CAP. VIII.

An Act to alter and amend an Act, intituled An Act to incorporate the New Brunswick Society 13 V. c. 62. for the encouragement of Agriculture, Home Manufactures and Commerce throughout the Province, and to regulate and provide for the same.

Passed 28th March 1851.

THEREAS it is deemed expedient to make the Grant allowed by the Preamble. 'above mentioned Act to the New Brunswick Society for the encour-'agement of Agriculture, Home Manufactures and Commerce throughout the 'Province, to the extent of two hundred pounds, on similar terms as to County 'Agricultural Societies, and to alter the time for transmitting the proceedings of ' the said Society to the Provincial Secretary from the first Thursday in January

' to the second Wednesday in April following;' I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and 13 V. c. 62, s. 2, Assembly, That the second section of the above mentioned Act be and the same

is hereby repealed.

II. And be it enacted, That whenever the said Society shall make it appear On Certificate of by Certificate under the hand of the Treasurer of such Society, that a sum not than twenty five less than twenty five pounds has been actually subscribed and paid to the said Treasurer by the Members of such Society, and the President of the said Society on the Provincial Treasurer of the Government for the time being, for aid in supporting the said Society it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor Treasurer of the Government for the time being, for aid in supporting the said Society it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor Treasurer of the Society it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor Administrator of the Government for the Lieutenant Governor Treasurer of the Society it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor Administrator of the Government for the Lieutenant Governor Treasurer of the Society and the Provincial Treasurer of the Provincial Treasurer of the Provincial Treasurer of the Provincial Treasurer of the Society and the Provincial Treasurer of the Provincial Treas said Society, it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor or Adminis- dred pounds. trator of the Government for the time being, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, to issue his Warrant to the Treasurer of the Province in favour of the Treasurer of the said Society, for treble the amount that shall have been so subscribed and paid as aforesaid; provided always, that the annual sum to be granted to the said Society shall not exceed the sum of two hundred pounds currency.

III. And be it enacted, That the time appointed by the third section of the Time for rendering above mentioned Act for transmitting to the Office of the Provincial Secretary a statement of prospective statement of the proceedings of the said Society, in relation to the expenditure of the proceedings of the said Society, in relation to the expenditure of the proceedings of the said Society, in relation to the expenditure of the proceedings of the said Society. of the moneys therein specified, be and the same is hereby altered from the first Thursday in January to the second Wednesday in April following in each year.

IV. And be it enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force until the Limitation. expiration of the Act to which this is an amendment and no longer.

CAP. IX.

An Act to alter and amend the Act, intituled An Act imposing Duties for raising a Revenue. 14 V.c. 5. Passed 9th April 1851.

THEREAS it is considered expedient to repeal a clause contained in Preamble. ' the Table of Colonial Duties and Exemptions from Duties in the 'Act of Assembly made and passed the present Session, intituled An Act for

'imposing Duties for raising a Revenue;' I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council Act 14 V. c. 5, and Assembly, That so much of the said recited Act as is contained in a certain clause of the Table of Colonial Duties and Exemptions from Duties, mentioned in the said recited Act, in the words following, that is to say:--" All articles of "which any component part or parts is or are subject to Duty, to be liable to the "highest rate of Duty to which any one of the said component parts will be liable "under this Act," be and the same is hereby repealed.

Act otherwise to remain in force.

II. And be it enacted, That every clause, matter and article contained in the said recited Act, save and except the words repealed by the first section of this Act, be and the same are hereby declared to be in full force and effect, any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

CAP. X.

An Act imposing a Duty on Hacmatac or Juniper Knees, Roots and Foothooks exported from this Province.

Passed 30th April 1851.

Preamble.

THEREAS it is deemed expedient to impose a Duty on Hacmatac or 'Juniper Knees, Roots and Foothooks on being exported from this 'Province;'

Duty of two shillings imposed on each Hacmatac or Juniper knee, root or foothook exported.

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the first day of January next, there be imposed and there is hereby imposed a Duty of two shillings upon each and every Hacmatac or Juniper Knees or Roots and Foothooks shipped from this Province, to be collected under the provisions of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth sections of an Act, intituled An Act relating to the collection of Duty on Timber and other Lumber.

7 V. c. 18.

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

Limitation of Act.

CAP. XI.

An Act in addition to and in amendment of the Acts now in force for the collection and protection of the Revenue of this Province.

Passed 30th April 1851.

Preamble.

THEREAS it is necessary that some Legislative provision should be ' made for holding persons to bail who may be prosecuted for penalties ' that have or may hereafter be incurred by reason of offences against the Revenue

' Laws of this Province, and for simplifying the practice of the Court of Exche-' quer in Revenue cases, and to make other alterations and amendments to the

' Acts now in force for the collection and protection of the Revenue;'

A Capias may be the first process in a suit for a penalty.

I. Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, when any penalty or penalties shall be sued for by action of debt, bill, plaint or information, against any person or persons, in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record in this Province, a Capias shall and may thereupon issue as the first process, specifying the amount of the penalty or penalties sued for; and such person or person against whom such Capias shall issue, shall be obliged to give sufficient bail or security, by natural born subjects or denizens, to the person or persons to whom such Capias shall be directed, to appear in the Court out of which such Capias shall issue, at the day of the return of such Writ, to answer such suit and prosecution; and shall likewise at the time of such appearing, give sufficient bail or security, by such persons as aforesaid, in the said Court, to answer and pay all the forfeitures and penalties incurred for such offence or offences, in case he, she or they shall be convicted thereof, or yield his, her or their body and bodies to prison, according to the recognizance

Defendant to give bail.

Officers having the execution of Capias issued for breach of the Revenue laws,

of special bail in civil cases. II. And be it enacted, That when any Writ of Capias or other process shall issue out of any of the Courts aforesaid, directed to any Sheriff, Coroner, Bailiff, or other person having the execution of Capias or process, in any County or City