

*Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada in North America*, passed in the year 1823.  
York: Charles Fothergill, 1823.

4 George IV – Chapter 23

**An Act to Provide for the Completion of the Gaol and Court-House, in the London District this Province. Passed 19th March, 1823.**

Whereas it appears by the Petition of the Magistrates of the London District that the funds applied to the building of a Gaol and Court-house, in and for the said District, are insufficient for completing the said Goal and Court-House: and whereas it is expedient to authorise the said Magistrates of the said District to raise a loan in aid of the said funds; Be it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and appointed by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled "*An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province,'*" and by the authority of the same, That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace in and for the said District, in General Quarter Sessions assembled, in April next, by an order of Court, to authorise and direct the Treasurer of the said district to raise by loan from such person or persons, bodies politic or corporate, who may be willing to lend the same on the credit of the District, a sum not exceeding one thousand pounds, to be applied, together with the funds then remaining in the hands of the said Treasurer, for the use of the said District, and unappropriated, in the building of the said Gaol and Court House.

II. Provided also, and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the Treasurer of the said District for the time being, shall annually, until the loan so raised, with the interest accruing thereon, shall be paid and discharged, apply towards the payment of the same a sum not less than one hundred and fifty pounds, from and out of the rates and assessments coming into his hands for the use of the District as aforesaid, together with all such monies as may remain in his hands, after the payment of the ordinary and incidental charges of the year.