

for the County of Sunbury should be authorized and empowered to levy a sum by assessment on the said County for paying off the debts of the said County,

Justices in Sessions may make an assement not exceeding £300 for paying the Debts & for other purposes that the necessities of the County may require.

*Be it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly,* That the said Justices of the Peace for the said County be and they are hereby authorized and empowered at any General Session of the Peace to be hereafter holden, to issue their warrant for assessing a sum not exceeding three hundred pounds, for the purpose of paying off the debts that are due by the said County, and for such other purposes as the necessities of the County may require, the same sum to be assessed, levied, collected and paid in such proportion and in the same manner as any other County rates can or may be assessed, levied, collected and paid under and by virtue of any Act or Acts in force, in this Province, for assessing, levying and collecting of rates for public charges.

### CAP. XXII.

An Act for regulating the Salmon and Shad Fisheries, so far as the same may relate to the River Petuicodiac in the County of Westmorland.

*Passed the 7th of March 1826.*

**W**HEREAS it is expedient in order to prevent the destruction of the breed of Salmon and Shad in the River Petuicodiac and its Branches, that an opportunity should be afforded to Fish of those species to pass up the said River without obstruction

Preamble.

*I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly,* That no Salmon

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mon or Shad, during the continuance of this Act shall be taken or killed in the said River and its Branches, either with Nets or Spears, or in any other way on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in every week, and that no Salmon shall be taken or killed by any ways or means in any part of the said River and its Branches, after the twentieth day of August in each and every year, and that any person or persons guilty of a breach of this Act upon due conviction thereof by the oath of one or more credible witness or witnesses, before any one Justice of the Peace of the said County, shall forfeit the sum of three pounds, to be levied by warrant of distress and Sale of the offenders goods and chattles, rendering to him the overplus if any, after deducting the Costs and charges of prosecution, and if no goods and chattles can be found whereon to levy the same, then the offender to be committed by warrant, to the County Gaol, there to remain for any time not exceeding twelve days, unless the penalty and costs shall be sooner paid, and the said penalty when recovered, shall be paid, one moiety into the hands of the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish where the offence may have been committed and the other moiety to the person, who shall prosecute for the same.

II. *And be it further enacted,* That no person or persons, during the continuance of this Act, at any time or under any pretence whatsoever, shall for the taking or killing of Salmon or Shad in the said River

No Salmon or Shad to be taken or killed on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday in every week.

No Salmon to be killed in any way after the 20th of August in each year.

Penalty upon conviction.

Penalty half to the Overseers of the Poor half to the Prosecutor.

No Person to make use of Seins or Set Nets or erect Weirs for taking Fish above the Bend of the River.

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or its Branches, make use of any Sein or Seins, set Net or set Nets, or erect any Wear or Wears for the taking of such Fish above the Bend of the said River or above a place called Dupnack's Landing; and that any person or persons making use of any of the means herein specified and prohibited for the procuring of the said Fish, shall, upon conviction as aforesaid, incur the same penalties, to be sued for, prosecuted and recovered in the same manner as directed by the first section of this Act.

Penalty on conviction...

III. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall continue and be in force until the thirty-first day of March, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

Limit. Con.

Contd. to 1st April 1841 by 1. W. 4. c. 25.

CAP. XXIII.

An Act in amendment of "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 within this Province."

Passed the 7th of March, 1826,

I. **B**E it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners of Roads, in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, when they may think it expedient and necessary, to direct the Surveyors of Roads to provide such materials as may be necessary for making or repairing the Roads and Bridges within their respective Districts, and the said Surveyors are hereby authorized, when so directed, to summon so many of the inhabitants of the said Parish, as the said Commissioners shall

Repealed by 1. W. 4. c. 33.

Commissioners when they think expedient may order Surveyors to provide materials for repairing Roads & Bridges. Surveyors to summon Inhabitants to work.