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Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1865. Fredericton, NB: G. E. Fenety, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1865.

28 Victoria – Chapter 25

An Act to provide for the relief of the sufferers by the late calamitous Fire at Indian Town, in the Parish of Portland. Passed 8th June, 1865.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,— That the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John in General or Special Sessions, are hereby authorized to order an assessment on the City and County of Saint John, and the inhabitants thereof, for the sum of two thousand dollars, besides the charges of assessing and collecting, for the purpose of providing relief for the sufferers by the late calamitous Fire at Indian Town, in the Parish of Portland, in the said City and County of Saint John, to be assessed, levied and collected in the same manner as any other County Taxes are raised; and when collected to be paid into the hands of the County Treasurer, to be by him paid, as respects the said sum of two thousand dollars, upon the orders of the said Sessions, and the said charges thereon upon the like orders in favour of the Assessors and Collectors respectively.