

Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1855. Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1855.

18 Victoria – Chapter 51

An Act to authorize the proprietors of certain Intervale Lands in the Parish of Burton, in the County of Sunbury, to make regulations for the occupation, grazing, and fencing thereof. Passed 12th April 1855.

Section.

1. Proprietors may meet, make
make regulations, and appoint officers.

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2. Infringement of regulations, penalty.

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

1. The respective proprietors of the intervale lands in the Parish of Burton, in the County of Sunbury, lying between the Dugway (so called) and Nathaniel Hubbard's upper line of lot number twenty three, or any other line or boundary that may or shall be agreed upon by the said respective proprietors of the said intervale lands, shall or may annually meet on the first day of the Winter Sessions of the Peace in the said County of Sunbury, or on any other day, notice thereof, signed by three of the proprietors, having boon seven days previously posted, of the time and place, on the door of the Court House; and the majority of the proprietors present at such meeting are empowered to make regulations for the managing, cultivating, improving, occupation, grazing, and fencing of the said intervale lands, and such other regulations as the majority may consider to be for the interest and convenience of all, and to appoint officers to enforce such regulations; the votes to be taken according to the respective rights or shares of the proprietors present, giving to each one vote for every lot owned by him in the said intervale lands, except in the case of the owner of a part of a lot, who shall be entitled to one vote. The regulations so made shall be in writing, subscribed by the major part of the proprietors present, collecting their votes as aforesaid, deposited with the Clerk of the Peace, and remain in force until others are made in their stead.

2. If any person shall wilfully infringe such regulations, or shall refuse or neglect to comply with the same, after notice from the officer appointed to enforce the same, he shall for each offence, or on such refusal or neglect, forfeit and pay the sum of forty shillings to the use of the poor of the said Parish, to be recovered in like manner as other fines and penalties are by law recoverable, but the prosecution must be commenced within one month.