

Acts of the General Assembly of His Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1789. Saint John, NB: J. Ryan, 1789.

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An Act for appropriating and disposing of the public Monies.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor Council, and Assembly, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of this province unto the several persons hereafter mentioned, the following sums:--To Richard Seaman Esquire for his services as treasurer from the thirtieth day of June one thousand seven hundred and eighty-eight to the thirtieth day of September one thousand seven hundred and eighty nine, one hundred and twenty five pounds.--To the Speaker of the House of Assembly twenty shillings per diem for his attendance as Speaker and going and returning from the General Assembly.—To the Clerk of the House of Assembly ten shillings per diem during the Session; and for other services of the present Session twenty five pounds.—To the Clerk of the Council in General Assembly twenty pounds.— To the Members of the House of Assembly ten shillings per diem for defraying their expences of travelling and actual attendance in the present Session, allowing twenty miles travel for one day, the time of such attendance to be certified by the Speaker.—To Godfrey Leydick, Sergeant at Arms for travelling and attending the House of Assembly ten shillings per diem; and for his services as Tide Surveyor under the treasurer of the province twenty pounds; and for expences actually incurred by him seven pounds six shillings and nine pence.—To the Clerk of the House of Assembly for monies disbursed by him for house rent, fuel, stationary and so forth, nineteen pounds sixteen shillings and four pence.—To John Ryan for the ballance of an account due him for printing the Acts of the General Assembly and the journals of the Votes and Proceedings of the House of Assembly in the Session of one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven, and blank Bonds and Manifests for the Treasurer's office eight pounds ten shillings.—The sum of one hundred and seventy five pounds to such person as the Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, with the advice of his Majesty's Council shall appoint for the purpose of compleating the road as now laid out from Fredericton to the city of St. John.—The sum of two hundred pounds to the Members for the city and county of Saint John and the county of Westmorland in General Assembly and George Leonard Esquire, for the purpose of compleating the road as now laid out from the city of Saint John to Westmoreland.—The sum of two hundred pounds to such person as the Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, with the advice of his Majesty's Council shall appoint for the purpose of opening and compleating the road from Fredericton to Saint Andrews.—The sum of fifty pounds to the Members for King's County in General Assembly for the purpose of widening and levelling the road over the portages from Bellisle [Belleisle] Bay to the river Kennebeckacis [Kennebecasis], and from the same river to the Marsh near the city of Saint John.—The sum of one hundred pounds to the Members for the counties of York and Northumberland in General Assembly for the purpose of opening a road of communication from Fredericton to the river Miramichi by the settlements on the river Nashwaack

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[Nashwaak]-The sum of one hundred and fifty pounds to the Member's for Sunbury, Queen's and King's counties in General Assembly, and the Honourable Daniel Bliss, Esquire, for the purpose of compleating the communication by a road from Fredericton to the city of Saint John, through or near the settlements over the highlands on the western side of the river Saint John.—The sum of one hundred pounds to the magistrates of King's county towards enabling them to pay for a house which they have purchased for the purpose of a Gaol and Court-house.—To the Members for the counties of King's and Westmoreland, the sum of twenty five pounds to be laid out in the purchase of a yoke of oxen and two cows to be delivered to such person as shall settle on the Westmoreland road, midway between the upper settlement on the Kennebeckacis and the upper settlement on the Petcodiac [Petitcodiac] rivers: such settler first giving good and sufficient security that he will not sell or slaughter the said oxen and cows or either of them, and in case of his removal from the place where he shall so settle, that he will return to the members of the said counties of King's and Westmoreland for the time being, a yoke of oxen and two cows of equal value to those he shall receive as aforesaid.—And a like sum to the Honourable Gabriel G. Ludlow, Esquire, and the Members for King's county in General Assembly to be applied in the same manner for the encouragement of a settler on the road from Fredericton to Saint John, midway between the rivers Oromocto and Nerepiss [Nerepis].—To the Doorkeeper of the House of Assembly five shillings per diem during the present session.

II. And be it further enacted, That the Aim by which the amount of the sums herein before ordered to be allowed and paid to the several and respective persons herein before mentioned, shall exceed the sum now remaining in the hands of the treasurer unappropriated, be allowed and paid in the manner herein after mentioned out of such monies as shall hereafter be in his hands arising from the collection of the impost duties.

III. And be it further enacted, That all the aforesaid several sums of money shall be paid by the treasurer, by warrant issued by the Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, by and with the advice of his Majesty's Council of this province, and the receipts of the several persons intituled to the said sums, indorsed on the said warrant shall be to the treasurer, good vouchers and discharges for so much as shall thereby be acknowledged to be received.

IV. And be it further enacted, That for answering the contingencies and expences that shall or may happen for the service of this province to the first day of March, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety one, warrants may issue on the treasurer from time to time, drawn by the Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being with the advice and confect of his Majesty's Council, which the treasurer is hereby ordered and directed to pay, provided the amount of the said warrants do not exceed the sum of one hundred pounds during that time.