

five shillings per rod, in the discretion of the Commissioner, be allowed on account of any such work; provided always, that in any case when it may be necessary to construct a Bridge, the Commissioner shall specify in what manner the same shall be built, and shall estimate as near as may be the value thereof, in reference to the rate before mentioned, and which, when done, he shall allow to the parties building the same as and for so many rods of Road.

Commissioners to make up a return with certain specifications.

VII. And be it enacted, That as soon as may be after the first day of October, every Commissioner shall make up a Return of his proceedings under this Act, specifying therein the name of each Settler who may have worked, the number of rods he has made, and the rate allowed for the same, and the number of Bridges built; which said Return shall be certified and signed by such Commissioner, and the respective sums therein allowed shall be deemed and taken as so much paid for and on account of the said debts due by the Settlers respectively, and shall be credited as such; and in every case where the amount of such work is equal to the principal money due from the Settler, his Grant shall forthwith issue without any further charge or payment therefor.

[Grant of Land.]

VIII. And be it enacted, That if any Settlers shall neglect or refuse to avail themselves of the privileges and advantages offered by this Act, the Commissioner for the place or District where they may reside, shall, as soon as may be after the first day of October, make a Return of the names of such persons to the Provincial Secretary.

Act not to authorize Roads of illegal width.

IX. And be it enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to authorize the laying off any Roads within the Province of a width not authorized by Law.

Limitation.

X. And be it enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force until the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one.

CAP. XX.

An Act further to continue an Act to provide for the prompt payment of all demands upon the Provincial Treasury.

Passed 27th March 1849.

Preamble.

2 V. c. 44.

WHEREAS in and by virtue of the provisions of an Act made and passed 'in the second year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to provide for the prompt payment of all demands upon the Provincial Treasury*, a certain agreement was made and entered into by and between the Treasurer of the Province and the Bank of New Brunswick, for the purposes of the said Act, which has been continued to the present time: And whereas the aforesaid Act will expire on the first day of April which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and it is considered advisable to continue the provisions thereof, under certain conditions;

Act 2 V. c. 44, continued.

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That an Act made and passed in the second year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled *An Act to provide for the prompt payment of all demands upon the Provincial Treasury*, be and the same is hereby continued for the further term of five years from the first day of April which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty; and that the Treasurer of the Province be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to continue the agreement at present existing with the said Bank of New Brunswick, during the continuation of this Act; provided always, that no greater rate of interest than five and one half per centum be hereafter paid on the said agreement.

Rate of interest.

CAP. XXI.

An Act to continue the Act to provide for the payment of Interest on Warrants.

Passed 27th March 1849.

Act 4 W. 4, c. 43, continued.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, that an Act made and passed in the fourth year of the Reign of His late Majesty William the Fourth, intituled *An Act to provide for the payment of Interest on Warrants which are not paid at the Treasury on demand*, be and the same is hereby continued and declared to be in force until the first day of May which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five.

CAP. XXII.

An Act to alter and amend an Act, intituled *An Act relating to the Clerk of the Pleas*.

Passed 27th March 1849.

6 V. c. 26.

Preamble.

WHEREAS in and by an Act, intituled *An Act relating to the Clerk of the Pleas*, it is among other things enacted, that from and after the