

At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Thursday, the Fourteenth Day of February, 1822, in the Third year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Fourth, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith &c. &c. and ended on the Third Day of March, in the Second Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Fourth, being the First Session of the Twelfth General Assembly, convened in the said Province.

3 George IV – Chapter 28

An Act for the relief of David Williams, an Insolvent Debtor.

Whereas, David Williams, an unfortunate and insolvent Debtor, is detained in the county jail in Halifax, although willing to deliver up all his estates and effects towards satisfaction of the debt he owes:

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, that the said David Williams shall be entitled to his discharge, upon complying with the terms and conditions mentioned in the several acts for the relief of insolvent debtors, notwithstanding the creditor or creditors may agree to provide him with bread, any thing in the said act to the contrary notwithstanding; and the judges of His Majesty's supreme court are hereby empowered and directed to take judicial notice of this act, and to govern themselves accordingly.