

Law, that the Poll will be adjourned and opened at the Court House at Arichat, on the tenth day after the opening at Sydney, and shall so remove the said Poll, and there continue the same for the space of four days, or until the Electors then and there present be Polled; and, after having received the Votes of the Electors, as by Law directed, shall remove or adjourn the Poll on the tenth day after its opening at Arichat, to the Court-House at Port Hood, and there continue the same for the space of four days, or until all the Electors then and there present be Polled, unless sooner closed according to Law; and, after having received the Votes of the Electors, as by Law directed, shall remove or adjourn the Poll on the tenth day after its opening at Port Hood, to some central and convenient place at Cheticamp, in the said County, and there continue the same for the space of four days, or until all the Electors then and there present be Polled, unless sooner closed according to Law.

Qualification of
Candidate

II. And be it further enacted, That, from and after the passing of this Act, if any Candidate or Agent of a Candidate, at any Election to be held in any part of the Province, shall be questioned by any Elector at the commencement of the Poll, as to the qualification of such Candidate, and be required to take the Oath as by Law directed, it shall not be imperative on said Candidate, or Agent, to attend in person to take and subscribe the same, but a deposition in writing (containing the description and situation of the Lands by which he claims to be legally qualified as such Candidate) made and subscribed by such Candidate or Agent, before one of the Judges of the Supreme or Inferior Courts of this Province, and delivered to the Sheriff or other proper Officer holding said Election, shall be sufficient. *Provided*, that the said Candidate, thus called upon to exhibit and attest to his qualification, shall, if elected and required before he assume his Seat or Vote in General Assembly, take and subscribe the Candidate's Oath by Law directed, and deliver to the Clerk of said House of Assembly, the Title Deeds under which he holds the Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments, whereby he seeks to make out his Qualification, or True Copies of the same.

CAP. VI.

An Act to regulate the Pilotage of Vessels at the Port of Sydney, in the Island of Cape-Breton.

[Passed the 11th day of January 1831.]

Four Persons to
be Commission-
ed to Select Pi-
lots

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief, for the time being, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, to appoint and commission, during pleasure, four Persons (three of whom to be a Quorum) to examine and select Pilots for the Port of Sydney; and that vacancies in such commission shall be filled up by the same Authority of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief, and Council, and that before any such Commissioner shall act under such appointment he shall take the oath contained in the Schedule annexed to this Act, marked A, before one of the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas.

Commissioners
empowered to
License Pilots

II. And be it further enacted, That the said Commissioners shall from time to time license as many fit Persons, by them examined, as they shall think necessary to act as Pilots for the Port of Sydney, and to grant to each licensed Pilot a Certificate in the form contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed, marked B, for which Certificate the Person receiving it shall pay the sum of Twenty Shillings, and the Certificate so granted shall be numbered and registered in a book, to be kept for that purpose, and shall be annually renewed on payment of the sum of Ten Shillings.

Rates of Pilots
to be establish-
ed

III. And be it further enacted, That the Rates of Pilotage into and from the Harbour of Sydney, to which such licensed Pilots shall be entitled, when employed by any vessel, shall be according to the Table of Rates contained in the Schedule annexed to this

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