

At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Tuesday, the Fifteenth day of February, 1825, in the Sixth 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. being the Fifth Session of the Twelfth General Assembly, convened in the said Province.

6 George IV – Chapter 17

An Act for the relief of James Kidston, an Insolvent Debtor.

Whereas, James Kidston, an unfortunate Debtor, is detained in the county jail at Halifax:

Be it enacted by the President, Council and Assembly, that the said James Kidston shall be forthwith discharged from his confinement in the said jail, under writ of execution issued and made returnable into His Majesty's supreme court at Halifax, upon a judgment, recovered in the said supreme court, against the said James Kidston, at the suit of James Wilson; and the sheriff of the county of Halifax is hereby directed to discharge the said James Kidston forthwith from such his confinement, and this act shall be to him a full and sufficient justification for so doing. Provided always, that the said James Wilson, his executors and administrators, shall at all times be entitled to recover and levy the amount of his said judgment and interest thereon, from and against the goods, chattles and estate, of the said James Kidston, in the same manner as if the said James Kidston had been discharged from his said confinement under and by virtue of the statutes now in force, for the relief of insolvent debtors. And the judges of His Majesty's supreme court are hereby empowered and required to take judicial notice of this act, and govern themselves accordingly.