at said Ports respectively the sum of one penny per ton at which such Vessel may be rated in the Register thereof, in lieu of one half-penny as provided to be paid at the said Ports by the first Section of Chapter 19, Title III, of the Revised Statutes, "Of Buoys and Beacons."

## CAP. V.

An Act to revive and continue Chapters 48, 49, 50, and 51, Title VII, of the Revised Statutes, "Of Parish Schools," and the Act in amendment thereof.

Chapters 48, 49, 50, and 51, of Revised Statutes; and 17 Vic. c. 6, continued.

Passed 1st July 1857.

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BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,—That Chapters 48, 49, 50, and 51, Title VII, of the Revised Statutes, "Of Parish Schools," and an Act made and passed in the seventeenth year of the Reign of present Majesty, intituled An Act in addition to and in amendment of an Act for the better establishment and maintenance of Parish Schools, be and the same are hereby severally continued and declared to be in force and effect until the first day of May which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight.

## CAP. VI.

An Act to authorize an increased assessment for the purposes of the Fire Department in the City of Saint John.

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1. Authority to assess given.

2. Assessment, &c., how to be regulated. Passed 1st July 1857.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to erect a new Engine House in the City of Saint John for the Fire Engine Number Five: And whereas the amount to which the Common Council of the said City are now restricted in the Assessment for the purposes of the Fire Department is insufficient for the exigencies thereof;

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows :-- 1. It shall and may be lawful for the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the said City of Saint John, to make a rate and assessment in the City of Saint John on the east side of the Harbour, for the purposes of the said Fire Department, not exceeding in any one year the sum of one thousand five hundred pounds, besides the costs and charges of assessing and collecting, and thereout to appropriate such a sum as may be necessary for the purpose of erecting an Engine House for the said Fire Engine Number Five, not exceeding five hundred pounds in any one year.

2. The sum so assessed shall be levied, collected and paid at the time and in the manner provided in and by an Act of the General Assembly made and passed in the sixteenth year of Her present Majesty's Reign, intituled An Act relating to the Fire Department of the City of Saint John, and when collected, shall be paid into the hands of the Chamberlain of the said City, to be disbursed on the Orders of the Common Council.

## CAP. VII.

An Act for the relief of the Reverend Henry Pitman Guilford.

Rev. H. P. Guilford authorized to solemnize Marrisge, after taking the oath of allegiance. Passed 1st July 1857.

WHEREAS the Reverend Henry Pitman Guilford, a regularly Ordained Baptist Minister, has become a resident in this Province, and the settled Pastor of the Baptist Church in the City of Fredericton, but by reason of his not being a British subject is precluded from solemnizing Marriage in this Province;

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,—That the Reverend Henry Pitman Guilford, after having taken the oath of allegiance to Her Majesty before the Provincial Secretary or some other person to be appointed therefor without fee by the Governor, may solemnize Marriage by Licence or publication of Banns, with the same effect as any Christian Minister authorized by Chapter 106, Title XXVII, of the Revised Statutes, might do, subject to the provisions of any Law in force relating to the solemnization of Marriage.