

STEAM VESSEL.

Lieutenant Governor and Council authorized to hire a Steam Vessel, of not less than fifty horse power, for the conveyance of the Mails weekly to and from Miramichi and Pictou, at the rate of £500 per annum 703

SUBPOENA OFFICE.

Court of Chancery, Fees of 17

SUITS.

Not to abate by death of either party; but action may be maintained by or against the Executor or Administrator of the party dying 132

Executor or Administrator *de bonis non*, may have *Scire Facias*, and execution on judgment, after verdict, in his own name . . . 133

No proceedings to be discontinued by reason of any new Commission, or altering names of Justices ib.

Limitation of. See *Actions*.

SUMMARY TRIALS.

Supreme Court may try all actions wherein Titles to Land shall not be called in question, the sum total of which does not exceed £20, in a summary way, according to Law and Equity . . . 153

When case is doubtful, or when either of the parties desire it, Court may direct a Jury to be summoned to try the same . . . 154

Any of the Justices may take voluntary confession of Debtors, for sums under £20, and a Record being made of the same, Justice to grant execution, upon the oath of the Creditor, the same as if the cause had been tried in the Court . . . 155

Execution to be against Body or Goods, at the option of plaintiff . . . ib.

Costs on trial & recovery not to exceed 1s. 6d. in the Pound, or on confession 1s. in the Pound—exclusive of Jury, Sheriff, &c. ib.

Witnesses legally served with Subpœna, in such Actions, to attend and give evidence, or be proceeded against for contempt, and be liable to make good damages sustained by Party injured . . . 156

Punishment for wilful Perjury therein ib.

SUNDAY. See *Lord's Day*. *Licensed Houses*.

SUPREME COURT.

Two Terms in the year to be held at Charlottetown 3

All criminal offences, questions of property, and other actions, to be tried by a Queen's County Jury separately, or jointly with the other Counties 6

All Writs, Pleas, Processes, &c. held good and effectual in law, although the Court did not sit in the February Term, 1776 . . . 31

A third Term added, to be called *Michaelmas Term* 152

Two former Terms to be called *Hilary* and *Trinity Terms* . . . 153

Justices of, empowered to try *Actions* in a summary way, in cases not exceeding £20 ib.