

' out Passengers and Emigrants to the North American Colonies ; and when no
' such certificate is produced to the said Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer (as the
' case may be), then and in such case the master or person having charge of such
' ship or vessel as aforesaid, shall pay to the said Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer
' the sum of ten shillings for each and every Passenger and Emigrant on board
' such ship or vessel : And whereas great difficulty has heretofore been expe-
' rienced by the Owners of ships and Emigrant Agents, in procuring from the
' various Officers of Customs in the United Kingdom, such certificates as would
' enable them to escape the payment of the said increased or double head money,
' no Imperial Act being in existence to compel them to give such certificate : And
' whereas, by a late Imperial Act, passed the twelfth day of August, one thousand
' eight hundred and forty two, in the fifth and sixth year of the Reign of Her present
' Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled *An Act for regulating the carriage of Pas-
' sengers in merchant vessels* certain new rules and regulations are thereby
' enforced upon all ships or vessels carrying Passengers and Emigrants, and
' which must be complied with, under pain of certain penalties therein and thereby
' enforced : And whereas the provisions of the Act last referred to should be
' considered a safe and sufficient guard against too many Passengers being carried
' in the same ship or vessel, and against the unseaworthiness or improper fitting
' out of such ships or vessels for carrying Passengers and Emigrants ;'

Be it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and
Assembly, That so much of the Act passed in the second year of the reign of His
late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled *An Act to regulate vessels
arriving from the United Kingdom with Passengers and Emigrants*, as enforces
the payment of the double head money or duty of ten shillings for each and every
Passenger and Emigrant on board of such ship or vessel, be and the same is
hereby repealed.

2 W. 4, c. 36,
so far as it enforces
the payment of
double head money,
repealed.

CAP. X.

An Act to lay a Tax on Dogs in the Towns of Dalhousie and Campbelton, in the County of
Restigouche.

Passed 25th March 1844.

I. **BE** it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and As-
sembly, That from and after the first day of June next, there be laid and
imposed the following tax or duty yearly, and every year, on all Dogs which shall
or may be owned or kept by persons residing within the limits of the Towns of
Dalhousie and Campbelton, according to the description and boundaries of the
said Towns, as described on the Plan of the same, and as commonly known and
distinguished as such, that is to say :—For one Dog, provided the person keep
but one, the sum of five shillings ; for two Dogs owned or kept by one person, or
in or about the same House, the sum of fifteen shillings ; for three or more Dogs
owned or kept by one person, or in or about the same House, the sum of thirty
shillings ; such tax or duty to be paid by the person owning or keeping such Dog
or Dogs.

Tax imposed for
Dogs kept within
the Towns of Dal-
housie and Camp-
belton.

II. And be it enacted, That the Justices of the Peace for the said County of
Restigouche, at their General Sessions, or at any Special Sessions of the Peace
to be for that purpose holden, are hereby authorized and required to appoint fit
and proper persons to be Collectors of Dog Tax in the said Towns of Dalhousie
and Campbelton, who shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of their duty, and
who shall be liable to all the pains and penalties for neglect of duty or refusal to
serve, as any Town or Parish Officers are now liable to by the Laws now in force.

Rate.

Collectors to be ap-
pointed by the
Justices.

III. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of all persons residing within
the limits of the said Towns of Dalhousie and Campbelton, respectively, and who
shall own or keep any Dog or Dogs, to affix a Collar on the neck of each and
every such Dog, with the name of the owner or keeper plainly and legibly marked
thereon ; and all Dogs found going at large within the limits aforesaid, and owned
or kept by persons residing within the same, after the said first day of June next,
without such Collar and name as aforesaid, shall be liable to be killed or destroyed
by the said Collector of Dog Tax, or within the limits of the Town of Dalhousie,
by any Constable of the Parish of Dalhousie who may reside within the limits of
the said Town of Dalhousie, or by any Constable of the Parish of Addington who
may reside within the limits of the Town of Campbelton ; Provided always,
that in case the owner or keeper of such Dog or Dogs so found going at large as
aforesaid, without such Collar and name, contrary to the true intent and meaning

Owners to affix
collars with their
names on their
Dogs.

Penalties.