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An Act to provide for the erection of an Alms-House and Work House within the County of York, and for making rules and regulations for the management of the same.

Passed the 21st of March 1822.

WHEREAS by the modes generally pursued to provide for the support of the Poor in this Province, many persons who might under proper regulations contribute to their own maintenance, have nevertheless become chargeable to, and are entirely maintained by the inhabitants of the Parishes in which such persons reside, to the very great burthen of such inhabitants: And whereas the establishment of suitable Alms-Houses and Work-Houses in proper situations within this Province, would not only enable many poor persons who are now chargeable to the parishes in which they reside, to contribute materially to their own support, but would also afford the means of checking the disorderly behaviour of divers persons, who by drunkenness and idleness, disqualify themselves from earning a proper support—

It is therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly, that the Justices of the Peace for the County of York, in their General Sessions, be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, to agree for the erecting and finishing of a proper building for an Alms-House and Work-House in the town or parish of Fredericton, and to fix upon a certain sum of money for defraying the expense thereof, which sum of money shall be raised by an assessment upon the inhabitants of the parishes of Fredericton, Saint Marys, Kingslear, Prince William, and Queensbury, in the said County, in the manner prescribed by the Laws now in force for assessing, collecting, and levying County rates, or by any other Law which may be passed during the present Session of the General Assembly: Provided, that such assessment shall not exceed the sum of seven hundred pounds.

And be it further enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for the Governor or Commander-in-Chief of this Province, by warrant under his hand and seal, to be issued with the advice of His Majesty's Council, from time to time, to appoint so many fit persons not exceeding seven, nor less than five, and of whom two shall be Justices of the Peace for the said County, as he shall think fit, to be Commissioners for superintending and managing the said building, so to be erected for the purposes aforesaid, and that it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners from time to time, to provide such materials and things as they shall judge necessary, for the setting to work and employing such poor persons of what age or sex soever they be, who may apply for relief and shall be capable to work, and shall have power and authority at their discretion to compel such idle or poor people begging or seeking relief, as do not betake themselves to some lawful employment, or who do or shall hereafter seek and receive Alms of any of the said parishes herein before mentioned, within the said County, or who may stand in need of relief from any of the said parishes, to dwell, inhabit, and to work in the said Work-House, and to do all such work as they shall think them able and fit for, and shall have the same powers to bind out poor children Apprentices as are by the Laws of this Province given to the Overseers of the Poor in the several Towns or Parishes.

And be it further enacted, that the said Commissioners, to be appointed as aforesaid, shall have power to make such rules, orders, and regulations for the good government and management of the said Alms-House and Work-House as they shall find necessary (such rules and regulations to be approved of by the Justices in their General Sessions) and to inflict such correction and punishment by solitary confinement or otherwise, from time to time as to them shall seem reasonable, on any person or persons within the said Alms-House or Work-House, who shall be so set to work and shall not conform to such rules, orders, and regulations, to be made as aforesaid, or shall in anywise contravene the same.

And be it further enacted, that the said Commissioners shall, at the first General Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said County, annually, before the Justices in their said Sessions, an account to be audited by the said Justices, of the expenses incurred by them for the support and maintenance of the poor of the said Alms-House and Work-House for the past year, together with an estimate of what sum or sums of money will be needed for the maintenance or employment of the Poor of the said House for the current year, in which estimate shall be stated, the proportion that every Town or Parish within the said County ought to pay, according to the number of poor persons that such Town or Parish shall have in the said Alms-House, or committed to the care of the said Commissioners, to the intent that no other tax or assessment may be made for any other maintenance or for any such Poor, which a certain sum of money shall be assessed, levied, and collected, in such manner and form as by the Laws of this Province is or shall be appointed and directed to be paid to the said Commissioners for the use aforesaid and for no other.

And be it further enacted, that the Commissioners to be appointed in pursuance of this Act, shall have full power and authority to count and agree with the Overseers of the Poor of any Parish in the said County, or of any adjoining County of this Province, for the maintenance of any poor persons belonging to such Parishes respectively, which

contract and agreement such Overseers are hereby authorized and empowered to make. Provided always, that such Overseers shall first pay or secure to be paid to the said Commissioners, such sum or sums of money as shall be so agreed for, and shall also report to the said Commissioners the names, character and condition of all such poor persons within the said Towns or Parishes respectively in whose behalf such application shall be made.

VI. And be it further enacted, that the profits of any work or labour to be performed under the direction of the said Commissioners, shall be duly accounted for by them, and shall be applied towards the support and maintenance of the persons inhabiting within the said Alms-House and Work-House.

VII. And be it further enacted, that until such time as a proper building shall be erected and prepared within the said Town or Parish of Fredericton, for the purposes by this Act contemplated, it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners to be appointed as herein before mentioned, to hire and make use of any other House within the said Town or Parish, which they shall think fit and convenient for an Alms-House and Work-House, in manner and form as by this Act is prescribed.

Secretary's Office, 13th April, 1822.

Representation having been made that sundry Persons are in the practice of burning Charcoal on the Common and Public Grounds in Fredericton—this practice is strictly forbidden by order of The Lieut. Governor in Council—And any Person found so offending hereafter, will be immediately prosecuted.

NEW-BRUNSWICK, } In Chancery, } 2d April, 1822.

Between } Henry Smith, Administrator of } James Bell, deceased, } and } Frederick Depyster, and others.

FORASMUCH as the Court was this day informed by Mr. Bliss, Counsel for the Complainant, that the Bill in this cause was filed on the twenty-sixth day of April last, as by the Certificate of his Clerk in Court appears, and Process of Subpoena taken out against the said Defendant, Frederick Depyster, but that the said Defendant now resides without the limits of this Province, or doth otherwise abscond to avoid being served with such Process, as by affidavit appears: And the said Certificate and Affidavit being read, and the truth of the above allegation being made out to the satisfaction of the Court,

It is ordered, that the said Defendant, Frederick Depyster, do appear to the Complainant's Bill, on or before the ninth day of July next.

By the Court, D. L. ROBINSON, Register

By the Honourable JOHN SAUNDERS, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New-Brunswick.

To all whom it may concern Greeting:

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of John Jackson, to me duly made according to the form of the Act of Assembly in such case lately made and provided, I have directed all the estate as well real as personal within this Province, of James Devolin, late of the Parish of Chatham, County of Northumberland, Carpenter, (which said James Devolin, hath departed from this Province with intent and design to defraud the said John Jackson, and the other Creditors of the said James Devolin, if any there be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law as is alleged against him) to be seized and attached; and that unless the said James Devolin do return and discharge his debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the estate as well real as personal, of the said James Devolin, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said James Devolin.

Dated at Fredericton, the twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two.

JOHN SAUNDERS.

WHEREAS (in pursuance of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of His late Majesty's Reign, for relief against absconding Debtors) We the Subscribers having been duly appointed and sworn before JOHN KEILLOR, Esquire, one of His Majesty's Justices of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County of Westmorland, as Trustees for all and every of the Creditors of James Hamilton, late of Dorchester, in said County, Stone Cutter, an absconding Debtor: We do therefore, in pursuance of such appointment, require all persons indebted to the said James Hamilton, to pay to us on or before the first day of June next, all such sum or sums of money, duties and things, which they owe to the said James Hamilton, and to deliver to us, all other effects of the said James Hamilton, which they or any of them may have in their hands, power or possession:

And all the Creditors of the said James Hamilton, are also requested to deliver to us on or before the first day of June next, their respective accounts and demands against the said James Hamilton.

Witness our hands at Dorchester, this first day of March, 1822.

JOHN KEILLOR, Jun. } WILLIAM P. SAYRE, } EDWARD B. CHANDLER, } Trustees.

By JOHN KEILLOR, Esquire, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Inferior Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Westmorland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon application of Thomas Trenholm, of Westmorland, in said County, Tradesman, to me duly made according to the form of the Act of the General Assembly in such case made and provided, I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal of David Williams, late of the Parish and County aforesaid, Yeoman, (which said David Williams, has either departed from, and without the limits of this Province, with intent and design to defraud the said Thomas Trenholm, and the other Creditors of the said David Williams, (if any there be) of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law, as is alleged against him) to be seized and attached; and that unless the said David Williams, do return and discharge his said debt or debts, within three months from the publication hereof, all the estate, as well real as personal, of the said David Williams, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said David Williams.

Dated at Dorchester, this eleventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two.

JOHN KEILLOR, J. C. P. E. B. CHANDLER, Att'y.

By JOHN KEILLOR, Esquire, one of His Majesty's Justices of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Westmorland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of William Wilbur, of the Parish of Dorchester, in the County of Westmorland, Yeoman, to me duly made pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, I have directed all the estate as well real as personal of David Foster, late of said Parish, in the County aforesaid, Yeoman, (which said David Foster hath departed from this Province, with intent and design to defraud the said William Wilbur, and the other Creditors of the said David Foster, if any such there be) of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law, as is alleged against him) to be seized and attached; and that unless the said David Foster, do return and discharge his debts, within three months from the publication hereof, all the estate, as

well real as personal, of the said David Foster, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said David Foster.

Dated at Dorchester, the twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two.

JOHN KEILLOR, J. C. P. E. B. CHANDLER, Att'y for William Wilbur.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscribers have been duly appointed Trustees for all the Creditors of Raymond Laliberte, late of the City of Saint John, Confectioner, an absconding debtor; and hereby require all persons indebted to the said Raymond Laliberte, on or before the first day of June next, to pay all such sums of money or other debt, duty, or thing which they owe to the said Raymond Laliberte, and to deliver all other effects of the said Raymond Laliberte, which he, she, or they may have in their hands, power, or custody, to the said Trustees; and the said Trustees do hereby desire all the Creditors of the said Raymond Laliberte, on or before the said fourteenth day of June, to deliver to the said Trustees, or any of them, their respective accounts and demands against the said Raymond Laliberte.

Dated at Saint John the fourteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two.

THOMAS SANCTON, JEHIEL PARTELOW, Jun. WILLIAM DURAN F. W. B. KINNEAR, Att'y.

NEW-BRUNSWICK, } In Chancery, }

The twenty sixth day of February, in the 31 Year of the reign of King George the Fourth, A. D. 1822.

Between } Stephen Wastie De Blois, Administrator of George De Blois, Junr. deceased Intestate, Complainant, } and } Gratianna Wilhelmina Henrietta Zephalinda Sophia Lyons, Heiress of Arthur Gould deceased, Defendant.

FORASMUCH as the Court was this day informed by Mr. Chipman, of Counsel for the Plaintiff, that the Plaintiff on the twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, filed his Bill against the Defendant, as by the Certificate of the Clerk in Court appears, and took out Process of Subpoena, returnable on the third Tuesday in May then next, requiring the said Defendant to appear to and answer the same; but that the above named Arthur Gould died at Halifax in the Province of Nova Scotia, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two, having at that time absented himself for some years from this Province, and that the said Defendant resides without the limits of this Province: And the said Certificate and Affidavit being read, and the truth of the above allegation being made out to the satisfaction of the said Court,

It is ordered, that the Defendant appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the first day of July next.

By the Court, W. M. F. ODELL, Register.

FREDERICTON, 30th APRIL, 1822. MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS

THE Commander in Chief is pleased to direct that the following arrangement be observed by the several Corps of Militia for their General Muster in the ensuing season, viz.

On Thursday the 4th of July, at Mr. Perley's, in Maugeville. Queen's. At Gage Town, on Saturday the 6th of July. 1st Batt. King's. At the Long Reach, near Capt. Whelpley's, on Monday the 8th of July.