

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.

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An Act relating to the crime of Manslaughter. Passed 11th April 1846.

Whereas by the fifth section of an Act of the General Assembly made and passed in the ninth and tenth years of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled *An Act to amend the Statute Law relative to offences against the person, and to provide for the more effectual punishment of such offences*, it is enacted, that every person convicted of Manslaughter shall be liable to be imprisoned with or without hard labour in the Common Gaol or House of Correction for any term not exceeding three years, or to pay such fine as the Court shall award, or to be both fined and imprisoned, if the Court so award;

I. Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the said fifth section of the said Act be and the same is hereby repealed.

II. And be it further enacted, That from and after the passing of this Act, every person convicted of Manslaughter shall be liable to be imprisoned in the Common Gaol or the Public Penitentiary for any term not exceeding fourteen years, as the Court shall award.