

which are different in different places, and in the same places at different times, so that the course or direction of any line now to be run by the needle would differ widely from what it would have been had the same nominal course been so run, at or soon after the time of the passing of the said Act.

Act 31, G. 3, c. 8, repealed.

I. *Be it therefore enacted by the President, Council, and Assembly,* That the said Act for fixing permanently the boundary lines between the different Grants in this Province, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Proceedings under the repealed Act confirmed.

II. *Provided always,* That nothing in this Act contained, shall extend, or be construed to extend to invalidate or any wise effect any proceedings already had in any part of this Province under and by virtue of the said herein before recited Act, but that such proceedings shall be and remain in the same force as if this present Act had not been passed.

The lines of certain Grants in the County of Charlotte, to be ascertained by reference to the true meridian,

III. *And whereas,* in certain Grants of Land in the County of Charlotte, passed under the Seal of the Province of Nova-Scotia, the courses of the boundary lines have by mistake been specified as lines to be run by the magnetic needle, be it further enacted, that in the said Grants the courses of the boundary lines shall be ascertained by reference to the true meridian, as represented on the plans thereto annexed.



CAP. V.

An ACT to appropriate a sum of money as an aid to His Majesty in the defence of the Province. Passed the 7th of March, 1812.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOR!

PREAMBLE. **WE** His MAJESTY's dutiful and loyal Subjects the Representatives of the Commons of His MAJESTY's Province of New-Brunswick, in General Assembly convened, taking into serious consideration the danger with which we are threatened by the Government of the United States of America; and relying with confidence upon the readiness and power of His MAJESTY, under Divine Providence, to defend us in the event of hostilities with that Country; and being desirous to evince to His MAJESTY, and the Nation, our strong attachment to the British Constitution, as well as our loyalty to His MAJESTY's Person and Government, by the exertion of all the means which the Province affords in making a defence for the same, do humbly beseech that it may be enacted—and

£10,000 appropriated in case of hostilities with the United States.

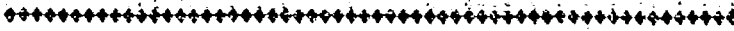
I. *Be it enacted by the President, Council, and Assembly,* That should hostilities with the United States take place, there be appropriated, as an aid to His MAJESTY in the general defence, out of such monies as may then be, or afterwards may be received in the Treasury, the sum of *ten thousand pounds*, to be paid and applied in such way and manner, and

and at such time or times, as the President or Commander in Chief for the time being, by and with the advice and consent of His MAJESTY'S Council shall order and direct.

To be applied as the Commander in Chief with the advice of His MAJESTY'S Council shall direct.

II. *And be it further enacted*, That if it should so happen that the full amount of the said sum of *ten thousand pounds*, should not be in the Treasury, when the contemplated emergency may arise, the President, or Commander in Chief for the time being, be and he is hereby authorised by and with the advice and consent of His MAJESTY'S Council, to raise by Loan whatever sum may happen to be deficient.

Such part of the sum as may not be in the Treasury may be raised by loan.



CAP. VI.

An ACT to impose a Duty on certain Articles imported into this Province: Passed the 7th of March, 1812.

*Contd by
52 Geo. 3
c. 3. 1812.*

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that a Duty be laid on certain Articles imported into this Province, for the purpose of increasing the Revenue.

Preamble.

I. *Be it therefore enacted by the President, Council, and Assembly*, That from and after the first day of May next, there be, and is hereby granted to His MAJESTY, his Heirs and Successors, for the use of this Province, and for the support of the Government thereof, the several rates and duties on the articles herein after mentioned which shall or may be brought or imported into this Province from the United States of America, to be paid by the person or persons importing or bringing the same, that is to say, on every ton of square Timber, *two shillings*—on every Ox, *twenty shillings*—on every Horse, *five pounds*.

Duties on Timber, Oxen, and Horses, imported from the United States.

II. *And be it further enacted*, That the duties so to be levied shall be collected by the Treasurer or his Deputy in the different Counties, and that it shall be the duty of every person importing or bringing any articles made liable to duty, by virtue of this Act, to report the same immediately to the Treasurer, or his Deputy as aforesaid; under the same pains and penalties for neglect or refusal so to do, as are prescribed in and by the third section of an Act, made and passed in the forty-seventh year of His MAJESTY'S Reign, intituled "An Act for raising a Revenue in this Province," and that such persons shall pay, or secure to be paid, the amount of such duties in the same manner, and in the same proportions, and under the same pains and penalties as are prescribed in the said in part recited Act, and an Act passed this present Session for continuing and amending the same.

To be paid or secured as directed by the Act for raising a Revenue, and under the like penalties.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall be, and remain in full force for two years and no longer.

Limitation.

CAP. VII.