

*Acts of the General Assembly of His Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1822.* Fredericton, NB: George K. Lugin, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1822.

3 George IV – Chapter 21

**An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in the County of Sunbury, to assess the Inhabitants of the said County, for erecting and building a Gaol in the said County. Passed the 21st March, 1812.**

Whereas the Gaol in the County of Sunbury, is so completely out of repair, and is so situated that it is utterly impossible to make it convenient for the purpose of a Gaol in future: And whereas it is expedient that a Gaol should be erected in said County—

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly, That the Justices of the Peace for the said County at any General Sessions of the Peace hereafter to be holden, or the major part of them, or at any Special Session for that purpose convened and holden, be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to contract and agree with able and sufficient Workmen, for building and finishing a Gaol in the Town or Parish of Burton, in the County aforesaid, and to appoint Contractors for that purpose, and to agree for such sum or sums of money as to them shall seem meet; and the said Justices are hereby authorized and empowered to make a rate and assessment, of any sum not exceeding the sum of five hundred pounds, as they in their discretion may think necessary for the erecting and finishing a Gaol in the County aforesaid; the same sum or sums to be assessed levied, collected, and paid, in such proportion and in the same manner as any other County rates can or may be assessed, levied, collected, and paid, by virtue of an Act made and passed in the twenty-sixth year of His late Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act for assessing, collecting, and levying County rates," or any other Act hereafter to be made for the like purpose.