

gent expenses of the Legislature, including the Legislative Library, and Printing.

A sum not exceeding five hundred and forty dollars, to provide for the Clerk of the Crown and Ushers of the Supreme Court and Court of Equity and Chambers.

A sum not exceeding nineteen thousand four hundred and twenty two dollars, to defray the expenses of the collection and protection of the Revenue, and of the Controller of Customs' Department.

A sum not exceeding fifteen thousand three hundred and eighty dollars, to provide for certain educational purposes.

A sum not exceeding two thousand eight hundred dollars, for the expenses of the Provincial Penitentiary.

A sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, to provide for the expenses of the Lunatic Asylum.

A sum not exceeding twelve hundred dollars, for the relief of Indians.

A sum not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, to meet the expenses of Militia, the apprehension of Deserters, and housing of Her Majesty's Troops.

A sum not exceeding fourteen thousand four hundred dollars, to meet any deficiency of Revenue in the Post Office Department.

A sum not exceeding six hundred dollars, to pay the salary of the Emigration Officer and contingencies of his office.

A sum not exceeding four hundred dollars, to provide the usual allowance to certain old Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, their Widows, and others.

A sum not exceeding six thousand dollars, to meet unforeseen expenses during the current year.

2. The several sums of money aforementioned shall be paid by the Treasurer, by Warrant of the Governor in Council, out of moneys now in the Treasury, or as payment may be made at the same.

#### CAP. IV.

An Act to provide for the repair and improvement of Roads and Bridges, and other Public Works and Services.

##### Section

- 1 Money granted.
- 2 By whom to be expended; duty of Commissioners; how to account.
- 3 Commissioners appointed by Municipalities, how to account.
- 4 Money paid by Warrant.
- 5 Commission.

##### Section

- 6 When money to be expended.
- 7 Expenditure on alterations.
- 8 Commissioners to give Bonds.
- 9 No defaulter to be Commissioner; if elected, Governor to appoint others.
- 10 Commissioners to give Bonds.

*Passed 10th June 1867.*

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

1. There shall be granted to the Governor, the sum of money hereinafter mentioned, to provide for the improvement of the Roads and Bridges, and other Public Works and Services, a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty two thousand five hundred dollars, to provide for the repairs of the Great and Bye Roads of the Province, and for Bridges thereon, for the repairs and maintenance of the Public Buildings, and for Steam Navigation.

2. The said sum of money, and every part thereof, shall be expended under the direction of the Board of Works, and of such Supervisors and Commissioners as the Governor in Council may appoint, and shall be paid to the several and respective persons who shall actually work and labour in making, completing and repairing the several Roads, Bridges, and Works, or in furnishing materials therefor, at the most reasonable rate that such labour and materials can be provided, where such sums are expended on Roads, Bridges, or Works; and every Commissioner so to be appointed shall, as early in the season as may be, carefully examine the part of the Road where any sums of money are to be expended, and shall lay out and mark off such allotment or allotments as may conveniently be contracted for, in order that the making and repairing of the same may be let by auction to the lowest bidder; and in all such cases such Commissioners respectively are hereby required to put a sufficient number of notices, not less than ten days previous to such sale, in three or more of the public places of the neighbourhood where the work is to be done, which notices shall specify and describe the work to be performed, and also the place, day and hour when and where the same will be let by auction as aforesaid; and it shall further be the duty of such Commissioners respectively, to attend personally at the time and place so appointed, and there to let out to the lowest bidder such allotment, or allotments, and at the same time to enter into written contracts for the faithful performance of the work in the time and manner set forth in such contracts; and in cases where the work required to be performed cannot be conveniently let at auction, it shall be the duty of the

Commissioners to agree with fit and proper persons to perform the same by day's labour, provided that in no case shall more than one quarter part of any grant be so expended; and the said Commissioners shall severally keep an exact account of such moneys, and shall produce receipts in writing of the several and respective persons to whom any part of the said money shall be paid, as vouchers for such payment, and render an account thereof, in duplicate, upon oath, which oath any one of the Justices of the Peace in the several Counties is hereby authorized to administer; one copy of which, with vouchers, to be transmitted to the Secretary's Office on or before the first day of December next, to be laid before the General Assembly at the next Session, and the other copy to be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Peace in their respective Counties, for public information.

3. The Commissioners appointed by the Municipalities of York, Carleton, and Sunbury, when any of the aforementioned sums of money appropriated for Roads and Bridges is issued to such Municipality, shall account for the moneys granted to the said Municipalities in the same manner as the Commissioners appointed by the Governor in Council.

4. The beforementioned sums of money shall be paid by the Treasurer out of the moneys in the Treasury, or as payment may be made at the same, by Warrant of the Governor in Council.

5. The said Commissioners entrusted with the expenditure of the several and respective sums of money shall, for their time and labour, be allowed to retain at and after the rate of five per centum out of the said moneys so entrusted to them respectively.

6. The said Commissioners for the expenditure of money on Roads and Bridges, shall expend the said several and respective sums of money on the Roads on or before the first day of September; provided always, that nothing herein contained shall extend, or be construed to extend, to prevent any Commissioner from expending moneys after the first day of September, when it shall be necessary to expend the same for building bridges, removing rocks, stumps, trees, or other obstructions.

7. None of the beforementioned sums of money, or any part thereof, shall be laid out or expended on the making or

improving any alteration that may be made in any of the said Roads, unless such alterations shall have been first laid out and recorded.

8. Every person who may be appointed a Commissioner for the expenditure of money hereinbefore granted, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall enter into a bond to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, to the satisfaction of the Governor in Council, for the due performance of his duty as such Commissioner, and the faithful expenditure of and due accounting for such moneys as shall come into his hands as such Commissioner.

9. Notwithstanding the provisions of any Law in force for the election of Commissioners of Bye Roads, or otherwise, no person shall be appointed to expend any of the aforesaid moneys who shall be a defaulter, or who shall not have fully accounted for the expenditure of any money previously entrusted to him, until he shall have satisfactorily accounted therefor; and in case of the election of any such person, the Governor in Council shall appoint Commissioners in the same manner as if no election had taken place.

10. In case of a vacancy by death of any Commissioner elected to expend money on the Bye Roads, the Governor in Council shall appoint a Commissioner to fill such vacancy.

## CAP. V.

### An Act relating to the office of Receiver General.

Section

- 1 Governor in Council to appoint.
- 2 Security to be given.
- 3 Duty of officer.

Section

- 4 Salary.
- 5 Accounts to be filed and books kept.
- 6 When and how long Act to be in force.

*Passed 10th June 1867.*

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

1. The Governor in Council may appoint a Receiver General, who shall hold office during pleasure.

2. He shall give a Bond to the Queen in the sum of twenty thousand dollars, with two sureties in ten thousand dollars each, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office.

3. It shall be his duty to receive all the Revenue collected in or paid to the Province from every source whatever, and pay out such Revenue on the Warrant of the Governor.