

*Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1846.* Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1846.

9 Victoria – Chapter 20

**An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Albert to assess the said County for erecting a Court House and Gaol therein. Passed 11th April 1846.**

Whereas it is necessary that a Court House and Gaol should be erected in the County of Albert;

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 hereafter to be holden, or at any Special Sessions to be for that purpose convened, or the major part of them, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to contract and agree with able and sufficient workmen for building and finishing a Court House and Gaol in the said County, and to agree for such sum and sums of money as they may deem meet, in order to carry this object into effect; and the said Justices are hereby authorized and empowered to make a rate and assessment of a sum not exceeding the sum of five hundred pounds, at such times and in such proportions as they shall deem meet, for the erecting and finishing a Court House and Gaol in the same County; the said sum to be assessed, levied, collected and paid in such proportions and in such manner as any other County rate can or may be assessed, levied, collected and paid, under and by virtue of any Act or Acts in force in this Province for assessing, levying and collecting rates for public charges.

II. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That no Special Sessions shall be holden for any of the purposes of this Act, unless five Justices, at least, are present at the same.