

to any of them respectively, forthwith and without any fee, reward, deduction or abatement whatsoever, to pay over to the deponent or deponents, or his or their order, out of the monies in the hands of the said Clerks of the Peace, by virtue of the Warrant in the second section of this Act mentioned, the sum of thirty shillings for each and every Wolf, and the sum of fifteen shillings for each and every Bear so proved to have been killed, as aforesaid, for which the said deponent or deponents, or person receiving the same, shall thereupon give the Clerk of the Peace paying the same a receipt or acquittance.

Clerks of the Peace to account annually on oath.

V. And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the several and respective Clerks of the Peace who may make application for and receive a Warrant or Warrants on the Treasury, under the provisions of this Act, and they are hereby required on or before the first day of December, in each and every year, to make up and transmit to the Office of the Secretary of the Province, a statement in writing, signed by such Clerk of the Peace, and sworn to before any Justice of the Peace of this Province, who is hereby authorized to administer the same, crediting the Province with the amount of monies by him received by virtue of such Warrant, and specifying by name the several parties to whom he may have paid Bounties during the preceding year, and the amount paid to each, accompanied with the vouchers and receipts for the same; which schedule, vouchers and receipts shall be laid before the House of Assembly at its next sitting.

Clerks to retain five per cent. as a compensation, and to be deemed public accountants.

VI. And be it enacted, That the said Clerks of the Peace so intrusted with the distribution of the Wolf and Bear Bounties in their respective Counties as aforesaid, shall be allowed to retain out of the gross amount of the Warrants to them severally made payable, at and after the rate of five per centum and no more, and that immediately on receipt of the monies in the Warrant or Warrants in favor of them, respectively specified, the said Clerks of the Peace shall be and be deemed and taken to be Debtors to the Province in the amount of the same respectively, subject nevertheless to the provisions of this Act.

Limitation.

VII. And be it enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force so long as the Act to which this is an amendment, and no longer.

CAP. XX.

An Act to authorize the use of a part of the building erected for a Market House on the Western side of the Harbour in the City of Saint John, for other purposes than a Market.

Passed 25th March 1844.

Preamble.

‘**W**HEREAS from the increase of population and the greater resort of Shipping, than heretofore, to the Western side of the Harbour, breaches of the Peace and other offences have also increased, and it is considered necessary to have a Lock-up House on that side of the Harbour, in consequence of the inability of Officers at all times to get to the present Gaol of the City and County; and part of the Market House which has been erected in Guy’s Ward, may, for some time to come, be conveniently used for that purpose, thereby saving the necessity of erecting a separate building therefor, which the Common Council, by the Charter would be authorized to do, if the Funds of the City were at present in a situation to defray the expense;’

Basement of Market House in Guy’s Ward may be used as a Lock-up House, and the second flat for Offices.

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, and they are authorized and empowered to set apart, use and appropriate the Cellar or Basement Story of the said Market House,

House, which has been erected by them on the Market place in Guy's Ward, as and for a Lock-up House; and the second flat of the same building as and for a Public Office or Offices, or such other Public use as they may deem expedient and necessary, and from time to time to make such Bye Laws and Ordinances, for the regulation and management of the same, and under such penalties as they, the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty, in Common Council convened, may think necessary.

Regulations with Penalties may be made.

CAP. XXI.

An Act to authorize the Trustees of Saint John Church, in Richmond, to sell Lands, and to apply the proceeds thereof for certain purposes.

Passed 25th March 1844.

WHEREAS by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Province, bearing date the nineteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty, the following pieces and parcels of Land were granted unto the Trustees of Saint John Church, Richmond, in connexion with the Established Church of Scotland, and their Successors, for the use of the said Church, viz:—Two Tracts of Land situate in the Parish of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, in the Province of New Brunswick, and bounded as follows, to wit: the first tract beginning on the eastern side of a reserved Road, and in the south west angle of the west part of lot number twenty three, granted to Charles M'Dougal, in the fifth tier of Andrew Blair's survey of Lots in Richmond Settlement, west of the River Saint John, made in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty seven, thence running by the magnet East, fifty five chains, of four poles each, thence South, twenty chains, thence West, fifty six chains, to the western side of another reserved Road, thence West, fifty five chains, thence North, sixty chains, and thence East, fifty six chains, to the place of beginning, containing four hundred acres, more or less, as the west part of lot number twenty four, in the fifth tier, and the east parts of lots seventeen, eighteen and nineteen, on the west side of the said reserved Road first above mentioned, and at the south east angle of the east part of lot number thirteen, granted to Alexander M'Dougal, in the sixth tier of the Richmond Settlement, thence West, running fifty five chains, thence South, twenty chains, thence East, fifty five chains, and thence North, twenty chains, to the place of beginning, containing one hundred acres, more or less, distinguished as the east part of lot number fourteen, in the sixth tier of the aforesaid survey; the two tracts together containing five hundred acres, more or less: And Whereas it is expedient and necessary, and will be for the benefit of the said Church, to authorize the Trustees thereof to sell and dispose of the said Lands for the best price that can be obtained therefor, and to apply the proceeds of such sale either in the purchase of other lands or the erection of a Parsonage House for the use and benefit of such Church;

Preamble.

Description of tracts of Land.

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the said Trustees of Saint John Church, Richmond, in connexion with the Established Church of Scotland, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to sell and dispose, and by a good and sufficient Deed to convey and assure to the purchaser or purchasers thereof, his or their Heirs and Assigns, the said hereinbefore described tracts of Land to the said purchaser or purchasers, his or their Heirs and Assigns for ever, saving, nevertheless, the rights of the Queen's Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors.

Trustees of the Church authorized to sell described Lands and execute a deed.

II.