



ANNO DECIMO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CAP. I.

*AN ACT to amend an Act passed in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of her present Majesty, entitled "An Act to Regulate the Re-building of the Town of St. John's, and the Drainage and Sewerage of the same, and to Repeal certain Acts therein mentioned."*

[Passed 14th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS an Act was passed in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled "An Act to regulate the Re-building of the Town of Saint John's and the Drainage and Sewerage of the same, and to repeal certain Acts therein mentioned;" And Whereas it is deemed expedient to repeal certain portions of the said Act, and to substitute other provisions in lieu thereof, and otherwise to amend the same—

Preamble.

I.—*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that the first, second, third, seventh, tenth and fifteenth sections of the said recited Act, and also so much of the fifth section of the said recited Act as directs that buildings or erections on the North side and to the Northward of Duckworth Street shall be built of brick, stone, or other unflammable material; and so much of the twelfth section as provides for the payment of the Salary of the Supervisor therein mentioned; be and the same are hereby repealed.

Repeals 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 7th, 10th and 15th Sections, and parts of the 5th and 12th Sections of the recited Act.

II.—*And be it enacted*, That Water Street in the said Town of St. John's shall extend from the Eastern side of Quidi Vidi Firebreak, in the said recited Act mentioned, on the East, to Job's Bridge on the West, and shall be Sixty Feet in width throughout the same, except as hereinafter excepted; and that the South side line of the said Street shall be as follows: Commencing at station No. 1. on the plan of the Commissioners appointed by His Excellency the Governor, certified under the hands of the said Commissioners, and presented to the House of Assembly, and in the said recited Act mentioned, and running thence to station No. 3, on the said plan;

Water Street.

thence according to the line of street as it existed on the Eighth day of June last to the North-eastern gate post at the entrance to the premises of Messrs. Walsh & Maccassy; thence in a straight direction to a point Ten Feet South of the entrance of the lane or passage leading to the wharf of Mr. N. Gill; thence in a straight direction to a point Two Feet South of the North-west angle of the premises of the said Mr. N. Gill; thence in a straight line to the North-east angle of the new brick buildings of the Honorable Patrick Morris, near the Custom House; thence by the said South side line of street as it existed on the Eighth day of June last to the North-west angle of the premises of Messrs. Hunters & Co.; thence in a straight direction to a point Five Feet South of the North-east angle of the house lately occupied by Mr. Henry Earle; thence in a straight direction to a point Three Feet South of the North-west angle of the dwelling-house lately occupied by Messrs. J. M. Rendell & Co.; thence through a point Ten Feet South of the North-west angle of the premises of Messrs. W. & H. Thomas & Co., as nearly as may be in a straight direction to the North-east angle of the stone dwelling-house formerly occupied by Mr. R. F. Trimmingham; thence by the said South side line of street as it existed on the Eighth day of June last, to Beck's Cove; thence from a point Nine Feet South of the North-east angle of the premises lately occupied by Messrs. E. & N. Stabb, to the North-east angle of the stone building lately occupied by Messrs. Shea & Murphy; thence by the said South side line of street as it existed on the Eighth day of June last to the North-west angle of the stone premises of Messrs. James & William Stewart; thence from a point Ten Feet South of the North-east angle of the premises lately occupied by Messrs. P. Rogerson & Son, in a straight direction, to the North-west angle of the dwelling-house lately occupied by Mr. William Warren; thence by the said South side line of street as it existed on the Eighth day of June last, to the North-west angle of the brick buildings of the Honorable Patrick Morris, near the premises of Messrs. Newman & Co.; and thence to Job's Bridge, according to the line laid down on the said plan of the aforesaid Commissioners: Provided, that nothing in this section contained shall affect any building of brick or stone, erected on the South side of Water Street since the Ninth day of June last, in conformity with the terms of the said recited Act; and provided that the foundation walls of the property of Messrs. Duggan and others, opposite the premises lately occupied by Messrs. E. & N. Stabb, shall remain as on the Eighth day of June last.

III.—*And be it enacted*, That Duckworth Street in the said Town shall extend from Quidi Vidi Firebreak aforesaid on the East, to Williams's Lane on the West, and shall not be less than Sixty Feet in width throughout the same; and the South side line of the said Street shall be as follows:— From Quidi Vidi Firebreak to the North-east angle of Woodley's Lane, according to the existing South side line of the said Street; thence in a straight direction to a point Twenty Feet South of the North-west angle of the house occupied on the Eighth day of June last by Mr. Patrick McCarthy; thence in a straight direction to a point Fifteen Feet South of the North-east angle of the house occupied on the Eighth day of June last by Mr. John Quinn; thence in a straight direction to the North-east angle of the house lately occupied by Mr. John Stears, West of the Hill of Chips; thence by the existing South side line of Street to Cochrane Street; thence from a point Three Feet North of the North-east angle of the house lately occupied by Mrs. Coleman, at the corner of Cochrane Street, in a straight direction to a point on the existing South line of Street at a distance Westward from Cochrane Street of One Hundred and Fifty-five Feet; thence according to the existing South side line of street to a point Five Feet North of the house lately occupied by Jeremiah Hayes at the head of the King's Beach; thence in a straight direction to the North-east angle of Mr. Thomas Bearn's stone buildings; thence along the front of the same and in a straight line to the North-east angle of Mr. William Flinn's brick

house; thence by the existing line of street to the North-west angle of the Commercial Buildings; thence in a straight line to the North-east angle of Market Square; and thence by the existing South side line of street to Williams's Lane.

IV.—*And be it enacted*, That New Gower Street in the said Town shall extend from the site of the late Theatre to Flower Hill Firebreak; and the North side line of the said Street shall be as follows: commencing at the South-east angle of Mr. Philip Duggan's house (as the same is laid down in the plan of the said Commissioners hereinbefore mentioned); thence running in a straight line, touching the South-west angle of Stephen Ryan's house, to a point Sixty Feet beyond the boundary of Mr. James Fergus's ground; thence in a straight line to a point Northward of the North-west angle of Waldegrave Street; thence in a straight line to a point Fifty feet North of the North-west angle of Cuddihy's house, being the Western extremity of the Burnt District; and thence in a straight direction to Flower Hill Firebreak: And that the said Street shall not be less than Fifty Feet in width throughout the same: And the Street or Firebreak commonly called George Street, shall be extended from Waldegrave Street to Flower Hill Firebreak, on the West, and from Queen Street to Williams's Lane, on the East, and shall be of a width of not less than Fifty feet throughout the same, according to such lines and boundaries as shall be laid down by the Supervisor of Streets, and approved of by the Governor and Council: And in that part of the said Town lying between Williams's Lane and Flower Hill Firebreak, it shall not be lawful for any person or persons whomsoever to build or erect any house, building or erection whatsoever, on the South side and to the Southward of the said George Street above mentioned, unless the same shall be of stone, brick, or other unflammable material, and roofed or covered with unflammable material; and all houses, buildings and erections of wood, which, since the Ninth day of June last, have been, or which shall hereafter be built, on the South side and Southward of the said last mentioned Street, shall, from and after the First day of May, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Nine, be and be deemed public nuisances, and shall and may be abated in the way and manner and by the means mentioned and provided in and by the eighth section of this Act in respect of the nuisances therein mentioned and referred to.

V.—*And be it enacted*, That the following Cross Streets or Firebreaks shall be of the respective widths and according to the lines and boundaries hereinafter laid down and described for the same, that is to say:—

QUIDI VIDI FIREBREAK.—The Western side of the said Firebreak shall be bounded by a straight line running from the Harbour along the foundation wall of the late Mr. James Brine's premises, and thence in a straight line to the North East corner of the Stone House in Duckworth Street near Dunscomb's Bridge; and a line parallel thereto, at Sixty feet distance, shall be the Eastern boundary.

HILL OF CHIPS FIREBREAK.—That the Firebreak at the Hill of Chips shall be bounded on the Western side by a line drawn from Water Street to Duckworth Street, parallel to and at a distance of Four feet Eastward from the Eastern foundation walls of the old Billiard Room, now belonging to Mr. Patrick Kough; and that a parallel line, at a distance of Sixty feet therefrom, shall form the Eastern side line of the said Firebreak.

KING'S BEACH FIREBREAK.—From Water Street to Duckworth Street, shall be the same as it existed on the Eighth day of June last—save and except that from the North West corner of the house of Mr. Michael Foley to a point Two feet South of the North West corner of the house lately occupied by Mr. Thomas Murray the said Firebreak shall be bounded by a straight line: then commencing on Duckworth Street at a point Three feet Eastward from the South West angle of the house lately occupied by Mr. Michael Daley, the said Firebreak shall be bounded on the Eastern

New Gower Street.

Cross Streets and Firebreaks.

Quidi Vidi Firebreak.

Hill of Chips Firebreak.

King's Beach Firebreak.

side by a straight line running to a point Thirty-three feet North of the North West angle of the house occupied by Mr. George Forward ; thence to a point Seventeen feet East of the North East angle of the King's Road in Gower Street ; thence by a straight line running to the South East angle of the Ordnance Lime-kiln ground, and thence by the Eastern boundary of the said ground to the Military Road :—and that a line parallel thereto, at a distance of Sixty feet, shall, (from Duckworth Street to the said Limekiln ground,) be the Western boundary of the said Firebreak ; and thence the Western side of the King's Road to the Military Road shall form the Western boundary line of the said Firebreak.

Prescott Street  
Firebreak.

**PRESCOTT STREET FIREBREAK.**—That the Western boundary thereof, from Water Street to Duckworth Street, shall be the same as it existed on the Eighth day of June last, and that a space equal to the breadth of M'Larty's Lane shall be added to the width of the said Firebreak—the proprietors of ground encroached upon for this purpose occupying the said lane in lieu of the ground so encroached on. Then commencing on Duckworth Street at a point Twenty Feet to the Westward of the Eastern side line of Cantfill's Lane, and running thence in a straight direction to the North-east angle of Cantfill's Lane on Gower Street ; thence along the Eastern side line of Cantfill's Lane until it intersects the Eastern side of Prescott Street, as laid down by the Commissioners in their aforesaid plan ; and thence, by the Eastern side line of the said street as described upon the said plan—which shall be the Eastern boundary of the said Firebreak ; and that a line or lines parallel thereto, at a distance of Sixty Feet, shall be the Western boundary thereof : Provided that the Proprietors of the ground through which Prescott Street runs, from Duckworth Street Northward, shall have that part of Cantfill's Lane South of the angle near to Mr. M. Coxen's forge, towards compensation for their land encroached upon for the making of Prescott Street.

Church-Hill  
Firebreak.

**CHURCH HILL FIREBREAK.**—On the South side of Water Street the said Firebreak shall be Eighty Feet in width from the Western side line thereof, as it existed on the Eighth day of June last. From Water Street to Gower Street the said Firebreak shall be One Hundred Feet in width from the Western side line thereof, as it existed on the Eighth day of June last ; and that from Gower Street to the rear line of the Town, the Western side line of the continuation of the said Firebreak shall be according to the line laid down and described as and for the Western side line of the same on the plan of the Commissioners presented to the House of Assembly, in the said recited Act mentioned ; and that a parallel line at the distance of Eighty Feet shall be the Eastern side line of the continuation of the said Firebreak : Provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the erection of the proposed New Cathedral.

McBride's Cove  
Firebreak.

**MCBRIDE'S COVE FIREBREAK,** between the Harbor and Duckworth Street, shall be as it existed on the Eighth day of June last.

Beck's Cove  
Firebreak

**BECK'S COVE FIREBREAK.**—That the boundary lines of the said Cove and Firebreak between the Harbour and Duckworth Street shall be as they existed on the Eighth day of June last ; and that from the Northern extremity of the Eastern boundary of the said Firebreak a straight line be extended to the North-west angle of William Shea's house in Gower Street, and that a line parallel thereto, at Sixty feet distance, form the Western boundary of the continuation of the said Firebreak.

Codner's Cove  
Firebreak.

**CODNER'S COVE FIREBREAK.**—A line drawn from the Harbour along the Eastern foundation walls of Mr. John H. Warren's late dwelling house in Water Street and the existing Western side line of Adelaide Street, to New Gower Street, shall form the Western boundary ; and that the Eastern side of Codner's Cove, and a line Sixty Feet distant from and parallel to the Western side of Adelaide Street be the Eastern boundary thereof ; and that the Western side line of the said Firebreak shall be produced until it intersects the Pennywell Road ; and that a parallel line at the distance of

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Sixty Feet shall form the Eastern side line thereof; and that from thence the said Firebreak shall be extended to the rear line of the Town in such direction as shall be laid down by the Supervisor of Streets and approved of by the Governor and Council.

**QUEEN STREET.**—That the existing Western side line of Queen Street and a line produced in continuation of the same to the angle in the Barter's Hill Road, where the said Road turns to the Westward, shall be the Western side line of the said Street; and that a line parallel thereto at a distance of Sixty Feet shall be the Eastern side line of the said Street.

Queen Street

**STUART & RENNIE'S COVE.**—The Eastern boundary of Messrs. Stuart & Rennie's premises shall be the Western boundary of the said Cove; and a line parallel thereto, at sixty feet distance, shall be the Eastern boundary thereof.

Stuart & Rennie's Cove.

**FLOWER HILL FIREBREAK.**—Commencing at the South-east angle of the dwelling-house of Messrs. Newman & Co., in the occupancy of Mr. Thomas Morry; thence bounded by a straight line running to the Northern angle of Mr. Monier Hutchings' house, at present occupied by Mr. Peter McBride; thence by a straight line to the Lazy Bank Road, touching the Northern angle of the dwelling-house of the late Mr. Peter LeMessurier, and thence to the rear line of the Town in such direction as shall be laid down by the Supervisor of Streets, and approved of by the Governor and Council; and that a line or lines parallel thereto, at a distance of Sixty Feet, shall be the Eastern boundary of the said Firebreak.

Flower Hill Firebreak.

**GAS WORKS FIREBREAK.**—The Eastern line of the Firebreak, as laid down and described on the said plan of the Commissioners, shall be the Eastern boundary of the said Firebreak; and a line parallel thereto, at Sixty Feet distance, shall be the Western boundary thereof.

Gas Works Firebreak.

**RIVER HEAD FIREBREAK.**—The Eastern line, as laid down and described on the aforesaid plan, shall be the Eastern boundary of the said Firebreak; and a line parallel thereto, at Sixty Feet distance, shall be the Western boundary thereof.

River Head Firebreak.

**GREGORY'S LANE.**—That the said Lane shall be widened by drawing a line from a point Fourteen Feet West of the Bond Stone in Duckworth Street, to a point Three Feet West of the Western boundary of the said Lane in Water Street; and a parallel line Twenty Feet distant from the same shall be the Eastern boundary of the said Lane: Provided that the said Lane shall not be opened to the width aforesaid if the compensation to be paid therefor shall exceed One Hundred Pounds.

Gregory's Lane.

VI.—*And be it enacted*, That for the purpose of marking out and making plainly known the boundary lines of the several Streets and Firebreaks established by this Act, the said Supervisor of Streets shall cause Bond-Stones and Stakes to be put down in such and so many places as he shall deem necessary for the purpose aforesaid; and every person who shall wilfully destroy or remove, or cause to be destroyed or removed, any such Bond-stone or Stake, shall, on conviction thereof in a summary way before any one or more Stipendiary Justice or Justices of the Peace, forfeit and pay to Her Majesty a fine not exceeding Five Pounds, together with Costs; and in default of payment thereof shall be committed to Gaol by such Justice or Justices for any period not exceeding Thirty Days.

Boundary Stones to be put down.

VII.—And Whereas by reason of the expense of making compensation in such behalf, it is inexpedient that the following Firebreaks should at present be opened beyond the limits hereinafter mentioned, but it is expedient that no building should be erected on the sides of such Firebreaks, and on the sides of the following Streets, within the distances from the centres of such Firebreaks and Streets respectively hereinafter mentioned, beyond the following limits: Be it therefore enacted, that it shall not be

Firebreaks not to be built upon.

lawful for any person or persons to build or put up any building or erection whatsoever within Forty Feet of the centre of Church-hill Firebreak to the Northward of Duckworth Street, (except the proposed New Cathedral as before excepted;) within Thirty Feet of the centre of Queen Street, Codner's Cove and Flower Hill Firebreaks, respectively, to the Northward of New Gower Street; and within Thirty Feet of the centres of the Gas Works and River Head Firebreaks to the Northward of Water Street, and within Thirty Feet of the centre of the Street leading from the Ordnance Yard to Queen's Bridge.

Penalty for Building on Streets and Firebreaks.

VIII.—And for the more effectual prevention of Nuisances by the erection of Houses and Buildings within the limits by this Act prescribed for any Road, Street, Firebreak or Cove,—Be it enacted, that it shall not be lawful for any person or persons whomsoever to build, construct or erect, or to excavate or otherwise proceed in the commencement of any building or erection within the lines and boundaries by this Act defined and prescribed as and for the width of any Street, Firebreak or Cove, whether the parties or party owning or claiming an interest in the ground embraced within the limits of any such Street, Firebreak or Cove, shall or shall not have been paid or tendered compensation for the same, anything in the said recited Act to the contrary notwithstanding. And all and every such buildings and erections which from and after the passing of this Act shall be so erected or constructed, or in any manner commenced to be erected or constructed, shall be and be deemed to be public nuisances, and shall be abated accordingly by order of two or more Stipendiary Justices of the Peace for the Central District, who shall, upon complaint of the Supervisor of Streets aforesaid, after hearing the party complained of, or in default of his appearance, on being summoned for that purpose, if such nuisance be proved, make an order for the abatement thereof, and shall furnish such assistance of Constables or others as may be necessary for that purpose; and every person wilfully erecting or attempting to erect any such buildings or erections as last aforesaid, contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall, on proof thereof in a summary manner before any two or more Stipendiary Justices of the Peace for the Central District, forfeit and pay to our Lady the Queen a fine not exceeding Five Pounds, at the discretion of such Justices, which shall be levied by Warrant of Distress under the hands and seals of such Justices, upon the Goods and Chattels of the offender.

Mode of compensating parties for ground taken.

IX.—And whereas it is just and proper that such persons as may have sustained or may sustain any loss of property by reason of the same being taken into the Public Streets, Firebreaks and Coves, in this and the said recited Act mentioned, should be remunerated for the same: Be it therefore enacted, That it shall be lawful for all and every of the proprietors of such portions of ground as have been or may be necessary to be taken for the purpose of making and widening the said Streets, Firebreaks and Coves under the provisions of this and the said recited Act, or the agents of such proprietors and usually acting in their behalf, to meet at such time and place as the Governor or Acting Governor of Newfoundland may for such purpose publicly notify and appoint; and such proprietors or their agents, or the majority of them who shall then and there assemble, shall choose two persons, and the Governor or Acting Governor and Council shall appoint two other persons, and such four persons so chosen and appointed, or the majority of them, shall choose a fifth person; or in the event of such four persons or a majority of them not being enabled to agree in the choice of such fifth person, then it shall be lawful for the Governor or Acting Governor and Council to appoint such fifth person. And the said five persons so chosen and appointed, after taking the oath in the form in the Schedule to this Act annexed, before a Stipendiary Justice of the Peace, shall be Appraisers and shall forthwith proceed to appraise the value of all and every such portions of ground as have been or may be necessary to be taken for the purposes aforesaid, and of the estate or interest of all parties having

ing a beneficial interest in the same, and also to estimate the damage which may be occasioned to any property by the making, widening, or altering of any Street, Cove or Firebreak, always taking into account the additional value derived to the several proprietors and occupants from the convenience and security afforded by the widening of the said Streets; and the said appraised value shall be deemed and considered as the true value of the said portions of ground, and of the beneficial interest of parties having any estate or interest therein, and shall be paid in the manner in and by the said recited Act directed and appointed; and compensation for all such damage to property so to be estimated as aforesaid, shall be paid in the manner in and by the said recited Act directed with reference to the value of ground to be taken as aforesaid. Provided always, that if the said Appraisers shall be of opinion that any proprietors of ground so required for the Streets, Firebreaks, and Coves as aforesaid, or any of them, may be indemnified at a less expense by having an equal portion of ground assigned to them from any ground adjoining, and that such adjoining ground may be taken without material injury to the proprietor or proprietors thereof, it shall be lawful and the said Appraisers are required to mark off and in like manner to appraise so much of the said adjoining ground as they may think sufficient to replace the ground required for the said Streets, Firebreaks and Coves; and the same so marked off shall belong to the first mentioned proprietors, and be in lieu of all and every indemnity whatsoever, and the appraised value of the same shall be paid in manner above mentioned, and shall be as a full satisfaction and release of the same and of all right and title thereto. Provided, that if the land so to be given, shall not be deemed an equivalent for the land dedicated to the Street or Firebreak, it shall be lawful to pay the said proprietor such sum as may be, with the land so to be given, a full satisfaction for the land so dedicated.

X.—*And be it enacted*, That in the event of the death, resignation, or absence from the Colony, of any one or more of the said five Appraisers, the place of every Appraiser so dying, resigning, or being absent from the Colony, shall be supplied by a person to be chosen or appointed (as the case may be) in like manner as the person so having died, resigned or being absent from the Colony, shall have been chosen or appointed.

Vacancies in Appraisers, how filled up.

XI.—*And be it enacted*, That the said Appraisers, after being sworn, and having entered on the performance of their duties, shall have power to summon and require the attendance before them of all parties interested in the property to be appraised by them, or the agents of such parties respectively, and also all necessary Witnesses or other persons; and to require the production before them of all Deeds and Papers requisite to establish the title or interest of any party claiming compensation in manner hereinbefore mentioned; and shall have power to examine upon oath (to be administered by any one of such Appraisers) all such parties, or their agents, and all such witnesses or other persons, touching the matters to be enquired into by such Appraisers; and the meetings of such Appraisers shall be holden at the Court House in the said Town at such times as may not interfere with the sittings of the Courts; and their proceedings shall at all times be open to the Public; and the award or decision of the majority of such Appraisers shall be final and binding on all parties. Provided always, that no person or persons shall be entitled to receive any compensation whatsoever for the abatement or removal of any building erected since the Ninth day of June last, within the limits of or fronting on the line of any Street or Firebreak by this or the said recited Act established, save and except that such sum as may be adequate to defray the expense of the removal of the house lately built in New Gower Street by Lawrence Gearan, shall be expended under the direction of the Supervisor of Streets in the removal of the same.

Appraisers to examine witnesses and others.

XII.—*And be it enacted*, That in the widening of any of the Streets or Firebreaks established by this Act it shall not be compulsory to remove

Not compulsory to  
remove buildings  
erected prior to  
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houses or buildings erected prior to the Ninth day of June last, without the previous approval of the Governor and Council, and unless such removal can be effected without involving a heavy expense: Provided that nothing herein contained shall affect the buildings excepted in and by the Thirty-first Section of the said recited Act.

Allowance to  
Appraisers.

XIII.—*And be it enacted*, That the said Appraisers shall be paid in full satisfaction and discharge for their services, and of all expenses and contingencies whatsoever incurred by them in carrying into effect the provisions of this Act, a sum not exceeding Eight Hundred Pounds, which said Sum shall be paid in discharge of such Warrant or Warrants as shall be issued by the Governor or Acting Governor on the Colonial Treasurer, at such times and in such proportions as the Governor or Acting Governor shall think fit.

Interference with  
Ordnance Premises

XIV.—*And be it enacted*, That in running out the lines of the Streets and Firebreaks by this and the said recited Act established, it shall not be lawful to interfere with the boundaries of or the communications leading to any Ordnance premises, without the permission in writing of the Master General and Board of Ordnance first had for that purpose; and all expenses incurred by such interference shall (if required by the Master General and Board of Ordnance) be discharged out of the funds provided for compensating parties whose ground may be taken for the widening of Streets and Firebreaks.

Compensation for  
interfering with  
line of fire from  
Fort William, how  
to be ascertained.

XV.—*And be it enacted*, That the compensation to be paid or tendered by the Officers of Her Majesty's Board of Ordnance to parties whose rights may be interfered with by the prevention of erections which may interfere with the Line of Fire from Fort William and Fort George towards the Harbour, shall be ascertained (instead of by the mode in and by the said recited Act provided) by three Arbitrators, of whom one shall be appointed by the respective Officers of the Board of Ordnance,—one by the proprietor, tenant, or other party having a beneficial interest in the land or buildings interfered with, and a third shall be chosen by the Arbitrators so appointed, or (in the event of such Arbitrators not being able to agree in the choice of a third Arbitrator) shall be appointed by the Stipendiary Magistrates for the District of St. John's; and the award of any two of such three Arbitrators shall be final and binding: Provided always, that if the said respective Officers shall not, within Fourteen Days after being thereto required in writing by any party interested in that behalf, appoint an Arbitrator to meet the Arbitrator of such party as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for such party to proceed in the erection and completion of any building or buildings in like manner as he might have done if this and the said recited Act had not been made.

Interest on  
Treasury Notes.

XVI.—*And be it enacted*, That the Interest payable upon sums for which Treasury Notes are directed to be issued in compliance with the provisions of the Eleventh Section of the said recited Act, shall be payable half-yearly, at the Office of the Colonial Treasurer, on production of such Notes before him, on the last days of June and December in each year, and such Notes hereafter issued shall be according to the form in the Schedule to this Act annexed.

No new Private  
Road to be less  
than Twenty feet  
wide.

XVII.—*And be it enacted*, That no new Road, Street, or Lane, shall be opened or made through the ground of private parties, within the limits of the said Town, and upon which houses shall be proposed to be erected, of a less width than Twenty Feet; and all houses and buildings hereafter to be built, whether on the site of any former building or not, and fronting upon any Lane, or any such private Road, Street or Lane, now or hereafter to be opened Northward of Duckworth Street and New Gower Street within the said Town, shall be at a distance of not less than Ten Feet from the centre of such Lane, Street, or Road; and all persons before laying down the sills or commencing the erection of houses or buildings





Per centage on duties to be levied for defraying extra compensation.

XXII.—*And be it enacted*, That to provide means for the payment of such compensation as may be awarded under this and the said recited Act beyond the sum of Twenty Thousand Pounds therein mentioned, and for the discharge of the salary of the Supervisor of Streets, and also for defraying the expense of levelling Water and Duckworth Streets, and the incidental expenses of carrying this and the said recited Act into operation, there shall be raised, levied, collected and paid to her Majesty, her heirs and successors, upon the Importation into the Port of St. John's of the several articles of Wines, Spirits, Goods, Wares and Merchandize, already subject to duty under and by virtue of an Act passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of her present Majesty, entitled "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty certain Duties on Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, imported into this Colony and its Dependencies," over and above and in addition to the duties thereby imposed, a further and additional duty at the rate of and equal to Ten Pounds for and upon every One Hundred Pounds of the duties levied and collected under the said last mentioned Act; which further and additional duty or per centage shall be raised, levied, collected and paid in like manner and under and subject to the like regulations and restrictions as are contained and set forth, or referred to in the said last mentioned Act, concerning the duties thereby imposed, and that as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes as if the several clauses and provisions of the said Act were herein enacted: And the said additional duty or per centage shall (during the period herein after limited for the collection of the same) be levied, collected and paid upon and in addition to the duties imposed or to be imposed by any Act or Acts of the Legislature of this Colony, now or hereafter to be in force, upon the Importation into the said port of St. John's of the several articles subject to duty by the said last-mentioned Act, or any such future Act.

Treasury Notes to be issued for extra compensation.

XXIII.—*And be it enacted*, That for the amount of compensation required to be paid under the provisions of this and the said recited Act, beyond the sum of Twenty Thousand Pounds therein mentioned, the Treasurer of the Colony shall issue Treasury Notes in the form prescribed in the Schedule to this Act annexed; which Notes shall be paid and discharged at the times and in the manner prescribed in the said recited Act with respect to the said sum of Twenty Thousand Pounds, from and out of the monies to be raised in the manner provided by the preceding Section, which monies shall be paid over by the Collector of Her Majesty's Customs to the Treasurer of the Colony, for that purpose.

Limitation of extra duty.

XXIV.—*And be it enacted*, That the additional duty or per centage hereinbefore imposed, shall cease and determine from and after the payment and discharge of the amount required for compensation and expenses aforesaid, beyond the sum of Twenty Thousand Pounds in the said recited Act mentioned.

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## SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

I, A. B., do swear that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my skill and judgment, perform the duties of an Appraiser, in compliance with the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act passed in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled 'An Act to regulate the Re-building of the Town of St. John's, and the Drainage and Sewerage of the same, and to Repeal certain Acts therein mentioned.'"

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## FORM OF TREASURY NOTE.

No.

COLONY OF NEWFOUNDLAND.

Form of Treasury  
Note.

By an Act of the Legislature of this Colony, the Bearer hereof is entitled to receive at the office of the Colonial Treasurer in  
 Years from the date hereof the Sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Pounds,  
 and also Interest on the same at the rate of Five Pounds per Centum per  
 Annum yearly, on the last days of June and December in each Year, on  
 the production of this Note at the office of the said Colonial Treasurer.

Dated at St. John's, Newfoundland, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A.D. 184  
 P. M., Colonial Treasurer.

J. C., Colonial Secretary.





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## VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

### CAP. II.

#### *AN ACT to raise by Loan a Sum of Money for the General Improvement of the Colony.*

[Passed 14th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to raise by Loan a Sum of Money to be appropriated towards the general Improvement of the Colony, in manner hereinafter mentioned :

*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Council, to negotiate with any Person or Persons, Bodies Corporate or Politic, either directly with such Person or Persons or Bodies Politic or Corporate, or through the intervention of Her Majesty's Government, as by and with the advice aforesaid he shall deem most expedient, for the raising and obtaining from time to time, by way of Loan, of such Sums of Money as may be requisite for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, not exceeding in the whole the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Pounds; which said Sums of Money shall be chargeable upon and be repaid out of the Public Funds of this Colony, together with Interest, at such rates, in such instalments and manner, and at such times, as the Governor and Council may deem most expedient, and as shall be provided and agreed upon with the parties advancing the Sums of Money to be Loaned as aforesaid.

II.—*And be it enacted*, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, or Person Administering the Government for the time being, and he is hereby authorised and empowered, by and with the advice aforesaid, upon obtaining such Loan or any portions thereof, from time to time to grant and issue, or cause to be granted and issued, one or more Debentures for the same, to be numbered in succession from one upwards; and such Debentures shall be in such form and words as is usual and customary in the like cases, and as shall be needful for the purposes of this Act, and shall be signed and executed on the part and behalf of this Colony, by such person

Preamble.

Governor and Council may raise Loan not exceeding £200,000 to be chargeable with interest upon the funds of the Colony.

Debentures to be issued for sums borrowed.

or persons as the Governor or person administering the Government of this Colony, shall, by Warrant under the Great Seal of the Colony, from time to time for that purpose appoint.

£10,000 per annum granted to repay interest.

III.—*And be it enacted*, That from and out of such monies as shall from time to time remain in the hands of the Treasurer unappropriated, there be granted to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, such sum or sums of money, not exceeding in all the sum of Ten Thousand Pounds annually, as may be necessary to defray the Interest yearly to grow due upon the said Loan, or upon such portions thereof as may be raised on Loan under and by means of this Act.

£100,000 of Money borrowed to be spent on Roads.

Remainder to rebuild the Town of St. John's.

IV.—*And be it enacted*, That the monies so to be raised as aforesaid, shall be appropriated in manner following, that is to say,—the sum of One Hundred Thousand Pounds in the construction of Main Roads in such manner as the Legislature may from time to time direct, and the sum of One Hundred Thousand Pounds towards the Rebuilding of the Town of St. John's; and that, for the purpose of enabling private individuals to re-construct their Dwelling Houses and Stores of Stone or Brick, it shall be lawful for the Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, to appoint Five Commissioners to receive the applications of persons desirous of obtaining Loans of Money for that purpose; and upon proof to the satisfaction of such Commissioners that the title and nature of the interest of the applicants in the premises upon which such buildings are proposed to be erected, are such as to afford reasonable security for the repayment of the sums to be Loaned thereon, to lend and advance to such persons such sum or sums as the said Commissioners may deem proper, not exceeding in the whole three fourths of the value of the interest of such applicants in such land. Provided that such Loans shall be upon the express condition that they shall be expended in the erection of buildings upon the premises upon which such Loans shall be advanced respectively; and provided also, that security shall be taken upon the said premises respectively in the names of such Trustees and under and subject to such regulations as may in that behalf be prescribed by the Governor in Council.

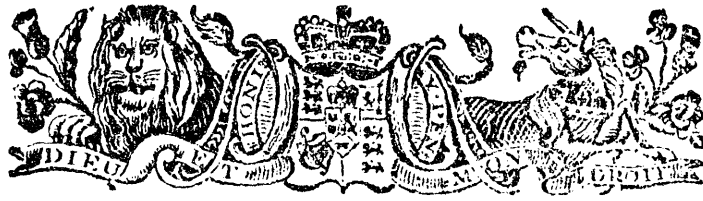
Interest limited to £4 10s. per cent.

V.—*And be it enacted*, That no greater Interest than Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum, shall be paid upon any money to be raised in manner and for the purposes aforesaid.









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**CAP. III.**

***AN ACT to regulate the appointment of Sheriffs.***

[Passed 14th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS by an Act of the Imperial Parliament passed in the Fifth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Fourth entitled "An Act for the better administration of Justice in Newfoundland and for other purposes," and which said Act was to continue in force for the period of Five Years, it was declared and enacted that it should be lawful for his said Majesty by his Charter or Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to institute a Supreme Court of Judicature in Newfoundland, which should be called "the Supreme Court of Newfoundland." And whereas by subsequent Acts of the Imperial Parliament passed respectively in the Tenth Year of the Reign of his said Majesty, and in the Third Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King William the Fourth, the said recited Act was continued in force until the same should be repealed, altered or amended, by any Act or Acts which might for that purpose be made by His Majesty with the advice and consent of any House or Houses of General Assembly which His Majesty might at any time see fit to convoke within the Colony of Newfoundland. And whereas in pursuance of the provisions of the first recited Act his said Majesty King George the Fourth by Letters Patent under the Great Seal and dated at Westminster the Nineteenth day of September, in the Sixth Year of his said Majesty's Reign, did erect and constitute a Supreme Court of Judicature in Newfoundland, and in and by the said Letters Patent did further ordain and declare that the Governor or Acting Governor for the time being of the said Colony of Newfoundland should yearly and on the Monday next following the First day of January in each Year, by Warrant under his hand and seal, nominate and appoint some fit and proper person to act as and be the Sheriff of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, other than the Coast of Labrador, for the Year ensuing; which Sheriff when appointed should as soon as conveniently might be, and before he should enter upon his said office, take, before the Governor or Acting Governor of the said Colony, an Oath faithfully and impartially to execute the duties of his said office; and such Sheriff should continue in his said office for the space of one whole year, and until another Sheriff should be appointed and sworn into the said office; and before enter-

Preamble.

Act 5, Geo. 4,  
Cap. 67.

Act 10, Geo. 4

Act 3, Wm. 4.

ing upon the duties of his office, should enter into a recognizance in the sum of Five Thousand Pounds, with two good and sufficient sureties in the sum of Two Thousand Pounds each, for the due and faithful performance of the duties of his office and for the due payment of all such sums of money as might by him or his lawful deputies be levied or received by virtue of any process, rule, or order of the Supreme and Circuit Courts or of either of them; and further, that it should be lawful for the Governor or Acting Governor of the said Colony, to renew from year to year the appointment of the same person as Sheriff of the said Colony and its Dependencies. And Whereas, by an Act of the Local Legislature, passed in the Sixth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, it was provided that the said Sheriff and two Deputies, one for the Northern and one for the Southern Judicial District of the said Island, should receive certain Salaries in lieu of all Fees of office, which Fees were to be paid into the Colonial Treasury. And whereas the amount of Fees received and paid into the Treasury by the said Sheriff, since the passing of the last mentioned Act, has been found to be considerably under the whole amount of Salaries paid in lieu thereof. And whereas much inconvenience, injury and loss, has arisen in the administration of Justice, from the want of more Deputies than are provided for by the said last mentioned Act; and it is moreover expedient that the said law with respect to the appointment of Sheriffs in this Colony should be in other particulars amended.

Act of 6 Vic., for  
commuting  
Sheriff's fees  
repealed.

Office of Sheriff  
of Newfoundland  
abolished.

Three Sheriffs to  
be appointed by  
the Governor for  
three Judicial  
Districts.

I.—*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, That from and after the first Monday in July next after the passing of this Act, an Act passed in the Sixth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled “An Act to commute the Fees received by the High Sheriff of this Colony, and to provide for the Salaries of the said Sheriff and his Deputies,” shall be and the same is hereby repealed; and that from and after such time as aforesaid, the office and functions of Sheriff of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, other than except the Coast of Labrador, shall cease and be abolished.

II.—*And be it enacted*, That the Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, shall, on the first Monday in July, next after the passing of this Act, and on the first Monday in July in each ensuing year, by Warrant under his hand and seal, nominate and appoint in each of the Judicial Districts of the Colony, some fit and proper person to act as and be the Sheriff of such District, which Sheriff, when appointed, shall, as soon as conveniently may be, and before he shall enter upon his said office, take, before the Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, an oath faithfully and impartially to execute the duties of such his office, and such Sheriff shall continue in office during the space of one whole year, or until another Sheriff shall be appointed and sworn into office; and in case such Sheriff shall die in his said office or depart from the Colony of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, then and in such case another person shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the death or departure of such Sheriff, be in like manner appointed and sworn in as aforesaid for the remainder of the year, and until another Sheriff shall be duly appointed and sworn into office. Provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, to renew, from year to year, the appointment of the same persons as Sheriff in each of the said Districts. And Provided also, that before entering upon the duties of his office, each of such Sheriffs shall enter into a recognizance before the Supreme Court of Newfoundland, or a Commission to be appointed for that purpose by the said Court, to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, in the sum of One Thousand Pounds, with sufficient Sureties in the sum of One Thousand Pounds, for the due and faithful performance of the duties of his office, and for the due and punctual payment of all such sums of money as may be by him received by virtue of any process, rule or order of the Supreme Court or of any of the Circuit Courts of Newfoundland.

III.—*And be it enacted*, That the Sheriffs so to be from time to time appointed as aforesaid, shall, within the Districts to which they shall be respectively appointed, have, use, exercise and perform the like powers and duties, and in like manner, and under and subject to the like conditions, limitations, restrictions and provisions, to all intents and purposes, as are declared and provided with respect to the Sheriff of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, under and by virtue of the Royal Charter for establishing the Supreme and Circuit Courts of Newfoundland.

Powers and Duties of Sheriff.

IV.—*And be it enacted*, That the said Sheriffs so to be appointed as aforesaid, shall respectively have and receive the following Salaries, that is to say, the Sheriff of the Central District, *Five Hundred Pounds per Annum*; the Sheriff of the Northern District, *Three Hundred Pounds per Annum*; the Sheriff of the Southern District, *Two Hundred Pounds per Annum*; which Salaries shall be paid quarterly, by Warrant of the Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, upon the Colonial Treasurer, and shall be in lieu of all expenses incident to the offices of such Sheriffs respectively, and in lieu of all Fees and Costs whatsoever, which by virtue of any law, or general rule or order of the Supreme Court, have been heretofore taken or received by the Sheriff of Newfoundland, by virtue of or as incident to his office, or which after the commencement of this Act as aforesaid, might be taken by either of the Sheriffs to be appointed under this Act.

Salaries in lieu of fees heretofore received.

V.—*And be it enacted*, That the said Sheriffs shall respectively make full and true annual returns of all such Fees and Costs whatsoever which may have been received or taken by them, and shall pay over the same to the Treasurer for the uses of the Colony.

Fees to be accounted for and paid over annually

VI.—*And be it enacted*, That it shall be lawful for the Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, at the expiration of each year after the commencement of the operation of this Act, and during the incumbency of the present Sheriff of Newfoundland, to issue his Warrant to the Treasurer of the Colony for the payment to him of the sum of Two Hundred Pounds, as compensation for any loss or injury occasioned to the said Sheriff by the passing of this Act. Provided always, that the said Sheriff shall annually make a full and just return of and pay into the Colonial Treasury all Fees, Costs, and Emoluments whatsoever, which have been received by him by virtue or under colour of his said office, or by or under any law or rule of Court whatsoever pertaining or relating thereto.

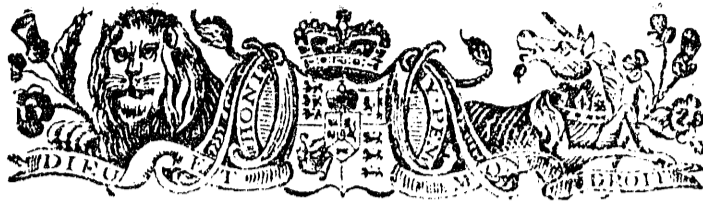
Present Sheriff to receive £20 per annum during his incumbency.

VII.—*And be it enacted*, That the Sheriff of the Central District shall receive and transmit to the said Sheriffs of the Northern and Southern Districts respectively, by Post or such other conveyance as may offer for the same, such Process, Rules and Orders issuing out of the Supreme Court, to be executed in the said Northern and Southern Districts, as shall be delivered to him for that purpose, and shall also grant Special Deputations, when required, for the purpose of having such Process executed in such Districts; Provided always, that the said Sheriff of the Central District shall not be responsible for the execution of such Process so transmitted by him, or for or on account of such Special Deputation; and that the said Sheriff shall have and receive the sum of Fifty Pounds per Annum in addition to his Salary for the performance of the duties herein imposed upon him.

Sheriff of Central District to transmit process to Northern and Southern Districts.

Proviso.





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CAP. IV.

*AN ACT for granting a further Sum for establishing a Lunatic Asylum in Saint John's.*

[Passed 14th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS by an Act made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled "An Act for the establishment of a Lunatic Asylum in Saint John's," power is thereby given to the Governor or Person Administering the Government for the time being, to draw from and out of the Treasury the Sum of Fifteen Hundred Pounds, for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the said Act. And Whereas it has been found that the said Sum of Money is totally insufficient and inadequate for the purpose of the said Act :

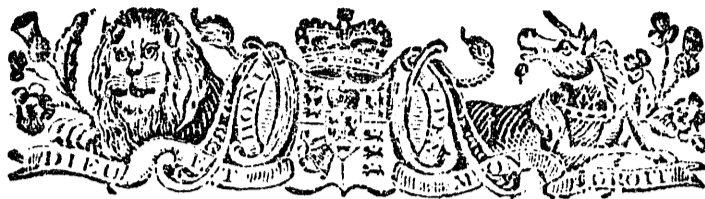
Preamble.

9th Vic. Cap. 1.

*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Assembly convened, That it shall be lawful for the Governor or Person Administering the Government for the time being, by Warrant under his Hand and Seal, to draw from and out of such monies as may be in the hands of the Treasurer the further Sum of Fifteen Hundred Pounds for the purpose of carrying into effect the object and provisions of the said recited Act.

A further sum of £1500 granted for the establishment of a Lunatic Asylum.





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CAP. V.

*AN ACT to continue an Act passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled "An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties on Goods, Wares and Merchandize imported into this Colony and its Dependencies."*

[Passed 14th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS an Act was passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled "An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties on Goods, Wares and Merchandize imported into this Colony and its Dependencies," which by the terms thereof was to continue and be in force for the period of Eighteen Calendar Months from and after the Fifth day of July in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-six, and no longer. And whereas it is expedient that the said Act should be continued for a further period :

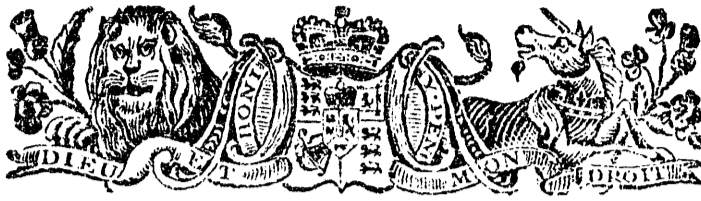
Preamble.

*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that the said recited Act, and every clause, matter and thing therein contained, shall be and the same is hereby continued in full force and effect until and upon the last day of *December*, which will be in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-eight, anything in the said recited Act to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

Revenue Act for 1846-7 continued until the 30th December, 1848.







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### CAP. VI.

#### *AN ACT to make further provision for the Registration of Deeds, and to amend the Law relating to the Registration of Deeds.*

[Passed 14th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS in the Fire by which a great part of the Town of Saint John's was recently destroyed, several volumes of the Registry of Deeds of the Supreme Court were burnt, and it is expedient to remedy as far as possible any inconvenience which might arise from their loss:—

Preamble

I.—*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that it shall and may be lawful for any person or persons who may hold any Deed, Will, or other Assurance which, before the said Fire, had been duly registered in any of the volumes so destroyed as aforesaid, and they are hereby required, to present such Deed, Will, or other Assurance, to the Registrar of Deeds for the Central District; and such Registrar shall register a memorial of such Deed, Will, or other Assurance, free of charge.

Deeds, &c., registered in either of the volumes of registry destroyed by fire to be registered anew

II.—And Whereas Deeds executed out of this Colony are frequently verified by a declaration of one of the subscribing Witnesses instead of the affidavit now required by law; and great inconvenience, delay and expense, is thereby occasioned to parties interested; *Be it therefore enacted*, that in all cases where any Deed, Will, Conveyance, or other Assurances, may now be registered, upon being verified by the affidavit of any Witness or other person, such Deed, Will, Conveyance, or other Assurance, may be registered, upon being verified by a declaration of such Witness or other person, made in the manner and form prescribed by the Act of the Imperial Parliament, made in the Fifth Year of the Reign of King William the Fourth, entitled “An Act to repeal an Act of the present Session of Parliament entitled ‘An Act for the more effectual abolition of Oaths and Affirmations taken and made in various departments of the State, and to substitute Declarations in lieu thereof, and for the more effectual suppression of voluntary and extra-judicial Oaths and Affidavits,’ and to make other provision for the abolition of unnecessary Oaths.” Provided that such declaration shall be authenticated in the like manner as such affidavit is or may be required to be authenticated.

Deeds executed out of the Colony may be registered on declaration, as heretofore on affidavits.

proviso.

Act 7 Vic. cap. 10.

Deeds executed out of the Colony to be verified by the certificate of a Notary, &c., residing near the residence of party making affidavit of execution, and not of Notary residing near residence of party executing the deed, as heretofore.

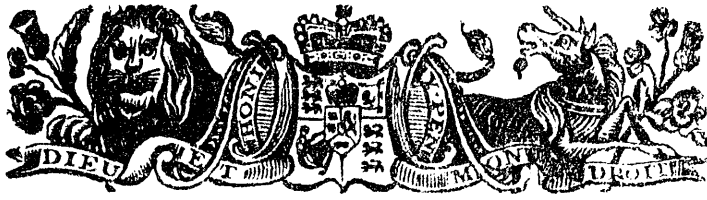
III.—And Whereas by an Act of the Local Legislature passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty entitled “An Act to amend the Laws now in force for the Registering of Deeds in this Colony,” it is enacted that registry of any Deed, Conveyance, or other Assurance, executed out of this Colony, should be made on production of a copy thereof duly verified by affidavit and authenticated before any Judge of a Supreme Court of Record, Master in Chancery, Chief Magistrate, or Notary Public, of or near to the place where the person executing such Deed, Conveyance, or other Assurance, should reside; and it is expedient that such certificate should be by a Judge, Master in Chancery, Chief Magistrate or Notary Public, of or near to the place where the person verifying such Deed, Conveyance, or Assurance, should reside: *Be it therefore enacted*, That in all cases within the operation of the Seventh Section of the said Act, such Deed, Conveyance, or Assurance, may be registered upon such affidavit or the declaration allowed by this Act being authenticated by such Judge, Master in Chancery, Chief Magistrate or Notary Public residing at or near the place where the person making such affidavit or declaration may reside; and that no registry of any Deed, Conveyance, or other Assurance, which may have been made since the passing of the said Act, shall be deemed invalid, by reason of the authentication thereof having been before such Judge, Master in Chancery, Chief Magistrate, or Notary Public residing at or near the place where the person making such affidavit may reside, instead of being made before a Judge, Master in Chancery, Chief Magistrate, or Notary Public, residing at or near the place where the person executing the Deed, Conveyance, or other Assurance, may reside.

Secretary to cause notice of this Act to be given in various places out of the Colony, &c.

IV.—*And be it enacted*, That the Secretary of the Colony shall, as speedily as may be after the passing of this Act, cause public notice to be inserted in the Royal Gazette, and such other of the Public Newspapers of this Colony as he shall think fit, and also in some one of the public Newspapers published in London, Liverpool, Greenock, Bristol, Exeter, Poole, Cork and Waterford, and in the Royal Gazettes in the respective Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Bermuda, informing all parties interested of the destruction of the said Volumes of the Registry of Deeds, and of the necessity for registering anew Deeds and other Assurances of which the registry hath been destroyed; and also informing such parties that a copy of the Laws of this Colony concerning the Registration of Deeds is deposited in some office or place of deposit near to the places respectively where the Newspapers referred to may be published, and that such copies of the said Laws shall be there open for the inspection of all parties interested: And the said Secretary of the Colony is hereby empowered to cause such copies of the said Laws to be transmitted to the said places of deposit for the purposes above mentioned.







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CAP. VII.

*AN ACT to repeal an Act passed in the Ninth and Tenth years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled "An Act to make further provision for securing the due payment of the Interest that shall become due and payable upon a certain Loan to be raised under authority of an Act passed in this present Session, entitled 'An Act to raise by Loan a Sum of Money for the Re-building and improvement of the Town of St. John's.'"*

[Passed 11th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to Repeal an Act passed in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, entitled "An Act to make further provision for securing the due payment of Interest that shall become due and payable upon a certain Loan to be raised under authority of an Act passed in this present Session, entitled 'An Act to raise by Loan a Sum of Money for the Rebuilding and Improvement of the Town of St. John's.'"

*Be it therefore enacted, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, That the said recited Act shall be and the same is hereby repealed.*





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### CAP. VIII.

*AN ACT for granting to Her Majesty a Sum of Money for defraying the Expenses of the Civil Government of the Colony for the year ending on the Thirtieth day of June, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-eight, and for other purposes.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY ;

**WE**, Your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Newfoundland, having freely and voluntarily resolved to give and grant unto Your Majesty a Supply to defray certain charges for the support of the Civil Government, for the Administration of Justice, and the General Improvement of this Colony, do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted, and—

Preamble.

*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council, and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that from and out of such Monies as shall from time to time remain in the hands of the Treasurer, and unappropriated, there be granted to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, the Sum of Twenty-seven Thousand Eight Hundred Pounds Seven Shillings and Four Pence, which said Sum of Money shall be applied in payment of the following charges for the Year commencing on the First day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven, and ending on the Thirtieth day of June One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-eight, that is to say—

£27,800 7s. 4d.  
for the year ending June 30, 1848.

The Sum of Four Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty-one Pounds, towards defraying the Salaries of the undermentioned Officers, as follows :

£4231— for Salaries of—

The Private Secretary to the Governor, Two Hundred Pounds.

Private Secretary.

The Clerk to the Executive Council, Two Hundred Pounds.

Clerk to Council.

Two Clerks in the Secretary's Office, Four Hundred Pounds.

Secretary's Clerks.

An Office-keeper to the Secretary's Office, Sixty Pounds.

Office Keeper.

Messenger.	A Messenger to the Secretary's Office, Sixty Pounds.
Treasurer.	The Colonial Treasurer, Five Hundred Pounds.
Clerk N. C. C.	The Clerk of the Northern Circuit Court, Two Hundred Pounds.
Clerk S. C. C.	The Clerk of the Southern Circuit Court, Two Hundred Pounds.
Crier S. C.	The Crier of the Supreme Court, Sixty Pounds.
Magistrates— St. John's.	Three Police Magistrates for St. John's, Nine Hundred Pounds.
High Constable.	The High Constable for St. John's, Eighty Pounds.
Constables.	Eight Police Constables for St. John's, Three Hundred and Sixty Pounds.
Gaoler—Proviso.	The Gaoler for St. John's, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds, in lieu of all Fees, which are to be accounted for and paid over to the Colonial Treasurer.
Gaol Surgeon.	The Gaol Surgeon for St. John's, Forty Pounds.
Gaol Barber.	The Gaol Barber for St. John's, Fifteen Pounds.
Gaol Surgeon— Harbor Grace,	The Gaol Surgeon for Harbor Grace, Thirty Pounds.
District Surgeon —St. John's.	The District Surgeon for St. John's, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds.
Hospital Surgeon —St. John's.	The Hospital Surgeon for St. John's, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds.
Gate Keeper.	The Gate-keeper at Government House, Twenty-six Pounds.
Attorney General.	The Attorney-General, in lieu of his Fees of Office, Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds.
Solicitor General.	The Solicitor-General, in lieu of his Fees of Office, Two Hundred Pounds.
£2030—Outport Magistrates.	The Sum of Two Thousand and Thirty Pounds towards defraying the Salaries of the undermentioned Outport Magistrates, as follows : A Magistrate at Harbor Grace, One Hundred and Eighty Pounds. A Second Magistrate at Harbor Grace, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds. A Magistrate at Carbonear, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds. A Magistrate at Brigus and Port-de-Grave, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds. A Magistrate at Ferryland, One Hundred Pounds. A Magistrate at Bay Bulls, One Hundred Pounds. A Magistrate at Burin, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds. A Magistrate at Lamaline, One Hundred and Thirty Pounds. A Magistrate at St. Mary's, One Hundred and Thirty Pounds. A Magistrate at Harbor Britain, One Hundred Pounds. A Magistrate at Grand Bank, One Hundred and Thirty Pounds. A Magistrate at Trinity, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds. A Magistrate at Bonavista, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds. A Magistrate for Twillingate and Fogo, One Hundred and Thirty Pounds. A Magistrate at Placentia, One Hundred and Thirty Pounds.
£525—Outport Clerks of the Peace.	The Sum of Five Hundred and Twenty-five Pounds towards defraying the Salaries of the undermentioned Out-port Clerks of the Peace, as follows : A Clerk of the Peace at Harbour Grace, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds. A Clerk of the Peace for Brigus and Port-de-Grave, Sixty Pounds. A Clerk of the Peace at Ferryland, Sixty Pounds. A Clerk of the Peace at Placentia, Thirty-five Pounds. A Clerk of the Peace at Burin, Thirty-five Pounds. A Clerk of the Peace at Harbour Britain, Thirty-five Pounds. A Clerk of the Peace at Trinity, Sixty Pounds. A Clerk of the Peace at Bonavista, Forty-five Pounds.
Proviso.	A Clerk of the Peace at Twillingate, Forty-five Pounds: Provided that all Fees of Office received by the said Clerks of the Peace shall be accounted for and paid over to the Colonial Treasurer.



The Sum of One Hundred and Ninety Pounds towards defraying the Salaries of the undermentioned Out-port Gaolers as follows: £190—Outport Gaolers.

A Gaoler at Harbour Grace, Ninety Pounds: Provided that all Fees of Office received by him shall be accounted for and paid over to the Colonial Treasurer. Provision.

A Gaoler at Ferryland, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Gaoler at Placentia, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Gaoler at Burin, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Gaoler at Trinity, Twenty-five Pounds.

The Sum of Nine Hundred and Fifty-four Pounds, towards defraying the Salaries of the undermentioned Out-port Constables as follows: £854—Outport Constables.

Three Constables at Harbor Grace, One Hundred Pounds.

Three Constables at Carbonear, Seventy-five Pounds.

Two Constables at Brigus and Port-de-Grave, Fifty Pounds.

A Constable at Bay Roberts, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Ferryland, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Constable at Bay Bulls, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Constable at Burin, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Constable at Lamaline, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at St. Mary's, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Constable at Harbour Britain, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Grand Bank, Twelve Pounds.

Two Constables at Trinity, Thirty-seven Pounds.

A Constable at Bonavista, Twenty-five Pounds.

Three Constables at Twillingate and Fogo, Forty-nine Pounds.

A Constable at Placentia, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Constable at Bay de Verds, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Harbor Main, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Cat's Cove, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Western Bay, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at South Shore, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Brigus, South, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Witless Bay, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Toads Cove, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Renew's, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Cape Broyle, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Caplin Bay, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Aquaforte, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Fermeuse, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Barren Islands, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Merasheen, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Little Placentia, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at St. Lawrence, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Trepassey, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Catalina, Twenty-five Pounds.

A Constable at Perlican, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Hearts Content, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Hants Harbour, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at New Harbour, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Greenspond, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Exploits Bay, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Petty Harbor, Twenty Pounds.

A Constable at Portugal Cove, Twenty Pounds.

A Constable at Torbay, Twenty Pounds.

A Constable at King's Cove, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Tickle Cove, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Salvage, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Hermitage Bay, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Jersey Harbour, Twelve Pounds.

A Constable at Burgeo Islands, Twelve Pounds.

Printing, 500 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Five Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expenses of Printing and Stationery.
Criminal Prosecutions, 300 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Three Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expenses of Crown Prosecutions.
Gaol Expenses, 500 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Five Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expenses of Gaols.
Coroners, 150 <i>l.</i>	The sum of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds towards defraying the expenses of Coroners.
Fuel and Light, 400 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Pounds towards defraying the expense of Fuel and Light in Public Buildings.
Postages, 120 <i>l.</i>	The sum of One Hundred and Twenty Pounds towards the defrayal of Postages and other incidental expenses.
Circuits, 750 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Pounds towards defraying the expenses of the Circuit Courts.
Repairs of Gaols, 200 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Two Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expenses of the ordinary repairs of Court Houses and Gaols.
Casual Poor, 1000 <i>l.</i>	The sum of One Thousand Pounds towards defraying the expenses of the support of Casual Poor.
Permanent Paupers, 1200 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Twelve Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expense of the support of Permanent Paupers.
Outport Poor, 400 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Four Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expense of the support of Out-port Permanent Poor.
Lunatics, 500 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Five Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expense of Lunatic Paupers.
Hospital, 250 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds towards defraying the expense of Sick Poor in the Hospital.
Registering Voters, 150 <i>l.</i>	The sum of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds towards defraying the expense of Registering Voters.
Shipwrecked Sealers, 100 <i>l.</i>	The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards the relief of Shipwrecked Sealers.
Clearing Snow, 100 <i>l.</i>	The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards clearing the Roads and Streets in the District of St. John's from snow; such sum to be expended by Contract under the superintendence of the Board of Road Commissioners.
Crown Land Act, 300 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Three Hundred Pounds towards carrying into effect the provisions of the Crown Lands Act.
Mrs. Blaikie, 50 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Fifty Pounds towards defraying the annual allowance to the Widow of the late James Blaikie.
Wm. Andrews, 10 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Ten Pounds to be paid to William Andrews, as a gratuity in compensation for past services.
M. Stevenson, 40 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Forty Pounds to Matthew Stevenson, as Pension.
Rent of Post Office, 25 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Twenty-five Pounds towards defraying the Office-rent of the Deputy Postmaster, provided such Office be kept in a stone building.
Fog Guns, 36 <i>l.</i> 10 <i>s.</i>	The sum of Thirty-six Pounds Ten Shillings towards defraying the expense of Fog-guns.
Duty on Wines, 50 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Fifty Pounds towards the payment of Duties on Wines imported or purchased for the use of the Military.
Mrs. Holbrook, 30 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Thirty Pounds towards defraying the annual allowance to the Widow of the late Surveyor General.
L. Furlong, 20 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Twenty Pounds towards defraying the annual allowance to Lawrence Furlong.
Almanac, 25 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Twenty-five Pounds towards defraying the expense of publishing an Almanac, or other Scientific Work.
Ferry-men's Salaries, 257 <i>l.</i>	The sum of Two Hundred and Fifty-seven Pounds towards defraying the allowances to the following Ferry-men, that is to say:—To Ferry-men

at Manuels and Little St. Lawrence, Ten Pounds each; to Ferry-men at Great Placentia, Salmonier, Portugal Cove, Holyrood, North Arm of Trinity, Twenty-five Pounds each; to Ferry-men between Burin and Spoon Cove, and between Belle-Isle and Topsail, Twenty Pounds each; to Ferry-men at Biscay Bay and Aquafort, Fifteen Pounds each; to a Ferryman at Malbay, Twelve Pounds; and to a Ferryman at John's Pond, North Harbour, and Salmonier, Thirty Pounds.

The sum of One Hundred and Forty-three Pounds Six Shillings and Eight Pence towards defraying the expense of Gas Lights in St. John's. Gas Lights, 143*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expense of the support of a Packet-boat between Bonavista and the South side of Trinity Bay. Packet Boat, 100*l.*

The sum of Forty Pounds towards the support of a Commercial School at Great Placentia. School at Placentia, 40*l.*

The sum of Forty Pounds towards the support of the Presbyterian School at St. John's. Presbyterian School at St. John's, 40*l.*

The sum of Nine Pounds Two Shillings and Six Pence towards defraying the Pension of Patrick Burke. Patrick Burke, 9*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.*

The sum of Five Hundred Pounds towards the expense of unforeseen Contingencies. Contingencies, 500*l.*

The sum of Thirty-six Pounds Eight Shillings and Nine Pence towards defraying the contingencies of the Board of Control. Board of Control, 36*l.* 8*s.* 9*d.*

The sum of Ninety-one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence towards defraying the expenses of the Election for Trinity. Trinity Election, 91*l.* 16*s.* 2*d.*

The sum of Eight Hundred Pounds towards defraying the expense of erecting a temporary Court-house at St. John's. Court House, 800*l.*

The sum of Two Hundred Pounds for that amount paid to Richard Perchard pursuant to address of the Assembly. R. Perchard, 200*l.*

The sum of Eight Hundred and Eighty-five Pounds Five Shillings and Six Pence towards the repairs of Roads and Bridges destroyed by the late Gale. Repairs of Roads, 885*l.* 5*s.* 6*d.*

The sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty-six Pounds and Five Shillings towards defraying an expenditure occasioned by the Fire in St. John's on the Ninth of June last. Fire expenditure, 2456*l.* 5*s.*

The sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty-seven Pounds Ten Shillings and Four Pence for the contingent expenses of the Legislature for the last Session. Legislative contingencies, 2527*l.* 10*s.* 4*d.*

The sum of Five Hundred Pounds, being the amount voted by the Assembly to the late Governor Sir John Harvey. Sir John Harvey, 500*l.*

The sum of Five Hundred Pounds towards the erection of a Fence round the Cemetery of St. John's Church. St. John's Cemetery, 500*l.*

The sum of Twenty-five Pounds towards the erection of a Fence round the Wesleyan Cemetery. Wesleyan ditto, 25*l.*

The sum of Sixty Pounds in remuneration of the services of the Privates of the Royal Artillery and Newfoundland Companies at the fire in St. John's. Military, St. John's, 60*l.*

The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards the expense of additional Gas Lights in St. John's. Gas Lights, 100*l.*

The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards the expense of taking a plan of the Town. Plan of the Town, 100*l.*

The sum of One Hundred and Thirty-six Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Five Pence towards the expense of sinking a Well near the Orphan Asylum School. Orphan Asylum Well, 136*l.* 18*s.* 5*d.*

The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards the support of the St. John's Factory. Factory, 100*l.*

The sum of Fifty Pounds towards the support of the Dorcas Society. Dorcas, 50*l.*

Harbor Grace Grammar School, 50 <i>l</i> .	The sum of Fifty Pounds towards enlarging the Grammar School at Harbor Grace.
Agricultural Society, 100 <i>l</i> .	The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards the support of the Agricultural Society.
Clearing Snow, 100 <i>l</i> .	The sum of One Hundred Pounds towards the expense of clearing Snow to be expended proportionably on the principal Roads leading from St John's.
Mrs. Huie, 25 <i>l</i> .	The sum of Twenty-five Pounds to Mrs. Huie as compensation for Land taken by the Government from her.
Harbor Grace Pump, 20 <i>l</i> .	The sum of Twenty-six Pounds towards the erection of a Pump on Harbor Grace Island.
Bay-de-Verds Pump, 13 <i>l</i> .	The sum of Thirteen Pounds towards the erection of a Pump at Bay-de-Verds.
Committee on the Fisheries, 25 <i>l</i> .	The sum of Twenty-five Pounds towards the expenses of Witnesses examined before a Select Committee of the House on the subject of Cod-Seine and Hook-and-Line Fisheries.
Sub-Collector at Gaultois, 100 <i>l</i> .	The sum of One Hundred Pounds as the Salary of a Sub-Collector at Galtoise in Hermitage Bay.
Clerk and Registrar, Supreme Court, 350 <i>l</i> . and 200 <i>l</i> . 4 <i>s</i> .	The sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Pounds towards defraying the Salary of the Clerk and Registrar of the Supreme Court and the Clerk of the Central Circuit Court; with a further sum of Two Hundred and Ninety-six Pounds Four Shillings to defray the Salary of such Office from the Twenty-ninth day of November last to the Thirtieth day of June next. Provided that all Fees received by the person filling the said Offices shall be accounted for and paid over to the Colonial Treasurer half-yearly.
Proviso.	
Steam Packet, 1000 <i>l</i> .	The sum of One Thousand Pounds towards the support of the Steamer Unicorn as a Mail Packet between St. John's, Sydney and Halifax; such sum to be paid to the Proprietors after the said Steamer shall have been fitted with new Boilers, and shall with the same have carried the Mails for one whole season.
Floating Engine, 200 <i>l</i> .	The sum of Two Hundred Pounds towards the purchase of a Floating Engine for the Town of St. John's.
Engine House, 50 <i>l</i> .	The sum of Fifty Pounds towards the erection of an Engine House in St. John's.
Clerk of the Peace, Carbonear, 60 <i>l</i> . Proviso.	Towards defraying the Salary of the Clerk of the Peace at Carbonear, the sum of Sixty Pounds, and Sixty Pounds arrears: Provided that all Fees be paid in and accounted for by the same to the Colonial Treasurer.
Presentation Convent, 500 <i>l</i> .	Towards the erection of the School-Houses in connection with the Presentation Convent, destroyed by the late Fire at St. John's, the sum of Five Hundred Pounds.







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## VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

### CAP. IX.

#### *AN ACT to provide for the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature.*

[Passed 14th January, 1847.]

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to provide for the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature :— Preamble.

*Be it therefore enacted*, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that there be granted to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, the sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Eight Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence, towards defraying the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature during the present Session of the Legislature, as follows :— 3408*l.* 15*s.* 8*d.*  
granted for purposes of this Act.

To the Speaker of the General Assembly, the sum of Two Hundred Pounds.	Speaker, 200 <i>l.</i>
To the Chairman of the Committee of Supply, the sum of Fifty Pounds.	Chairman of Supply, 50 <i>l.</i>
To the Usher of the Black Rod, the sum of Seventy Pounds.	Black Rod, 70 <i>l.</i>
To the Clerk of the General Assembly, and for Indexing and Superintending the Printing of the Journals, the sum of Two Hundred Pounds.	Clerk, 200 <i>l.</i>
To the Solicitor of the General Assembly, the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds.	Solicitor, 150 <i>l.</i>
To the Clerk Assistant, the sum of One Hundred Pounds.	Clerk Assistant, 100 <i>l.</i>
To the Sergeant-at-Arms, the sum of One Hundred Pounds.	Sergeant-at-Arms 100 <i>l.</i>
To the Doorkeeper, the sum of Forty-five Pounds.	Doorkeeper, 45 <i>l.</i>
To the Messenger, the sum of Forty Pounds.	Messenger, 40 <i>l.</i>
To the Assistant Messenger, the sum of Thirty-five Pounds.	Assistant Messenger, 35 <i>l.</i>
To the Under-Doorkeeper, the sum of Thirty-five Pounds.	Under-Doorkeeper 35 <i>l.</i>
To the Assistant Doorkeeper, Messenger and Attendant, the sum of Twenty-five Pounds; and the sum of Five Pounds, arrears for last Session.	Assistant ditto, 25 <i>l.</i> and 5 <i>l.</i>
To the Librarian, the sum of Fifty Pounds; and Twenty-five Pounds, arrears of last Session.	Librarian, 75 <i>l.</i>

- Members, 1113*l*. To Twenty-three Members of the Assembly, the Speaker not included, the sum of One Thousand One Hundred and Thirteen Pounds;—being Forty-two Pounds each for Sixteen Members resident in St. John's, and Sixty-three Pounds each for Seven Members of Outports not resident in St. John's.
- Clerk's Contingencies, 81*l*. 15*s*. To the Clerk of the Assembly, to defray the contingent expenses of his office, pursuant to the Report of the Select Committee upon Contingencies, the sum of Eighty-one Pounds and Fifteen Shillings.
- Sergeant-at-Arms do., 104*l*. 13*s*. 8*d*. To the Sergeant-at-Arms, to defray the contingent expenses of his office, pursuant to the Report of the Select Committee upon Contingencies, One Hundred and Four Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence.
- Printers, 200*l*. To the Printers of the Assembly, for Printing Bills and Papers during the present Session, the sum of Two Hundred Pounds.
- Printers of Journals, 104*l*. 7*s*. and 200*l*. To the Printers of the Journals, being the balance due for Printing the Journals of last Session, One Hundred and Four Pounds and Seven Shillings; and for Printing the Journals of the present Session, the sum of Two Hundred Pounds.
- Reporter, 200*l*. To the Reporters of the Debates, for Reporting and Publishing the Debates, Two Hundred Pounds.
- Library, 100*l*. Towards the purchase of Books for the Legislative Library, the sum of One Hundred Pounds.
- Clerk of Audit, 10*l*. To the Clerk of the Committee of Audit, the sum of Ten Pounds.
- Chairman on Street Act, 25*l*. To the Chairman of the Committee on the Street Act, the sum of Twenty-five Pounds.
- Housekeeper, 30*l*. To the Housekeeper, the sum of Twenty Pounds; and the sum of Ten Pounds, arrears of last Session.
- Rent, 35*l*. To the late Clerk Assistant, for Office-rent during the recess of the Legislature, the sum of Thirty-five Pounds.
- Housekeeper, 25*l*. To the Housekeeper of the Building occupied by the Legislature, for the use of his rooms during the past and present Sessions, the sum of Twenty-five Pounds.
- Repairs, 50*l*. Towards the expense of certain repairs in the said Building necessary to be made after the sittings of the Legislature, the Sum of Fifty Pounds.

R. R. O. A.  
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