

who shall aid or excite any other person to assault, beat or forcibly resist such officer or Constable, every such offender shall, upon conviction thereof, before the Mayor or a Justice of the Peace, be liable to a fine of from two to ten pounds currency and to imprisonment not exceeding two calendar months, notwithstanding the provisions of the Fifty-seventh Section of this Act ; 5
 Provided always, that it shall be lawful for the said Council or any other officer, if the offence be serious, to proceed by indictment; against any such offender ; but only one proceeding at law shall be adopted. 10

Property ex-
 empted from
 taxation.

LXVI. And be it enacted, That the following property shall be exempt from taxation in the Town of St. Hyacinthe :—

All lands and property belonging to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, held by any public body, office, or person in trust for the service of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors. 15

All Provincial property and buildings.

Every place of public worship, and every burying ground.

Every public school house and the ground on which the same is constructed.

Every educational establishment, as well as the ground on 20 which the same is constructed.

All buildings, ground and property occupied by hospitals or other charitable institutions.

Every Court House and District Gaol, and the grounds attached thereto : Provided always, that this exemption shall not extend 25 to lots or to buildings built upon lots leased or occupied by tenants under the Government, or the Ordnance Department in the said Town ; but such lands belonging to the Government or to the Ordnance Department occupied by tenants, shall be valued and assessed in like manner as other real property in the 30 said Town, and such rate or assessment shall be paid by the said tenant or occupiers thereof.

Tavern
 Licenses.

LXVII. And be it enacted, That from and after the passing of this Act, the said Town Council shall alone be authorized to grant and deliver certificates for obtaining Tavern Licenses, any law, 35 usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding : and such certificates shall be signed by the Mayor and the Secretary-Treasurer of the said Council, and sealed with the Seal of the said Council.