

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1839. Toronto: Robert Stanton, 1839.

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An Act granting to Her Majesty a sum of money for the Improvement of the Post Road between Cornwall and L'Original. Passed 11th May, 1839.

Most Gracious Sovereign:

Whereas the repair and improvement of the Post Road between Cornwall and L'Original, is highly important and necessary for the defence of that section of the Province, in case of insurrection or invasion as well as for advancing the peaceful objects of internal communication, We Your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Upper Canada, in Provincial Parliament assembled, humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted: And be it enacted by the Queen'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 out of the public monies which are or shall be in the bands of Her Majesty's Receiver General of this Province, and applicable to the purposes thereof, there be granted to Her Majesty the sum of One Thousand Pounds, to be appropriated and expended as follows:— On that part of the said road lying between the Town of Cornwall and Saint Andrews, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds; and on that part of the said road lying between Saint Andrews and the west line of Charlottenburgh, Seventy-five Pounds; and the Honourable Philip Vankoughnet, Captain Donald McDonell, late of Her Majesty's fortieth Regiment, Donald Aeneas McDonell, Esquire, Member of the Provincial Parliament for the County of Stormont, and John McDonald, of lot number ten in the fifth concession of Cornwall, and John Cameron, of the fourth concession of Cornwall, be Commissioners for the expenditure of the same. On that part of the said road lying between the west line of Charlottenburgh and Saint Raphael's Church, the sum of Seventy-five Pounds, and that the Honourable John McGillivray, Honourable Alexander Fraser, and Alexander McMartin, Esquire, Sheriff, be Commissioners for the expenditure of the same. On that part of the said road lying between Saint Raphael's Church and the northern line of Lochiel, the sum of Five Hundred Pounds, and that Duncan MacDonell, (of Greenfield) Esquire, Alexander Chisholm, Esquire, Member of Assembly, and Charles Platt Treadwell, Esquire, Sheriff, be Commissioners for the expenditure of the same. On that part of the road situate in the Ottawa District, lying between the northern line of Lochiel, and the Village of L'Original, the sum of Two Hundred Pounds, and that Neil Stewart, and William Wait, Esquires, and Thomas Higginson of Van Cleek's Hill, be Commissioners for the expenditure of the same.

II. And be it Further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the monies to be laid out and expended under the provisions of this Act, shall be paid by the Receiver General of this Province in the following proportions:— that is to say; Eight Hundred Pounds to the Commissioners of the Eastern District; and Two Hundred Pounds to the Commissioners of the Ottawa District, in discharge of such warrant or warrants as shall be issued by the Lieutenant Governor for that purpose.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the monies hereby authorised to be expended upon the said road, shall be expended and applied on or before the first day of November next after passing of this Act; and shall be accounted for to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor on or before the first day of December next.