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Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1861. Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1861.

24 Victoria – Chapter 27

An Act further to amend an Act intituled *An Act for establishing and maintaining a Police Force in the Parish of Portland, in the City and County of Saint John.* Passed 12th April 1861.

Section.

- Penalty for standing in groups and obstructing passengers.
- Policemen may enter taverns, and no Keeper to seel liquor after eleven o'clock, P.M.

Section.

 Summons may issue on a verbal or written complain, for violation of spiritous liquor sale Act.

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

- 1. Three or more persons shall not stand in a group, or near to each other, on or near any sidewalk or crossing of any Street in the Parish of Portland, in the City and County of Saint John, in such a manner as to obstruct a free passage for foot passengers, for a longer time than twenty minutes, under a penalty not exceeding eight dollars, nor more than five minutes after a request to move on made by a Magistrate, Policeman, or other Peace Officer of the said Parish, under like penalty.
- 2. That it shall be lawful for the Police Force of the said Parish, or any of them, to enter into any house, place, or premises where liquor is sold; and no licensed Tavern Keeper shall sell any liquor in the said Parish after eleven o'clock at night, under a penalty on the proprietor not exceeding eight dollars, to be recovered before the Police Magistrate.
- 3. A Summons may be issued and proceeded on for a breach of the Act regulating the sale of spirituous liquors, on a verbal or written complaint, without oath.