

missioners in their place and stead; the said Road Commissioners to have power, and it shall be their duty to let for the term of one year the said Slip, such letting to be by public auction to the highest bidder; the said letting to be done from year to year, and to be done within twenty days after the election of the said Road Commissioners, ten days public notice of the time and place of such letting having been first given; the said Commissioners to apply the net proceeds of such letting to the improvement of the said Slip.

21. So much of Title viii, Chapters 52 and 53, of the Revised Statutes, and of the Acts 11th Victoria, Chapter 12; 17th Victoria, Chapter 37; 18th Victoria, Chapter 22; 21st Victoria, Chapter 49; 23rd Victoria, Chapter 8; and 25th Victoria, Chapters 16 and 17, as is inconsistent with this Act, shall be deemed and the same is hereby repealed, so far as relates to the said Parish of Portland; provided always, that all the provisions of the said Acts, and any other Acts of the General Assembly of this Province now in force for the local government of Parishes, except so far as the same are amended by this Act, are and shall be deemed to be in full force, so far as the same are applicable to the said Parish of Portland.

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## CAP. XXVII.

An Act to continue the several Acts relating to the establishing and maintaining a Police Force in the Parish of Portland, in the City and County of Saint John.

*Passed 20th April, 1863.*

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,—That an Act made and passed in the eleventh year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act for establishing and maintaining a Police Force in the Parish of Portland, in the City and County of Saint John*; also an Act made and passed in the twelfth year of the same Reign, intituled *An Act to amend an Act intituled 'An Act for establishing and maintaining a Police Force in the Parish of Portland, in the City and County of Saint John.'* and also an Act made and passed in the fourteenth year of the same Reign, intituled *An Act to continue and amend an Act for establishing and maintaining a Police Force in the Parish of Portland, in the City and County of Saint John*, so far as the

said several Acts are now in force, be and the same are 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 seventy.

### CAP. XXVIII.

An Act to amend the Law relating to the levying, assessing and collecting of Rates in the City of Saint John.

Section.

1. Mayor, &c. to determine amount of money to be raised; Proviso.
2. Sec. 1, 22nd Vic. cap. 37, in part repealed.
3. Amounts required; how levied.

Section.

4. No Rates to be quashed on account of want of form only; exceptions.
5. Sec. 1, 24th Vic. cap. 29, respecting affidavit, in part repealed.

*Passed 20th April, 1863.*

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. That notwithstanding any thing in the first Section of an Act passed in the twenty second year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act relating to the levying, assessing and collecting of Rates in the City of Saint John*, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John shall have power, on or before the first day of April in each year, to determine and direct what sum of money shall be raised and levied in the City of Saint John for the several purposes mentioned in the said first Section of the said Act; provided always, that the sum to be raised and levied in any one year for such purposes shall not exceed in the whole the sum of twelve thousand pounds.

2. That so much of said first Section of said before mentioned Act as is inconsistent with this Act, be and the same is hereby repealed.

3. The several amounts required for that part of the said City of Saint John on the eastern side of the Harbour, shall be levied and assessed upon the said east side and the inhabitants thereof; and the several amounts required for that part of the said City of Saint John on the western side of the Harbour, shall be levied and assessed upon the said west side and the inhabitants thereof.

4. No rate or rates levied or assessed, or that may hereafter be levied or assessed under or by virtue of the said before mentioned Act, or of any Act in alteration of, or in