

CAP. LVI.

An Act to amend the Act for the establishment of Municipal Authorities so far as regards the County of Carleton. 14 V. c. 38.

Passed 7th April 1852.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, as follows:—

1. That the first election for Councillors under the Act made and passed in the fourteenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Authorities in this Province*, shall take place on the first Tuesday in May in this present year, and the annual election for the same purpose shall be on the last Tuesday in December in every year, the first of which shall be on the last Tuesday in December of this present year, which elections shall be in lieu of the several times specified in the said recited Act for holding the same.

Time for holding first election of Councillors under Act 14 V. c. 38.

2. The provisions of this Act shall only extend to the County of Carleton.

Act limited to Carleton.

CAP. LVII.

An Act to simplify the service of Process against Co-Partners in Trade in proceedings before Justices of the Peace, and in the City Court of Saint John.

Passed 7th April 1852.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, in civil actions before Justices of the Peace or in the City Court of Saint John, brought against Co-partners in trade, doing business under the name of a firm, the names of the members composing which may not be set forth in full in the name and style of such firm, it shall be deemed sufficient in any process issued by any Justice of the Peace, or out of the said City Court, in such action or actions to insert the name and style of such firm as used by the said firm, and such process shall be deemed duly served or executed, if served or executed (as now by law required) upon any member of the said firm doing business in the County in which such process may have been issued, provided that no execution issued upon a judgment obtained upon any such process shall be levied upon other than partnership property.

Process against Co-partners may be in the name of the firm and served on any member thereof doing business in the County in which issued.

CAP. LVIII.

An Act further to extend the provisions of the Bank for Savings at Saint John.

Passed 7th April 1852.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, as follows:—

1. That it shall be lawful for the Treasurer of the Province to receive further deposits from the Savings Bank established in the City of Saint John and to issue Debentures for the same, in like manner and subject to the like restrictions and provisions as are contained in the Act of Assembly passed in the sixth year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Fourth, intituled *An Act to encourage the establishment of Banks for Savings in this Province*, provided that the whole amount shall not exceed fifty thousand pounds over and above the amount for which Debentures have already issued and deposits been received within the Province; and provided further, that the interest which the said Savings Bank in Saint John shall be entitled to receive on such Debentures shall not exceed the rate of five per cent. per annum.

Province Treasurer authorized to receive further Savings Banks deposits in St. John, subject to Act 6. G. 4, c. 4.

Whole amount not to exceed £50,000, and interest not to exceed 5 per cent.

2. The Provincial Treasurer shall from time to time call in any of the Debentures already issued, and pay the same, as well as any of the said deposits, unless the holders of such Debentures or the depositors shall prefer to continue the same in the public Treasury, in which case he shall issue new Debentures at a reduced rate of interest, or reduce the rate of interest to the amount per cent. per annum above mentioned, by indorsement on the Debentures already issued; such Debentures to be of the like form and subject to the like restrictions and provisions as in the said recited Act mentioned, except so far as this Act shall control the same.

Debentures already issued to be called in and paid off unless holder be willing to take a reduced rate of interest.

3. 'And whereas a grant of the sum of one thousand two hundred and ninety three pounds ten shillings and ten pence was made out of the Treasury of this Province, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six, to make up a loss sustained by the Savings Bank at Saint John, and it is just that the same should be repaid out of the profits arising from the management of the said Savings Bank;' It shall be lawful for the Trustees or Managers of the

Provision for the repayment of £1,293 10 10 granted in 1836 to make up a loss sustained by the Bank in St. John.