

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Newfoundland, passed in the year 1858.

21 Victoria – Chapter 8

An Act to amend an Act passed in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled “An Act to amend an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled ‘An Act to Provide for the Establishment of an Academy in St. John's’” and for other purposes. (Passed 10th May, 1858.)

Whereas it is expedient to amend an Act passed in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled “An Act to amend an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled ‘An Act to, provide for the Establishment of an Academy in St. John's.’”

Be it therefore Enacted by the Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, as follows:—

I. That from and after the passing of this Act, there shall be established in St. John's, a Wesleyan Academy; and it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to nominate and appoint a Board of directors for the said Academy which shall consist of Five Members being Wesleyan Methodists, of whom Three shall be a quorum, which Board shall possess, exercise, and discharge, the like powers and duties, subject to the like Rules, Regulations, and Restrictions, prescribed for or vested in any of the Boards of Directors under and by virtue of any of the said recited Acts passed respectively in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled “An Act to Provide for the Establishment of an Academy in St. John's,” and in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled “An Act to amend an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled ‘An Act to provide for the Establishment of an Academy in St. John's.’”

II. The said Board of Directors and their Successors shall have full power from time to time to appoint and remove One or more persons as Masters of the said Academy.

III. From and out of such monies as shall from time to time remain in the hands of the Receiver General, unappropriated, there be granted to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, annually, the sum of Six Hundred Pounds towards defraying the Salaries of Roman Catholic Masters of the Roman Catholic Academy; the sum of Four Hundred Pounds, towards defraying the Salaries of the Church of England Masters of the Church of England Academy; the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds towards defraying the Salaries of the Masters of the General Protestant Academy, respectively established under the said recited Act, in lieu of the salaries provided under the Fourth Section (hereby repealed) of the said recited Act, passed in the Thirteenth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled “An Act to amend an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled ‘An Act to Provide for the Establishment of an Academy in St. John's;’” and the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds towards defraying the Salaries of the Masters of the Wesleyan Academy, hereby established; which Salaries shall be paid quarterly, by warrant of the Governor in favor of the Chairman of the several Boards of the respective Academies, upon the production of a certificate from the Chairman of each of

the said Boards of Directors, that the Masters of the said Academies have been actually engaged in the duties of their respective appointments.

IV. That the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds, annually, be granted for the support of the Grammar School of Carbonear; and the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds, annually, for the support of the Grammar School at Harbor Grace; in lieu and in full of the Salaries granted for the support of the Masters of the said, respective Schools under an Act passed in the Sixth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled "An Act to authorize the Governor to appoint Commissioners for the appropriation of certain monies granted to Her Majesty for the establishment of a Grammar School at Carbonear, and remaining unappropriated, and to make further provision for the support of the said School;" and under an Act passed in the same Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act for the Establishment and Support of a Grammar School at Harbor Grace;" and' the Sixth Sections of the said recited Acts are hereby repealed.

V. The number of Members on the Board of the General Protestant Academy shall be Six instead of Five, as at present; Provided that Two be selected from the Church of Scotland, Two from the Free St. Andrew's Church, and Two from the Congregational Church.

VI. That the Sum of Six Hundred Pounds, voted for the General Protestant Academy by the Supply Act of 1857, and yet unappropriated. be divided equally between the Wesleyan and the General Protestant Academies.