

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 9

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace, in and for King's County, to raise a sum of money for paying the Contractors for building a Gaol in the said Comity. Passed 29th March 1842.

I. Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the Justices of the Peace for the said County, at any General Sessions of the Peace for the said County, or at any Special Sessions to be for that purpose convened, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds, for the purpose of paying the amount due the Contractors for building the Gaol in the said County, to be paid off and discharged in manner hereinafter mentioned; the same to be taken in loans of not less than twenty five pounds, and that Certificates or Notes in the following form, or to that effect, shall be prepared and delivered to the persons from whom such loans may be obtained, viz :—

Number _____ King's ss.

These are to certify that _____ hath lent and advanced to the Justices of the Peace for the said County, the sum of _____ pounds currency, which sum is payable to him or his order, together with interest, pursuant to an Act of Assembly made and passed in the fifth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in and for King's County, to raise a sum, of money for paying the Contractors for building a Gaol in King's County. Dated the _____ day of _____ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty _____.

By order of the Justices.

A. B. Presiding Justice.

C. D. Clerk.

Which Certificates or Notes shall be numbered according to the time in which the same may be made and issued, and a memorandum thereof shall be duly entered by the Clerk, in the Minutes of the said Court.

II. And be it further enacted, That the said Certificates or Notes shall be negotiable in the same manner as Promissory Notes; and that the holders thereof shall be entitled to receive interest for the same semi-annually to be paid by the Treasurer of the said County.

III. And be it further enacted, That all monies that may be in the hands of the Treasurer of the said County, after paying the contingent expenses of the same, and the interest due on the several loans, shall be applied to the payment of the principal sums mentioned in such Certificate or Notes in due order, according to the numbers, beginning with number one; and that the said County Treasurer shall give notice to the holders of such and so many Certificates as he may be prepared to pay off; and that from and after such notice, the interest on such Certificate shall cease.

IV. And be it further enacted, That the said County Treasurer shall be entitled to the sum of three pence in the pound for his services in paying all monies under the provisions of this Act.