

V. And be it enacted, That the interest upon the money to be raised by virtue of this Act, with the charge for assessing and collecting the same, shall be assessed and levied under one rate, with the interest of the loans heretofore contracted under the said Act, intituled *An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in and for the City and County of Saint John to erect a building in the said City for a Common Gaol, and to raise a sum of money for erecting and completing the same*, in the same manner as if the money raised by virtue of this Act had been raised, and were a part of the sum of money borrowed under and by virtue of the said last recited Act.

Expenses of assessment and interest of loan under this Act to be levied in same rate with interest of loans contracted under Act 3 V. c. 38.

VI. And be it enacted, That the monies so to be assessed as aforesaid shall be applied, after discharging all interest due on the loans contracted by virtue of this Act, to the payment of the principal sums mentioned in such certificates or notes; and that the Treasurer of the said City and County shall give one month's public notice by advertisement in one of the newspapers published in the said City, for calling in the said notes, when he is prepared to pay off the same, and that from and after the time specified in such notice the interest on said certificates or notes shall cease.

Moneys assessed to be applied towards payment of the loan after all the interest is paid.

VII. And be it enacted, That the County Treasurer shall be entitled to have and retain the sum of one pound per centum on every hundred pounds for his services in receiving and paying the said monies so to be assessed under the provisions of this Act, and no more.

Remuneration of the County Treasurer.

#### CAP. XXXIV.

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John to levy an assessment for the payment of expenses incurred in the preservation of the Public Peace in the Parish of Portland, and in lighting a part of the said Parish with Gas.

Passed 30th March 1848.

**W**HEREAS under the provisions of an Act made and passed in the seventh year of the Reign of His Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled *An Act to provide for increasing the number of Constables in the City of Saint John, and for appointing Special Constables in the City and County of Saint John*, a number of Special Constables were employed in the month of November last, and are now employed in preserving and keeping the Peace in the Parish of Portland, in the said City and County: And whereas it has been found necessary to light a part of the said Parish with Gas; and in order to make provision for the payment of the services of the said Special Constables, and of lighting the said Parish,

Preamble.

7 W. 4, c. 12.

I. Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, at any General or Special Sessions of the Peace hereafter to be holden therein, be and are hereby authorized and empowered to make such rate or assessment, in the manner hereinafter provided, upon the said Parish of Portland, of any sum not exceeding five hundred pounds, as they in their discretion may think necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the said Special Constables so as aforesaid employed, and of lighting a part of the said Parish with Gas.

Assessment of £500 for expenses of Special Constables, and lighting part of Portland, authorized.

II. And be it enacted, That the said sum of five hundred pounds, together with the expenses of collecting and assessing the same, shall be rated, assessed, levied and raised upon the inhabitants, and the personal property and income of the inhabitants of the said Parish of Portland, and upon the real property situate within the said Parish, by a Poll Tax and Real and Personal Property Tax, and shall

To be assessed as other County or Parish Rates;

shall be collected and paid in the same manner as any other County or Parish Rates are rated, assessed, levied, raised, collected and paid under or by virtue of any Act now or hereafter to be in force for the assessing, levying and collecting Parish Rates, and when received shall be paid over by the Collector into the hands of the County Treasurer, to be disbursed by him from time to time, on the order of the said Justices, in any General or Special Sessions to be made, for the purposes of this Act.

and paid by the Collector to the County Treasurer.

One fourth of the assessment to be raised by a Poll Tax.

III. 'And whereas in and by the first section of an Act made and passed in the first year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to provide for the better assessment of County and Parish Rates*, it is provided that not more than one eighth part of any whole Rate should be raised by a Poll Rate: And whereas it is considered just that in levying a Rate to pay the expenses of keeping the Peace a greater proportion than one eighth part of such Rate should be raised by a Poll Rate; Be it therefore enacted, That in lieu of the said provisions of the said recited Act, one fourth part of the Rate hereby authorized and required to be levied, shall be assessed, levied and raised by an equal rate upon the Poll of all male inhabitants of the said Parish of Portland of the age of twenty one and upwards, not being paupers.

Remuneration of the County Treasurer, limited.

IV. And be it enacted, That the Treasurer of the said City and County shall be entitled to the sum of one and a quarter per cent. for receiving and paying all sums of money raised under the provisions of this Act.

#### CAP. XXXV.

7 V. c. 28.

An Act to continue an Act to prevent the spread of a Disorder now existing in certain parts of the Counties of Gloucester and Northumberland.

*Passed 30th March 1848.*

Act 7 V. c. 23, continued.

**BE** it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That an Act made and passed in the seventh year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to prevent the spread of a disorder now existing in certain parts of the Counties of Gloucester and Northumberland*, be and the same is hereby continued and declared to 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. XXXVI.

An Act to provide for a Town Clock in Fredericton.

*Passed 30th March 1848.*

Preamble.

**WHEREAS** the providing for and setting up a Town Clock in a central and conspicuous part of the City of Fredericton, will be a public advantage: And whereas it is just and equitable that the expense thereof should be defrayed and sustained by the inhabitants of the said City who will be accommodated by the said Clock;

Justices in General Sessions authorized to provide a Town Clock.

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 General Sessions of the Peace for the County of York, at any General Sessions or Special Session for that purpose holden, to contract for and provide a good and sufficient Town Clock, the expense and setting of which shall not exceed the sum of three hundred and thirty pounds, and to cause such Clock to be set up and placed in a central and conspicuous part of the said City, in or upon such building as they can provide or as they may agree for by such contract or agreement with the proprietors thereof, as they shall deem for the benefit and advantage of the said City.

II.