

Continued to the
31st December,
1865.

additional duty on wine, rum, and other articles herein mentioned, and for encouraging the agriculture, fisheries and commerce, of this Province; and every matter, clause and thing, contained in this, and in all and every of the above recited Acts, and also in such Acts as have been made in explanation, amendment or alteration, of any or either of the said Acts, shall be, and are hereby, continued in force, until the thirty-first day of December, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and five.

CAP. III.

An ACT to continue in force the several Acts therein mentioned.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the several Acts herein mentioned, be further continued:

Summary trial of
Actions.

I. Be it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That an Act, made in the fifth year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act for the summary trial of actions, and the several Acts that have been made in amendment, explanation or alteration,

Justices enabled
to issue compul-
sory process in
civil causes.

of the same; also, an Act, made in the twenty-sixth year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to enable one or more Justices of the Peace to issue compulsory process in the first instance, in civil causes, which are by law triable before them; also, an Act, made in the

Obstructing the
passage of fish in
rivers.

*said twenty-sixth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act in addition to, and amend-
ment of, an Act to prevent nuisances by hedges, wares, and other incumbrances, obstructing
the passage of fish in the rivers of this Province; also, an Act, made in the thirty-third year*

Act respecting
the times of hold-
ing Courts of
Justice.

*of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to amend an Act, passed in the sixth year of His Ma-
jesty's reign, entitled, An Act for regulating the times and places for holding the several
Courts of Justice therein named; and also to enable the Supreme Court to alter and fix the*

Prohibiting the
exportation of
Gunpowder, &c.

*return of writs; also, an Act to revive a law for empowering the Governor, Lieutenant-Gov-
ernor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, to prohibit the exportation of gun-pow-
der, arms and ammunition, or salt-petre, or carrying the same coastways; also, an Act, passed*

Trial of Issues by
Justices of Nisi
Prius in Sydney,
Lunenburg, &c.

*in the same year, entitled, An Act for providing for the trial of issues, by Justices of Nisi Pri-
us, in the counties of Sydney, Lunenburg, Queen's County, and Shelburne; also, an Act, pas-
sed in the same year, to regulate the packing and inspection of salted beef and pork for expor-
tation; also, an Act, made in the thirty-sixth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act*

Inspection of salt
beef.

*to regulate the assize of bread; also, an Act passed in the same year, entitled, An Act to en-
able the inhabitants in the several towns in this Province, to raise money for the sinking of
wells, and supplying the same with pumps, and for keeping them in repair; also, an Act,*

Assize of bread.
Sinking of wells.

*passed in the thirty-eighth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act respecting aliens
coming into this Province, or residing therein; also, an Act, passed the same year, entitled,*

Respecting ali-
ens.

*An Act for regulating the exportation of red or smoaked herrings, and in amendment to an
Act, passed in the second year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act for regulating the ex-
portation of fish, and the size of barrels, hoops, boards, and all other kind of lumber, and for*

Exportation of
smoaked her-
rings, &c

*appointing officers to survey the same; also, an Act, passed in the fortieth year of His Majes-
ty's reign, entitled, An Act in amendment of an Act, passed in the thirty-fifth year of His
Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to amend, and reduce into one Act, the several Acts made by*

Office of Sheriff.

*the General Assembly, relating to the office of Sheriff, and also for altering the form of the
summons heretofore used; also, an Act to revive, amend and continue, an Act, passed in the
thirty-sixth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act in addition to an Act, made in the*

Made of raising
money on coun-
ties, for defray-
ing county char-
ges.

*fifth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act for raising money by presentment, on the
several counties in this Province, for the defraying of certain county charges therein men-
tioned; also, an Act, passed in the fortieth year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act*

To prevent mo-
nopolizing of
cord wood.

*to revive and continue an Act, made in the thirty-eighth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled,
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An Act to amend, and render more effectual, an Act, passed in the eighteenth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to prevent the forestalling, regrating and monopolizing, of cord wood, in the town of Halifax; also, an Act to alter and amend an Act, passed in the thirty-ninth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act for repairing, or rebuilding, the market house, erecting a country market, and regulating the several markets in the town of Halifax; and also, to revive, alter and amend, and bring into one Act, the Act for preventing frauds by butchers and fishmongers; and the Act, made in the thirty-fourth year of His late Majesty's reign, for regulating and establishing a public market in the town of Halifax; also, an Act, passed in the forty-third year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to continue and amend an Act, entitled, An Act to revive, continue and amend, an Act, passed in the thirty-second year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to regulate the summary trial of actions, before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, in the town and peninsula of Halifax; and every matter, clause and thing, contained in all and every of the above-mentioned Acts, and also in such Acts as have been made in explanation, amendment or alteration, of any, or either, of the said Acts, or for the purpose of reviving the same, shall be continued in force until the thirty-first day of December, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and five, any thing in the said Acts to the contrary notwithstanding.

Relating to the Market Houses, &c.

Summary trial of Actions.

Act continued to 31st December, 1805.

CAP. IV.

An ACT in addition to, and amendment of, an Act, passed in the Thirty-fifth year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, an Act to amend, and reduce into one Act, the several Laws, now in being, relating to a Militia in this Province.

WHEREAS, by the before recited Act, it is enacted, that no artillery company shall consist of more than thirty-two rank and file, which number is thought to be insufficient, for what may be required in defense of the country:

Preamble.

I. *Be it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That, from and after the publication hereof, it shall and may be lawful for such artillery companies to consist of such number of men as may be thought necessary by the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being; any thing in the said Act notwithstanding.*

Artillery company to consist of such number, as may be thought necessary by the Governor.

II. *And be it further enacted, That all persons who are now enrolled, or shall hereafter enrol themselves, to serve, either in the grenadier company, or light infantry company, of any regiment or battalion of militia in this Province, shall continue in such company for three years from the date of his enrollment, unless in case of removal from the county, or being discharged by the commanding officer of such company.*

Persons in volunteer companies to remain 3 years, unless in case of removal or discharge.

III. *And be it further enacted, That in places and situations where there may not be a sufficient number of public inns, taverns, ale-houses and licensed shops, whereon to billet the whole of any detachment of soldiers or militia, that may be on a march, it shall and may be lawful to billet a part of such detachment on other house-keepers, in the discretion of the Magistrates, giving billets for the same.*

Where there are no taverns, &c. it may be lawful to billet the militia, when marching, on housekeepers.

IV. *And be it further enacted, That this Act, and the said Act, passed in the thirty-fifth year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act to amend, and reduce into one Act, the several laws, now in being, relating to a militia in this Province," (except such parts thereof as are altered by this Act;) and the Act, passed in the forty-first year of His Majesty's reign, entitled,*

Continuation of this Act, and Act 35th Geo. 3d.

titled,