be permitted, on the grounds of his infirm health, declining years, and long services, to retire from his said Office, on a suitable Pension, to be provided for him by this Colony: And Whereas the said Sir Francis Brady has, during a period of nearly eighteen years, discharged the duties of his said Office with great diligence, assiduity and ability; and on that account, and for the reasons so as aforesaid preferred by him, is entitled to the indulgent consideration of the Legislature, in the matter of his said application:

Preamble,

Be it therefore enacted by the Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, as follows:—

I.—The said Sir Francis Brady shall, during the term of his natural life, be entitled to receive annually from the Public Funds of the Colony, a retiring Pension equal to one-half the amount heretofore received by him as the salary of his said Office.

Pension equal
to one half pre-
sent salary.

II.—The said Pension shall commence from the time of the passing of this Act, and the resignation by the said Sir Francis Brady of his said Office; and shall be payable quarterly, by Warrant of the Governor on the Receiver General, in like manner as the ordinary salaries of Government Officers are now payable.

Pension pay-
able by warrant,
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