

*Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1853.* Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1853.

16 Victoria – Chapter 14

**An Act authorising the appointment of Commissioners of Sewers in Queen's County.  
Passed 14th April 1853.**

Whereas it is found expedient, for the proper carrying into effect the rules and regulations from time to time made by the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in Queen's County, in relation to Marshes, low Lands and Islands, pursuant to the provisions of an Act made and passed in the thirteenth year of Her present Majesty's Reign, intituled *An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the local government of Counties, Towns and Parishes in this Province*, that Commissioners of Sewers should be appointed for said County;

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, as follows:—

1. That the Justices of the Peace for Queen's County shall, when found necessary at any General Sessions or at any Special Sessions, from time to time appoint and remove at pleasure, one or more fit persons to be Commissioners of Sewers for any Parish, District or place in said County, for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the hereinbefore in part recited Act, in relation to Marshes, low Lands and Islands in said County.
2. Every such Commissioner of Sewers so appointed, shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duty either before the Sessions when appointed, or within fourteen days after such appointment, before a Justice of the Peace; and such Justice shall forthwith make return to the Clerk of the Peace of every such officer so sworn.
3. If any person so appointed shall refuse to serve, or shall be guilty of any misbehaviour or neglect of duty, such person shall pay the sum of forty shillings for every neglect or misbehaviour; and in addition to any penalty imposed for misbehaviour or neglect of duty, any such Sessions may dismiss from office any such Commissioner of Sewers, and appoint another in his stead.