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Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Newfoundland, passed in the year 1856.

19 Victoria – Chapter 23

An Act to Provide for the Retirement of the present Sheriff of the Central District of Newfoundland. (Passed 12th May, 1856.)

Be it enacted by the Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that from the First Day of July next, Benjamin Greer Garrett, Esquire, the present Sheriff of the Central District of Newfoundland, shall receive, for the term of his natural life, as a Retiring Allowance, the Annual sum of Two Hundred and Seventy Five Pounds, payable Quarterly out of the Public Funds, Income, and General Revenue of this Colony; which Retiring Allowance shall cease upon his accepting any Office under the Government of this Colony of equal or greater value.