

for such payment, and render an account thereof upon oath, (which oath any one of the Justices of the Peace in the several Counties is hereby authorized to administer,) to be transmitted to the Secretary's Office on or before the first day of December next, to be laid before the General Assembly at the next Sessions.

Money to be paid by the Treasurer by Warrant.

III. And be it enacted, That the before mentioned sums of money shall be paid by the Treasurer out of the monies in the Treasury, or as payments may be made at the same, by Warrant of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, by and with the advice and consent of Her Majesty's Executive Council; for which Warrants no fee or deduction shall be demanded or taken from the persons in whose favour they may issue.

Compensation to Commissioners.

IV. And be it enacted, That the said Commissioners intrusted with the expenditure of the said several and respective sums of money, shall for their time and trouble be allowed to retain at and after the rate of five per centum out of the said sums so intrusted to them respectively, together with a reasonable compensation for actual work and labour performed by them on the said several Roads and Bridges.

Money to be expended before the first of October.

V. And be it enacted, That the said Commissioners shall expend the several and respective sums of money on the Roads on or before the first day of October; Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to prevent any Commissioners from expending money after the first day of October, when it shall be necessary to expend the same for building Bridges, removing rocks, stumps, trees or other obstructions.

No money to be expended on alterations not recorded.

VI. And be it enacted, That none of the before mentioned sums of money, or any part thereof, shall be laid out or expended in the making or improving any alteration that may be made in any of the said Roads, unless such alterations shall have been first duly laid out and recorded.

CAP. XXXVIII.

An Act to provide for the protection of the Revenue.

Passed 26th March 1841.

£1500 granted for the protection of the Revenue.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, by and with the advice and consent of Her Majesty's Executive Council, to expend out of the Treasury a sum not exceeding one thousand five hundred pounds for the protection of the Revenue of the Province.

CAP. XXXIX.

An Act to grant a Loan of Six Thousand Pounds to John Walker of the City of Saint John.

Passed 26th March 1841.

Preamble.

WHEREAS John Walker, of the City of Saint John, Merchant, is engaged in erecting a Building to be used as a Public Warehouse and for other public purposes, and the said Building will be a great benefit to the public, and part of it is intended for the accommodation of the Province Treasury and Custom House, and the said John Walker is desirous of obtaining a Loan from the Province to enable him to pay off the debts incurred by him in the completion thereof, it is therefore expedient that a Loan be granted to him for that purpose from the Province Treasury;