

try Market, and regulating the several Markets in the Town of Halifax, and, also, to revive, alter and amend, and bring into one Act, the Acts 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 fourth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, 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. And, also, an Act made in the forty-sixth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, an Act in addition to and amendment of an Act made in the fortieth year of his present Majesty's reign, entitled, an Act in further addition to, and for altering and amending 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; 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, in the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and seven, and until the end of the next Session of General Assembly.

Act—respecting
Public Market in
Halifax.

Act—respecting
the Militia.

Act continued one
year.

CAP XIII.

An ACT in further amendment of an Act, made and passed in the Thirty ninth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled, an Act for raising a Revenue to repair the Roads throughout the Province, by laying a Duty on persons hereafter to be licenced to keep Public Houses or Shops, for the retail of Spirituous Liquors, and for regulating such Public Houses and Shops.

BE it enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful, for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Commander in Chief, for the time being, to cause the Licence money, which shall hereafter be collected out of the bounds of the Township of Halifax, by the Clerk of the Licences for the County of Halifax, and paid by him into the Treasury of the Province, pursuant to the directions of the said Act, to be applied to the repair of the public Roads, within the Township or Place, wherein such Money shall have been collected. Any thing in the said Act, to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

Licence Money
collected out of
the bounds of Ha-
lifax, to be paid
into the Treasury,
and applied on
Roads were col-
lected.

CAP. XIV.

An ACT for granting an Annuity to John Newton, Esq. one of the Collectors of Impost and Excise, for the District of Halifax.

WHEREAS, *John Newton, Esq. by reason of his age and infirmities, is no longer able to discharge the Duties of a Collector of Impost for the District of Halifax :*

I. *Be it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, That from and after the first day of January, One thousand eight hundred and seven, the said John Newton shall be,*
and

Preamble.

J. Newton, Esq.
discharged from

and he is hereby declared to be, thenceforth, discharged from the said Office of Collector of Impost and Excise, for the District of Halifax.

the duty of Collector of Impost and Excise.

II. *And be it further enacted*, That there shall be granted and paid, out of the Treasury of this Province, unto the said John Newton, or his Assigns, during the term of his natural life, an Annuity, or Pension, of Two Hundred Pounds per Annum, from the said first day of January, One thousand eight hundred and seven; to be paid quarterly, by Warrant for that purpose, to be drawn by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being.

Allowed a pension of 200l. per Annum.

CAP. XV.

An ACT in further addition to, and amendment of an Act, made in the second year of his present Majesty's Reign, entitled, an Act for the appointment of Firewards, ascertaining their duty, and for punishing Thefts and Disorders at the time of Fire.

WHEREAS, *it having been found necessary to provide more than two Fire Engines for the Town of Halifax, it becomes expedient to increase the number of Engine Men:*

Preamble.

I. *Be it therefore Enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly*, That it shall be lawful for the Justices of the Peace, in their Sessions, for the Town and County of Halifax, to appoint a further number of discreet and prudent persons as Engine Men, not exceeding Twelve, in addition to the number already appointed, or to be appointed, under the Act or Acts, whereof this is a further amendment; and such persons shall be subject to the duties, and entitled to all the privileges and exemptions, granted by the said Acts to Fire Engine Men.

Twelve additional Firemen appointed.

And whereas the present number of Firewards in the Town of Halifax has been found insufficient:

II. *Be it enacted*. That it shall, and may be lawful, for the Justices of the Peace in the Town and County of Halifax, to appoint a further number of discreet persons as Firewards, not exceeding five, in the several parts of the said Town of Halifax, who shall be sworn faithfully to discharge their trust, and who shall be invested with all the powers and regulations, as are provided for, in, and by the several Acts aforesaid.

Five additional Firewards.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That the exemption from working on the Highways, granted by Law, to Engine Men, in the Town of Halifax, be extended, and the same is hereby extended, to Engine Men, appointed, or to be appointed by the aforesaid Acts, in the Towns of Annapolis, Windsor, Shelburne, Liverpool, and Lunenburg.

Engine Men in the Towns of Annapolis, Windsor, Shelburne, Liverpool and Lunenburg, exempted from Highway Labour.

CAP XVI.

An ACT to regulate the appointment of Collectors, and other Officers of Impost and Excise.

BE *it enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly*, That from and after the First day of January, One thousand eight hundred and seven, there shall be only one person appointed or employed, as Collector of Impost and Excise, for the District of Halifax, or any other District or Port in this Province.

One Collector of Impost and Excise for Each District.