

them, are hereby authorized to cause such earth, ashes, manure stones, shavings, rubbish, dirt, fish, or offal, to be instantly removed, without giving any notice to the owner, or supposed owners thereof, or being at all answerable for the same. *Provided always*, That no person shall be liable to the said penalty, unless he shall have thrown or placed the said nuisance in the street, lane or highway, where the same shall be found, or not having thrown or placed the same in, the said street, lane or highway, shall suffer the same to continue for the space of four hours.

Proviso.

And whereas, persons keeping Carts, Sleds, or Trucks, frequently neglect to perform their highway labour, or to work in a proper manner, and it is expedient to substitute a Money payment, in lieu thereof :

Preamble.

II. *Be it therefore enacted*, That every person or persons, who shall keep any horse or horses, and cart, sled or truck, shall, besides performing his and their personal statute labour, pay for such horses annually at the following rates : that is to say, for one horse, seven shillings and six pence ; for two horses, twelve shillings ; for three horses, sixteen shillings ; for four horses twenty shillings ; and for every horse above four, two shillings and six pence more.

Horse rates.

And whereas, the main public Road leading from Halifax to Sackville Bridge, is frequently encumbered and obstructed with Logs, Spars, Bark, Scantling, Boards, Plank, Slabs, Cordwood, Hoop Poles, Staves, Laths, Fencing Materials and Stones, to the great annoyance and danger of travellers and passengers on the road ; for remedy whereof :

Preamble.

III. *Be it enacted*, That in ten days after the publication hereof, all logs, spars, bark, scantling, boards, planks, slabs, cordwood, hoop poles, staves, laths, fencing materials, and stones, and timber of any kind, which shall be found in the ditches or track of the said road between M'Alpine's house, and the upper or eastern side of Sackville bridge, shall be *ipso facto* forfeited ; and it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners, or any of them, without any suit or process of Law whatever, to cause all articles so found, to be instantly seized, and disposed of in such way, or manner as they shall think proper ; and if the same shall be sold, the proceeds of such sale shall be applied by the said commissioners for the repair and improvement of the said road.

Nuisances on road to Sackville.

IV. *And be it further enacted*, That all sum and sums of money, penalties and forfeitures, herein contained, shall be sued for and recovered before any Justice of the Peace for the County of Halifax.

Prosecutions

V. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall be and remain in full force and effect for one year from the publication hereof, and from thence to the end of the next Session of the General Assembly.*

Continuation.

* In force in 1815.

CAP. XII.

An ACT to encourage the raising of Bread Corn on new Lands.

Expired.

CAP. XIII.

An ACT to continue, and in addition to, and amendment of, an Act to regulate the expenditure of Monies hereafter to be appropriated for the service of Roads and Bridges.

Expired