

appointment
from time to
time.

Peace assembled in any County, may dismiss any person from the office of Constable, and may at any time appoint such additional number of Constables as they, in their discretion, may consider necessary.

Act limited
to U. C.

5. This Act shall apply only to Upper Canada.

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An Act to consolidate the Debt of the County of Middlesex.

[Assented to 23rd April, 1860.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Corporation of the County of Middlesex have, by petition, set forth that their indebtedness, by outstanding Debentures of the said County, amounts to eight hundred and seventy-nine thousand one hundred and fourteen dollars, which they desire to consolidate and discharge by the issue of new Debentures, in such sums, and payable at such periods and places, as they may deem advisable, and it is expedient that the prayer of the said petition should be granted: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

Council authorized to raise a certain amount by loan.

1. The Corporation of the County of Middlesex may raise, by way of loan upon the credit of the Debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, in this Province or in Great Britain or elsewhere, a sum of money not exceeding eight hundred and seventy-nine thousand one hundred and fourteen dollars.

And to issue Debentures for the purpose.

2. The said Corporation, from time to time, in such manner as the Council thereof shall by By-law direct, may cause to be issued Debentures of the said County under the Corporate Seal, signed by the Warden, and countersigned by the Treasurer, in such sums, not exceeding in the whole eight hundred and seventy-nine thousand one hundred and fourteen dollars, and payable at such periods, as the Council thereof shall direct, and the principal sum or sums secured by such Debentures, and the interest accruing thereon may be made payable either in this Province, or in Great Britain or elsewhere, as the said Council shall deem expedient.

How the money so raised shall be applied.

3. So much of the said loan, as shall be necessary for the purpose, shall be applied by the said Corporation, to the redemption of the now outstanding Debentures thereof and to no other purpose whatever, and the Treasurer of the said County, on receiving instructions so to do, from the said Council, may call in such outstanding Debentures, and discharge the same with the funds raised under this Act, or may substitute therefor Debentures issued under this Act, as may be agreed between the