

be recovered before any one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Counties of York and Charlotte respectively, on the oath of a credible witness, and levied with costs, by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the delinquent; and when recovered, be paid into the hands of the Overseers of the Poor, towards the support thereof.

Fines to be recovered before a Justice of the Peace.

*See ord: 4. 9. 4. c. 2*

IV. *Be it further enacted*, That the Firemen within the respective Towns of Fredericton and Saint Andrews aforesaid, and each and every of them, from time to time, during their continuance in the office of Firemen, and no longer, shall be, and they are hereby declared to be freed, exempted, and privileged from the several offices of Constable and Surveyors of Highways, and from serving on any Juries in the General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, in the said Counties respectively.

Privileges and exemptions of the Firemen, during their continuance in office.

V. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall continue and be in force for five years, and thence to the end of the then next Session of the General Assembly.

Limitation. Continued as to 5th session by 2. 5. 4. c. 22.

CAP. III.

An ACT for the preservation of the Red and Fallow Deer.

*Passed the 20th of March, 1821.*

*revised*

**W**HEREAS the preservation of the breed of the Red and Fallow Deer, may be highly useful to the Inhabitants of this Province---

Preamble.

I. *Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly*, That from and after the passing of this Act, no person or persons whosoever, shall under any pretence whatsoever, take, kill, wound or other-

Deer not to be taken or killed.

wise

wise destroy, any Red or Fallow Deer in this Province.

Penalty for taking  
or killing Deer,

or selling, buy-  
ing, or having in  
possession any  
Deer, or the skin  
or flesh thereof ;

to be recovered  
before two Jus-  
tices in the Coun-  
ty or in any ad-  
joining County,  
and levied by  
warrant of dis-  
tress.

for want of goods,  
offenders to be  
imprisoned.

Limitation.

II. *And be it further enacted*, That every person who shall take, kill, wound or destroy any Red or Fallow Deer, or shall sell, or expose to sale, or buy, or cause to be bought, or shall have in his or her possession any Red or Fallow Deer, or any skin, or flesh, or any part of the skin or flesh of any Red or Fallow Deer, so taken, killed, wounded or destroyed, shall, for each and every offence, forfeit and pay a sum not less than five pounds, and not exceeding ten pounds, with costs ; to be paid to the Informer, upon due conviction thereof, by the oath of one or more credible witness or witnesses, before any two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace in the County where such offence shall be committed, or before any two Justices of the Peace of any adjoining County ; to be levied by warrant of distress and sale of the offender's goods and chattels, rendering the overplus, if any, to such offenders ; and for want of sufficient goods and chattels, the said Justices are hereby required to commit such offender to the Common Gaol of the County where such offence shall be committed, or to the Gaol of any adjoining County, there to remain for a time not less than fifteen days, nor exceeding thirty days.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall continue and be in force for five years, and thence to the end of the next Session of the General Assembly, and no longer.