

CAP. XXXIV.

An Act to authorize Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the County of Westmorland to make provision for the payment of the County Contingencies.

Passed 23rd March 1847.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Local Revenues of the County of Westmorland have been found insufficient to meet the annual expenditure of the said County ;

An annual assessment authorized to defray the County Contingencies.

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, at any General Sessions of the Peace of the said County to be thereafter holden, annually to make and order an assessment on the inhabitants of the said County for such sum as they in their discretion shall see fit, not exceeding the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds in any one year, for the purpose of providing for the annual Contingent Expenses of the said County ; such sum to be assessed, levied, collected and paid agreeably to any Acts now or hereafter to be in force for the assessing, levying and collecting of County Rates.

Limitation.

II. 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 fifty.

CAP. XXXV.

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace of the County of Charlotte to levy an assessment to pay off the County Debt.

Passed 23rd March 1847.

Assessment to pay off the County Debt, authorized.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, at any General Sessions of the Peace for the County of Charlotte hereafter to be holden, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to make such rate and assessment of any sum not exceeding four hundred pounds as in their discretion they may think necessary for the purpose of paying off the Debt of the said County ; the same to be assessed, levied, collected and paid agreeably to any Acts now or hereafter to be in force for the assessing, collecting and levying of County Rates.

CAP. XXXVI.

An Act to authorize an annual assessment on the City and County of Saint John for the payment of County Contingencies.

Passed 23rd March 1847.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Contingent Funds of the City and County of Saint John are inadequate to the payment of the Contingent Expenses thereof ;

Annual assessments to defray the annual contingent expenses of the County, authorized.

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace of the City and County of Saint John, at any General Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said City and County, yearly and every year during the continuance of this Act, to order and direct an assessment for the year then current, together with the expenses of assessing and collecting the same, for the purpose of defraying the annual Contingent Expenses of the said City and County, of the following amounts, that is to say : for the present year one thousand eight hundred and forty seven, a sum not exceeding one thousand pounds ; and for each and every subsequent year during the continuance of this Act, a sum not exceeding eight hundred and fifty pounds ; which said sums, together with the expenses as aforesaid, shall be annually assessed, levied, collected and paid in the same manner as any