

"ter securing the Navigation of Passamaquoddy Bay, and "building a Slip in the Harbor of Saint Andrews" has expired. And whereas from the monies arising by virtue of the said Act having been found insufficient to defray the expence of erecting, replacing, and keeping in repair the Beacons or Land-marks therein mentioned, it is necessary and expedient that further provisions be made for that purpose, and for paying off the debt contracted by the Commissioners appointed by His Excellency the LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR by virtue of the said Act.

*I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Council, and Assembly,* That it shall and may be lawful for such Commissioners as His Excellency the LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR shall appoint, or the major part of them, to ask, demand, sue for, and receive from the Deputy Province Treasurer, for the County of Charlotte, his heirs or executors, or any other person or persons, all such sum or sums of money, as he or they may have received or may have become indebted for by virtue of the said Act, and also to examine, adjust, settle, and pay off, all demands arising in consequence of the erecting, replacing, or keeping in repair such Beacons or Land-marks.

Commissioners to demand from the Deputy Province Treasurer or other person such money as he or they may have received by virtue of the former Act, and adjust and pay off all demands arising from the erection, &c. of Beacons.

*II. And be it further enacted,* That the Beacons or Landmarks to be erected, replaced, or kept in repair, shall be at the following places, viz:—one on the Sand Spit, called Sandy Island, a second on the extremity of Indian Point, and a third on the South Eastern point of Saint Andrew's Island.

Beacons where to be erected.

*III. And be it further enacted,* That from and after the time it shall be certified under the hands of the Justices of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas or the major part of them to the Deputy Province Treasurer for the said County, that such Beacons are erected as aforesaid, there be and hereby are granted to His MAJESTY, his heirs and successors, for the building, replacing and support of such Beacons the following duties of tonnage on all inward bound vessels entering Passamaquoddy Bay within Deer Island, of the following description and at the following rates, viz:—On all vessels, coasting craft excepted, *one halfpenny per ton* for every ton they respectively admeasure agreeable to register; and on all coasting vessels, *one shilling and three-pence* for each time they arrive in Passamaquoddy Bay within Deer Island aforesaid.

Duties granted for the building and support of such Beacons. On all vessels other than coasting craft one halfpenny per ton. For every coasting vessel one shilling and three-pence.

*IV. And be it further enacted,* That every master of such ship or vessel who shall refuse or neglect to call upon the Deputy Province Treasurer and pay to him such tonnage within forty-eight hours after his arrival, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding *five pounds*, to be sued for and recovered before any two of His MAJESTY's Justices of the Peace, and applied for the purpose of erecting or supporting such Beacons.

Masters of vessels refusing or neglecting to pay such duties within 48 hours after arrival to forfeit £l. to be recovered before two Justices of the Peace and applied for support of such Beacons.

*V. And be it further enacted,* That the Commissioners to be appointed as aforesaid to superintend and compleat the erecting of

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