

## CAP. III.

An ACT to revive, continue and amend "An Act for the better securing the Navigation of Passamaquoddy Bay within Deer Island." Passed the 14th March, 1810.

**W**HEREAS an Act made and passed in the Forty-first Year of His MAJESTY'S Reign, intituled "An Act for the better securing the Navigation of *Passamaquoddy Bay* within "*Deer Island*," has been found insufficient for the purposes intended by the said Act. And whereas it is necessary for the greater security and conveniency of said Navigation that a Beacon be erected on the reef of rocks on the Western side of *St. Andrews* harbour, that the depth of water on the Bar on the Western side of said harbour should be increased, and a Slip built in said harbour, and that further provisions should be made for defraying the expence of such improvements and likewise for replacing and repairing the same as well as the Buoys and Beacons already erected as they may be injured or carried away by ice, gales of wind or other accidents.

I. *Be it therefore enacted by the President, Council and Assembly,* That it shall and may be lawful for such Commissioners, or the major part of them, as His Honor the President shall appoint, to erect a Beacon on the reef of rocks on the Western side of *St. Andrews* harbour, to widen and deepen the channel of the bar on the Western side of said harbour in such manner as to increase the depth of the channel on said bar at high water, that vessels of a large draught of water may more easily and safely come into, or sail from that harbour; and likewise to build a Slip in said harbour.

Commissioners to erect a Beacon on the Reef of Rocks on the western side of St. Andrews Harbour, and deepen the Channel of the Bar, and to build a Slip.

II. *And be it further enacted,* That from and after the time it shall be certified under the hands of the Justices of the Common Pleas, or the major part of them, to the Deputy Treasurer of the said County, that the said Beacon is erected and the channel on said bar widened and deepened; there be and hereby is granted to His MAJESTY, his heirs and successors, for defraying the expence of such improvements, and for replacing and keeping the same in repair, as well as the Buoys and Beacons already erected, so often as they may be carried away or injured; an additional tonnage duty of *one halfpenny* per ton on all inward bound vessels (coasting craft excepted) entering *Passamaquoddy Bay* within *Deer Island*, for every ton they respectively admeasure agreeably to register, for each time they arrive in *Passamaquoddy Bay* within *Deer Island* aforesaid.

After the said Beacon shall be erected and the Channel deepened, an additional duty of one halfpenny per ton to be paid for all vessels other than coasters, for each time they arrive within Deer Island.

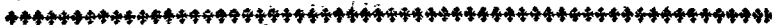
III. *And be it further enacted,* That the said tonnage duty hereby granted, shall be collected, applied and accounted for in the same manner and under the same regulations and penalties as the tonnage duty granted in and by the herein before recited Act.

Duties to be collected, applied and accounted for as directed by the former Act.

IV. *And be it further enacted,* That ten per cent shall be allowed

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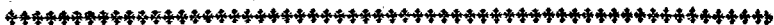
Former Act revived and continued with this Act for ten years. V. And be it further enacted, That the said herein before recited Act; and every part thereof, not hereby altered shall be revived and continue, and together with this Act be in full force for the term of ten Years and no longer.



CAP. IV.

An ACT to continue for a limited time an Act passed in the Thirty-ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign intituled "An Act for regulating the Fisheries in the County of Northumberland." Passed the 14th March, 1810.

Continued for ten years. BE it enacted by the President, Council and Assembly, That an Act made and passed in the Thirty-ninth Year of His MAJESTY'S Reign, intituled "An Act for regulating the fisheries in the "County of Northumberland," be continued; and the said Act and every clause, matter, and thing therein contained, is hereby continued and declared to be in full force for ten years, and from thence to the end of the then next Session of the General Assembly and no longer.



CAP. V.

An ACT for the better security of the Navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland. Passed the 14th March, 1810.

Preamble. WHEREAS for the greater safety and conveniency of the Navigation of the Bay and harbours of Miramichi, Bouchette, Richibucto and Cocagne, it is necessary that Beacons or Buoyes be erected in said Bays and harbours and that provision be made for defraying such expences as may be incurred in erecting, repairing and replacing such Beacons or Buoyes.

Commissioners to cause Beacons and Buoyes to be erected. I. Be it therefore enacted by the President, Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for such Commissioners as His Honor the President or Commander in Chief for the time being shall appoint, or the major part of them, to cause to be erected in said Bays and harbours such a number of Beacons and Buoyes, as they or the major part of them, shall think necessary for the safety and conveniency of the navigation of the same.

When the Beacons or Buoyes shall be erected, a halfpenny per ton granted on all vessels other than coasters, for defraying the expence. II. And be it further enacted, That so soon as the said Beacons or Buoyes shall be erected, and the same certified to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, or major part of them, to be appointed in manner herein before mentioned, there be and hereby is granted unto His MAJESTY, his heirs and successors for