(MAY 5.)

(No. 561.)

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, as follows :----

1. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer of any Agricultural Society applying

Duty of the Treasurer of any Agricultural Society on applying for a Warrant on the Treasury.

for a warrant under the Act to which this is an amendment, to forward to the Provincial Secretary a list of the subscribers to such Society, with a copy of the bye laws by which the same is to be governed in the disposal of its funds, raised by subscription, or received from the Province, for the uses and purposes of such Society, accompanied by his account for the preceding year, duly audited and certified by the President and Committee of Audit; and the Treasurer shall make oath before a Magistrate that he verily believes that the amount set opposite to such subscribers' names have been paid *bona fide* by them, and that the same will be applied in strict accordance with the bye laws of the Society.

2. It shall not be lawful to issue a warrant to any Agricultural Society under the said Act, until such list, bye laws and certificates, upon oath, be filed in the Provincial Secretary's Office, agreeably to the provisions of this Act.

CAP. LV.

An Act to amend the Act to facilitate the construction of a Railway from Saint Andrews to Quebec.

Passed 7th April 1852.

Preamble.

14. V. c. 36.

No Warrant to issue till lists, bye

laws, &c., be filed in the Provincial

Secretary's Office.

Last proviso in Sec. 1 of 14 V. c. 36. repealed.

No debentures to be issued till a contract for the completion of the whole work to Woodstock has been entered into.

Form of debentures changed. • W HEREAS it is expedient to amend an Act made and passed in the • fourteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled An Act to facilitate • the construction of a Railway from Saint Andrews to Quebec, in certain particulars;

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, as follows :---

The last proviso contained in the first section of the said recited Act, in these words, "Provided always, that the shares to be delivered to the Provincial Treasurer on account of the Province, shall be of the same class and description as those paid up by the shareholders of the Company, for the purposes of this Act," be and the same is hereby repealed; provided always, that no further debentures shall issue under the provisions of this or the said recited Act, until it be made satisfactorily to appear to the Lieutenant Governor in Council, that a bona fide contract or contracts has or have been entered into for the completion of the said Railway, from, at or near Waweig to Woodstock, in the County of Carleton; provided that the following shall be the form of Debentures referred to in the said recited Act, and Coupons shall hereafter be annexed

thereto, instead of the form prescribed in the Schedule to the said Act :--

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

No.

£100 Sterling Debenture.

£100 Sterling transferable. Province of New Brunswick

Under the authority of the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick. The Government of New Brunswick promise to pay to the bearer, the sum of one hundred pounds sterling, thirty years from and after the day of

, likewise the interest from the same date, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, to be paid half yearly on presentation of the proper Coupons for the same, as hereunto annexed, on the day of and the day of in each year, at the office of in London.

In testimony whereof, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of New Brunswick, on behalf of the said Province, and by virtue of the authority vested in him by an Act of the General Assembly of the same, intituled An Act to facilitate the construction of a Railway from Saint Andrews to Quebec, which Act has been approved and allowed by Her Majesty, has hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal of office, at Fredericton, in the Province of New Brunswick, this day of A. D. 185.

(Signed)

Countersigned by the Provincial Treasurer.

COUPON.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

£3 Sterling.

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Half yearly interest dividend due on Debenture No. issued under the authority of the Provincial Legislature for one hundred pounds sterling, payable at the office of in London.

In testimony whereof, the Lieutenant Governor [and so forth, as in the preceding form.]