

*Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1852.* Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1852.

15 Victoria – Chapter 9

**An Act to legalise the Lock-up House at the Creek Village in the Parish of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton. Passed 18th February 1852.**

Whereas it is expedient from the distance the Gaol in the County of Carleton is from the Creek Village, in the Parish of Woodstock, in said County, that the building erected by the said County for a Lock-up House in the rear of the Public Offices, at or near the said Creek, should be legalized; Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, as follows:—

1. From and after the passing of this Act, it shall and may be lawful for the High Sheriff or any other officer having legal custody of any person or persons who shall or may be arrested at or near the said Creek Village, in all cases in which the said Sheriff or other officer could legally lodge the said person or persons in the common gaol of said County, to commit the said person or persons to the said lock-up house until the said person or persons can be removed to the said County gaol, or otherwise discharged; provided always nevertheless, that no person under civil arrest shall be detained in the said lock-up house for any space of time exceeding forty eight hours.
2. The General Sessions or any Special Sessions shall be empowered to appoint a fit and proper person to keep the said lock-up house.