

Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1833. York: Robert Stanton, 1833.

3 William IV – Chapter 28

An Act to repeal part of, and amend An Act passed in the Fifty- seventh year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, entitled “*An Act to establish a Police in the Towns of York, Sandwich, and Amherstburgh.*” Passed 13th February, 1833.

Whereas the Law now in force authorizing the Magistrates in the Town of York to raise by Assessment a sum not exceeding One Hundred Pounds, for Police purposes, as therein mentioned, is found, from the great increase of the said Town, insufficient:—Be it therefore 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 assembled 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 from and after the passing of this Act, it shall and may be lawful for the Magistrates of the Home District, or the major part of them, in Quarter Sessions assembled, in the month of April in each and every year, to raise by Assessment from the persons rated upon any Assessment for property in the said Town, a sum not exceeding Four Pence in the Pound, on the amount for which each person shall be Assessed in the said Town in any one year, for purchasing and keeping in repair Fire-Engines, Ladders, Buckets, and other Utensils, for the extinguishing of fires, and for making any other necessary improvements in the said Town, exclusive of the sum such persons may be rated for in and upon any other Assessment of this Province; and in order to carry the said Assessment into effect, it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Peace for the Home District, to select from the General Assessment of the said District, a list or assessment of the rateable property that each and every person owns or possesses in the said Town, ready to be laid before the Magistrates in Quarter Sessions assembled for the said District, in April in each and every year.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That so much of the second clause of an Act passed in the fifty-seventh year of the Reign of King George the Third, entitled “*An Act to establish a Police in the Towns of York, Sandwich and Amherstburgh*, as relates to the levying an Assessment in the Town of York, be, and the same is hereby repealed.