

*Acts of the General Assembly of His Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1816.* Fredericton, NB: George K. Lugin, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1816.

56 George III – Chapter 14

**An Act in addition to an Act, entitled “An Act for erecting a Court-House and Gaol in the County of Northumberland.” Passed the 11th of March, 1816.**

Whereas by an Act made and passed in the fifty-second year of the Reign of his present Majesty, entitled “An Act for erecting a Court-House and Gaol in the County of Northumberland;” the Justices of the Peace for the said County in their General Sessions were authorized and empowered to contract and agree with able and sufficient workmen for building and finishing a Public Court-House and Gaol in the Town of New-Castle [Newcastle] in the said County; and the said Justices were by the same Act authorized and empowered to raise by Assessment, the sum of three hundred pounds in addition to the like sum of three hundred pounds before then ordered to be assessed for the before mentioned purpose of erecting such Court-House and Gaol: And Whereas the said two sums of three hundred pounds each, have been found insufficient for the same purpose--

I. Be it therefore enacted by the President, Council and Assembly, That the said Justices of the Peace in their General Sessions or the major part of them, are hereby authorized and empowered to raise by Assessment within the said County, such further sum as may in their opinion be necessary, not exceeding the sum of six hundred pounds, for building and finishing the said Gaol and Court-House in the said County.

II. And be it further enacted, That such further sum so deemed by the said Justices as necessary for the aforesaid purpose, shall be assessed, levied, collected and paid in the same manner in all respects as the said sums mentioned in the said herein--before recited Act, and under and subject to the same penalties for every delinquency as are made and provided in and by the same Act, to be recovered and applied as therein provided, subject nevertheless to the provisions of any Act or Acts to be made during the present Session, for regulating the Assessment and collection of County Rates.