

amendment, shall continue and remain in force until the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

CAP. XVII.

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John to levy an Assessment to pay off the County Debt.

Passed 19th March 1841.

Justices in Sessions authorized to assess the City and County to pay off County debts.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, at any General Sessions of the Peace hereafter to be holden therein, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to make such rate and assessment of any sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds, as they in their discretion may think necessary for the purpose of paying off the balance due by the said City and County for contingent and other County expenses, the same to be assessed, levied, collected and paid agreeably to any Act or Acts made or to be made for assessing, collecting and levying County Rates.

CAP. XVIII.

An Act to establish a Division Line between the Parishes of Northampton and Brighton in the County of Carleton.

Passed 19th March 1841.

Division Line between the Parishes of Northampton and Brighton described.

WHEREAS from the want of a Law establishing a Division Line between the Parishes of Northampton and Brighton, difficulties and disputes have arisen in the assessment of the Inhabitants of the said Parishes respectively: Therefore to prevent such difficulties in future, Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the said Line shall commence at the mouth of a certain Creek on the east side of the River Saint John, commonly called and known by the name of Shaw's Creek, and to run from thence a true east course until it strikes the eastern Boundary Line of the County, any Law to the contrary notwithstanding.

CAP. XIX.

An Act for the better and more effectual securing the Navigation of the River Miramichi, in the County of Northumberland, and to protect the Fisheries on the said River.

Passed 19th March 1841.

Preamble.

WHEREAS there are extensive Mills for the Manufacturing of Lumber, on or near the River Miramichi, between Beaubair's Point and Sheldrake Island, the Slabs, Rinds, and Refuse from which are generally thrown into the said River, whereby the navigation thereof is becoming obstructed and the Fisheries thereon are greatly injured;

Throwing or permitting to be thrown Slabs, Rinds, refuse &c. from Mills between Beaubair's Point and Sheldrake Island.

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, if any person or persons who may be the owner or owners of any Mill or Mills already erected, or that may be hereafter erected on or near the River Miramichi, between Beaubair's Point and Sheldrake Island, (except as hereinafter mentioned) for the manufacture of Lumber of any description, or any person who may be engaged in manufacturing

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manufacturing Lumber in any such Mill or Mills shall suffer or permit any Slabs, Rinds, Bark, Log ends or rubbish of that description made or cut at any such Mill or Mills to fall, roll, float or be thrown into any part of the River Miramichi or into any Creek or Stream falling into the said River within the limits above mentioned, every such owner or owners of such Mill or Mills or other person or persons manufacturing Lumber at any such Mill or Mills, shall forfeit, and be liable to pay a fine for every such offence, a sum not exceeding twenty pounds nor less than ten pounds, to be recovered with costs of suit before any two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Northumberland, at the suit of the Treasurer for the said County for the time being, or of any other person who shall prosecute for the same, on the oath of one or more credible witness or witnesses, and to be levied by Warrant of distress and sale of the offender's goods and chattels, rendering to him or them the surplus (if any) after deducting the costs and charges of prosecution and of the levying and sale of the said goods and chattels; and if no goods and chattels can be found whereon to levy the same, then the offender or offenders to be committed by the Warrant of the Justices to the Common Gaol of the said County, there to remain for any time not exceeding thirty days, unless the amount of such fine and costs shall be sooner paid; and such fine when recovered shall be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said County for the public uses thereof: Provided always, that the Saw Mill now standing on French Fort Cove, within the limits above mentioned, shall not be liable to the provisions of this Act.

Penalty.
Recovery.

Saw Mill on French Fort Cove excepted.

Litigation.

II. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall be and continue in force until the first day of April, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty five.

CAP. XX.

amended by 9th vic. c. 61 allowing £10,000 more

An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled "An Act to encourage the establishment of Banks for Savings in this Province."

6 G. 4, C. 4.
amended by 10th vic. c. 20
allowing £20,000 more

Passed 19th March 1841.

WHEREAS in and by the thirteenth Section of an Act made and passed in the sixth year of the Reign of King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to encourage the establishment of Banks for Savings in the Province," it is among other things enacted, that the Debentures to be issued in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act shall never at any time exceed the amount of ten thousand pounds in the aggregate for the whole Province, and that whenever the Debentures issued in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act shall amount in the aggregate for the whole Province to the said sum of ten thousand pounds, the Province Treasurer and his Deputies shall cease to issue any more such Debentures, and it shall be the duty of the said Treasurer to give the requisite directions to his Deputies for that purpose: And whereas it is deemed expedient to extend the provisions of the same;

Preamble.
See 10th vic. c. 20

6 G. 4, C. 4.
See 10th vic. c. 20

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for the Treasurer of the Province, and his Deputies, in addition to the sum of ten thousand pounds to be by them received, and for which they are authorized and empowered to issue Debentures in and by the said Act, to receive further deposits to the amount of ten thousand pounds, and to issue Debentures therefor in like manner and subject nevertheless to the provisions and restrictions in the said Act contained, anything in the said Act to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Repeatedly
Vic. c.

Provincial Treasurer authorized to receive and issue Debentures for a further sum of £10,000 subject to the provisions of the Act 6 G. 4, C. 4.

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