

CAP. X.

An Act to repeal *An Act to encourage the destroying of Wolves*, and *An Act to grant a Bounty on the destruction of Bears in this Province*, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof.

Passed 11th April 1843.

Preamble.

32 G. 3, c. 5.

9 G. 4, c. 19.

32 G. 3, c. 5.

9 G. 4, c. 19, repealed.

Bounties granted for killing a Wolf or Bear.

Skin of the head of the Wolf and nose of the Bear to be produced to a Justice of the Peace and bounty to be drawn on his Certificate directed to the Province Treasurer or Deputy.

Limitation.

‘ **W**HEREAS the provisions of an Act made and passed in the thirty second year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Third, intituled *An Act to encourage the destruction of Wolves*, and also of an Act made and passed in the ninth year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Fourth, intituled *An Act to grant a Bounty on the destruction of Bears in this Province*, have been found to be defective and insufficient;’

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That an Act made and passed in the thirty second year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Third, intituled *An Act to encourage the destroying of Wolves* and also an Act made and passed in the ninth year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Fourth, intituled *An Act to grant a Bounty on the destruction of Bears in this Province*, be and the same are hereby repealed.

II. And be it enacted, That from and after the passing of this Act, a reward of thirty shillings shall be paid to any Inhabitant or native Indian of the Province, for each and every Wolf they may kill or destroy within the limits of the same, and also the sum of fifteen shillings for each and every Bear they may kill or destroy within the limits aforesaid.

III. And be it enacted, That whosoever shall kill any Wolf or Bear or Wolves or Bears, shall bring the skin of the head or heads of the Wolf or Wolves, and the nose or noses of the Bear or Bears to any one of Her Majesty’s Justices of the Peace within the County, residing nearest to the place where the same shall be killed, who shall examine the party on oath, and on being satisfied of his being entitled to the reward, shall burn or otherwise destroy the skin of the head or heads of the Wolf or Wolves, and the nose or noses of the Bear or Bears, and shall give under his hand and seal, a certificate specifying the reward to which the party is entitled, directed to the Treasurer of the Province or his Deputy, (in case any such Deputy shall be resident in the County,) who shall pay the same out of the monies belonging to the Province Treasury; which certificate shall be a sufficient voucher to the Treasurer for the money paid by virtue of this Act.

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

CAP XI.

An Act to exempt the Members of the Fire Engine Company in the Parish of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, from certain Parochial and County Duties.

Passed 11th April 1843.

Preamble.

‘ **W**HEREAS a Fire Engine Company has been established in the Parish of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, and the Duties required to be performed by the said Company are such as to render it just and right that the said Company should be exempted from serving as Constables, Surveyors of Highways, Statute Labour on the Highways and Streets, and from serving as Jurors in the General Sessions of the Peace, and in the Courts of Common Pleas;’

Members of the Fire Engine Company exempted

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, the said Fire Engine Company in the said