

Repeal of part
of section 2.

4. So much of the section two of chapter twelve of the revised statutes as imposes a duty of three shillings and four pence per hundred weight on fine biscuit, called crackers or cakes, and a duty of two pence per pound on upper leather, is repealed

CHAPTER 2.

An Act to alter and amend Chapter 126 of the Revised Statutes,
“Of the Supreme Court and its Officers.”

(Passed the 31st day of March, 1856.)

SECTION

1. Commencement of easter term, 1856.
2. Commencement of easter term hereafter.
3. Spring terms on the western circuit.
4. Spring terms on the shore circuit.
5. Adjourned sittings at Annapolis.

SECTION

6. Extension of sittings at Digby.
7. Extension of sittings at Amherst.
8. Jurors for extended sittings.
9. Proceedings, &c., and parties to attend.

Be it enacted by the governor, council, and assembly, as follows :

Commencement
of easter term,
1856.

1. The ensuing term of the supreme court at Halifax shall commence on the third Tuesday of April, instead of on the first Tuesday thereof; and all matters and proceedings pending, or to be had therein, shall be had and proceeded with, and all jurors, officers, and parties, and other persons bound to appear thereat shall appear and attend on the third Tuesday of April, instead of the first Tuesday thereof.

Do. hereafter.

2. After the present year, the Easter term of the supreme court at Halifax shall commence on the second Tuesday of April.

Spring terms on
the western cir-
cuit.

3. The spring term of the supreme court shall hereafter be held at Windsor, on the first Tuesday of June; at Kentville on the second Tuesday of June; at Annapolis on the third Tuesday of June, and at Digby on the fourth Tuesday of June, instead of at the times now established for the spring sittings of the court at those places respectively.

Spring terms on
the shore circuit

4. The spring terms of the supreme court shall, after the present year, be held at Lunenburg, on the fourth Tuesday of April, —at Liverpool on the Tuesday after the fourth Tuesday of April, —at Barrington on the third Wednesday after the fourth Tuesday of April, —at Tusket on the third Tuesday after the fourth Tuesday of April, instead of the times now established for holding the same, at those places respectively.

Adjourned sit-
tings at Anna-
polis.

5. If the business at Annapolis be not disposed of at the rising of the court, at the next spring term, and at the spring term to be held in each alternate year thereafter, the presiding judge shall have power to adjourn the court until the Tuesday after the fourth Tuesday of June; and the court shall meet at such adjourned day, and continue to sit until all the causes for trial shall have been called, and the jury shall be summoned, and shall attend at