

*Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1842.* Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1842.

5 Victoria – Chapter 16

**An Act relating to the appointment of Firewards and the better extinguishment of Fires in a part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, in the County of Charlotte, therein mentioned. Passed 29th March 1842.**

I. Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, an Act made and passed in the ninth year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled *An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and for the better extinguishing of Fires in the Town of Saint Andrews, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, and for other purposes therein mentioned*, and all the provisions thereof, except so far as the same are hereinafter altered, amended or enlarged, be and the same are hereby extended to that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, in the County of Charlotte, comprised within the following limits, namely commencing on the Saint Croix, at the mouth of the Dennis Stream, sometimes called Porter's Mill Stream, and extending upwards along the centre of the River Saint Croix, to within one hundred and twenty five rods of the Mills at middle landing (so called) in the said Parish of Saint Stephen, and extending back from the centre of the said River one mile at right angles thereto.

II. And be it enacted, That the number of Enginemen for each Engine may and shall be thirty instead of twenty as mentioned in the thirteenth section of the above in part recited Act.

III. And be it enacted, That the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte in their General Sessions, or the major part of them, are hereby authorized and empowered to raise by assessment on the inhabitants residing within the above described limits liable by this Act to be assessed, a sum not exceeding five hundred pounds in addition to the yearly assessment authorized to be made by the eighteenth Section of the above in part recited Act, which sum shall be assessed, levied and collected in the same manner as is provided in and by the above in part recited Act, and be applied for the purpose of carrying into effect the object and provisions of this Act.

IV. And be it enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force until the first day of April which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty five.