

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 9

An Act to restrain the going at large of Dogs within the City of Saint John. Passed 14th April 1853.

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

1. The Common Council of the City of Saint John, by any bye laws may impose a tax on Dogs, to be levied yearly upon persons owning or keeping Dogs within the City, not exceeding five shillings for each Dog, and to be levied, paid and applied and appropriated as may be directed by such bye laws, and to restrain, licence, regulate, or entirely prevent Dogs going at large within the City, under such restrictions, regulations and conditions as the Common Council may direct, and to order the destruction of Dogs going at large contrary to the provisions of such bye laws, and to impose reasonable penalties and forfeitures for any breach thereof; provided that no such penalty shall exceed forty shillings for each offence, and that no person shall be obliged to pay more than five shillings annually for any one licence granted under the provisions of this Act.
2. An Act passed in the forty first year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Third, intituled *An Act for the further and better support of the Poor in the City of Saint John*, is hereby repealed.