

fifty-fifth years of his Majesty's reign, for altering, continuing and amending, the said Act, be continued, and the same are hereby continued, until the eighteenth day of March, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, and no longer.

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CAP. XV.

An ACT to continue an Act imposing a Duty on articles to be imported from the United States of America, and for appropriating the same.

**B**E it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That the Act, passed in the fifty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act imposing a duty on articles to be imported from the United States of America, and for appropriating the same, be continued, and the same is hereby continued, until the eighteenth day of March, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, and no longer.

Act 55th Geo. III. continued to 18th March, 1817.

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CAP. XVI.

An ACT in amendment of an Act, passed in the fifty-first year of His present Majesty's Reign, entitled, An Act for the encouragement of Inland Navigation.

**W**HEREAS, the Directors of the Yarmouth Lock and Canal Proprietors are prevented from carrying in to effect the good purposes for which said Proprietors were incorporated, by the reason of the absence of so many of the said Proprietors, who neglect to provide proxies, that two-thirds of the said Proprietors cannot be got together in person or by proxy, as, by the fourth Section of the Act of which this Act is an amendment, is required: for remedy whereof:

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I. Be it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That in all future meetings of the proprietors of the said Company, the vote of two thirds of such Proprietors as shall be present in person or by proxy at such meetings, not being less than fifteen in number, shall bind all the Proprietors. *Provided*, that in addition to the notice now required by Law to be given of such meeting, one month previous notice of such meeting shall also be advertised in the Royal Gazette of this Province.

All Canal Proprietors bound by the vote of two-thirds at any Meeting. Notice of Meeting.

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CAP. XVII.

An ACT providing an Annual Pension for Judge MONK, on his retiring from office.

**W**HEREAS, George Henry Monk, Esq. on account of his declining health, has obtained permission from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, to resign his Commission as an Assistant Justice of His Majesty's Supreme Court. And whereas, in consideration of the many services performed by the said George Henry

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*Henry Monk, for this Province, during a long course of years, in various public employments, it is reasonable that provision should be made for his future honorable support :*

**PENSION.**  
I. *BE it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly,* That there shall be paid to the said George Henry Monk, Esq. yearly and every year, during his natural life, the annual or yearly sum of four hundred pounds, currency ; which sum shall be drawn from time to time, out of the monies in the Treasury of this Province, by Warrant of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief of this Province, for the time being.

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CAP. XVIII.

An ACT for altering the time of holding the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, and General Sessions of the Peace, at Digby, in the County of Annapolis.

**Inferior Court, &c. when held at Digby.**  
**B**E it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That the Court of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Court of Common Pleas, shall hereafter be held at Digby, in the County of Annapolis, on the first Tuesday of July, in each and every year, instead of the second Tuesday of June, as heretofore accustomed, any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

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CAP. XIX.

An ACT to revive and continue an Act respecting Aliens coming into this Province, or residing therein.

**Act 38th Geo. III. revived.**  
**B**E it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That the Act of the General Assembly, passed in the thirty-eighth year of his present Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act respecting Aliens coming into this Province, or residing therein, and every matter, clause, and thing therein contained, be revived, and the same is hereby revived.

**Continued to 18th March, 1817.**  
II. *And be it further enacted,* That the said Act hereby revived, be, and the same is hereby continued in force, until the eighteenth day of March, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, and from thence to the end of the next Session of the General Assembly.

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CAP. XX.

An ACT in addition to, and amendment of, an Act, passed in the fifty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to facilitate the passage across the Harbour of Halifax.

**Preamble.**  
**W**HEREAS, the provisions of the beforementioned Act, relate to Steam Boats only ; and whereas, it is yet uncertain whether Steam Boats will be more useful than Boats, whose machinery is moved by a different power:  
I. *Be*