

And the said sum shall be laid out in other lands within six months after the passing of this Act.

II. *And be it further enacted*, That the said sum of one hundred and ten pounds shall, within six months from the time of the passing of this Act, be, by the said Rector, Church Wardens, and Vestry of Saint Andrews Church, in the Parish of Saint Andrews, laid out and invested in other land in the said Parish of Saint Andrews, for the use, benefit, and behoof of the Rector, Parson, or Minister of the said Church for the time being. *Provided always*, that the purchase shall be made by and with the approbation of the said Rector, Parson, or Minister of the said Church for the time being, and not otherwise.

This Act to be a public Act.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a public Act; any thing to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

### CAP. XVII.

An ACT to revive and extend some of the provisions of an Act intituled "An Act to provide for the necessities of the Province, occasioned by the failure of the late crop."

*Passed the 20th of March, 1821.*

**W**HEREAS it is expedient that some provision should be made for the recovery and repayment of monies heretofore granted to relieve the distress of many of the inhabitants of this Province, in and by an Act passed in the fifty-seventh year of His late Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act to provide for the necessities of the Province, occasioned by the failure of the late crop"---

I. *Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly*, That the Commissioners

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Preamble.

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Commissioners appointed under and by virtue of the herein before recited Act, or the major part of them, in the several Counties of this Province, shall without delay cause public notice to be given in the several Towns and Parishes of their respective Counties, in writing, in which notice they shall call upon all persons indebted to the Province for any supplies granted to them under and by virtue of the herein before recited Act, to pay the amount of their respective debts, either in labour to be performed by them upon any great roads, bye-roads, streets, or bridges, or in money, on or before the first day of November next ensuing after the passing of this Act.

II. *And be it further enacted*, That in case of the death or refusal of any of the Commissioners heretofore appointed as aforesaid to act, it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, to nominate and appoint some other fit person to be Commissioner in the room of such person so deceased, or who shall refuse to act.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That in case of the neglect or refusal of any person so indebted to the Province, for any supplies granted to him under and by virtue of the herein before recited Act as aforesaid, to pay the amount of the debt so due from him, in labour upon any of the great roads, bye-roads, streets, or bridges, within the Province, or in money, on or before the day herein before expressed and limited, that then it shall

Commissioners under the Act 47 Geo 3. c 7, to give public notice requiring all persons indebted to the Province, to pay the amount of their respective debts either in labour on the roads or in money.

On the death or refusal of any of the Commissioners heretofore appointed, the Governor and Council may appoint others.

Persons so indebted neglecting, or refusing to pay the amount of their respective debts, the Commissioners may in their own names sue for and recover the same.

shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners of the County in which such person shall reside, or the major part of them, and they are hereby required, in their own names, to sue for and recover from the person so neglecting or refusing to pay, the amount of his said debt, in any Court competent to try the same.

IV. *And be it further enacted*, That upon the production on the part of any person so indebted to the Province as aforesaid, of a certificate from any Supervisor of the great roads, or from any Commissioner of bye-roads, streets, or bridges, or from any Commissioner of highways or roads, appointed or who may be hereafter appointed, by virtue of an Act intituled “ An Act for regulating, laying out, and repairing highways and roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways, within the several Towns and Parishes in this Province,” that such person has performed labour upon any great roads, bye-roads, highways, streets, or bridges, that such certificate shall be taken and deemed to be, by the Commissioner of the respective Counties, as evidence of the payment of the debt so due from such person to the Province as aforesaid, to the extent of the sum specified in such certificate.

Certificates of labour performed on the roads, &c. to be taken as payments.

A representation of the inability of any persons to pay, being made to the Governor, he may, by and with the advice and consent of the Council, remit the whole or

V. *And be it further enacted*, That upon a representation made to the Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, on the behalf of any of the inhabitants so indebted for supplies as aforesaid, in the several and respective Counties, by the Commissioners,

missioners, or the major part of them, of such several and respective Counties, of their inability to repay the sums so due from them respectively, it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief, by and with the advice and consent of His Majesty's Council, upon a recommendation for that purpose from the Commissioners, or the major part of them, of such several and respective Counties, to remit to such poor inhabitants the whole or any part of their said respective debts, as to him shall seem meet.

any part of such debts.

VI. *And be it further enacted,* That the said Commissioners shall from time to time transmit to the Secretary of the Province, for the information of the Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief, an account of the monies recovered and received by them under and by virtue of this Act, and the monies so recovered and received shall be expended and laid out by the Commissioners, or the major part of them, upon such roads and bridges within their respective Counties, as the Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, shall direct and appoint.

Commissioners to transmit to the Secretary of the Province accounts of monies received by them, which monies shall be laid out on the roads, &c.

VII. *And be it further enacted,* That the said Commissioners shall keep an exact account of the monies laid out and expended by them upon any roads and bridges, and of any expenses which shall have been incurred by them respectively, in the performance of the duties required by this Act, which account of monies and expenses, together with the certificates of labour done by any of the in-

Commissioners to keep an account of monies laid out by them, which they shall transmit to the Secretary together with certificates of labour performed by the inhabitants, for the inspection of the General Assembly.

habitants upon any great roads, bye-roads, highways, streets, or bridges, and which shall have been allowed by any Supervisor or Commissioner of bye-roads, highways, streets and bridges, pursuant to the directions of this Act, shall be transmitted by the said Commissioners to the office of the Secretary of the Province, for the inspection and consideration of the General Assembly at their next Session.

Limitation.

VIII. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall be and remain in full force for the term of one year, and thence to the end of the next Session of the General Assembly.

### CAP. XVIII.

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An ACT in addition to the Acts now in force for raising a Revenue in this Province, and to continue the same.

*Passed the 20th of March, 1821.*

Certificate under the hands and seals of two merchants residing at any port or place in the United States to which dutiable articles shall have been exported, that such articles have been there landed, shall be deemed, for the purpose of obtaining drawback thereon, of equal validity with the certificate of the Collector or principal Officer of the Customs at such port or place required by the Act 58 Geo. 3. c. 20, and 60 Geo. 3. c. 1.

I. ***BE*** it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly, That in cases of claims for the payment of any drawbacks allowed upon the exportation of any dutiable articles from and out of this Province to any part of the United States of America, a certificate under the hands and seals of two merchants residing at the port or place in the United States to which such articles shall have been imported, that the same have been there landed, may be produced, and shall be deemed and taken, for the purpose of obtaining such drawback, as tantamount to, and of equal validity with, the certificate of the Collector or principal officer of the Customs, at such port or place, required in cases of drawback, in and by the provisions of an Act made and passed in the fifty-eighth year of the