

Militia (City of London) Act 1820

1820 CHAPTER 100

XVII If Deserters or Absentees be not taken, or do not return in Three Months, the Commissioners to provide Men out of the Trophy Tax. Deserters, if taken, to be compelled to serve.

Arid be it further enacted, That in case any Militia Man serving in the said Militia, shall desert or absent himself from his Duty, and shall not return or be taken within the Space of Three Calendar Months from the Time of his so deserting or absenting himself then, upon Certificate thereof from the Commanding Officer of the said Militia to the said Commissioners of Lieutenancy, at any of their Courts of Lieutenancy, the said Commissioners shall and are hereby required out of the Trophy Tax raised for the said City, within Ten Days next following, to provide another Man in the Place of him so deserting; and in case such Militia Man shall at any Time return or be taken, he shall, notwithstanding any Person shall have been provided to serve in his room, be compelled to serve in the same Manner and for the same Time, as if no Person had been provided in his room.