REGULATIONS.

In order fully to carry out the above arrangements, it is considered necessary that some change should be made in respect to payments for work performed. Much expense has heretofore been incurred from the difficulty in collecting outstanding Accounts; many of them, including services for several years past, still remaining unpaid.

To obviate such difficulties for the future, and to ensure an adequate return for services rendered, it has been determined that all non official Advertisements forwarded for insertion in the Royal Gazette, must be accompanied by payment, or satisfactory security, according to the following terms :-

For every Notice not exceeding 18 lines, 4s. 6d. for the first, and 1s. 6d. for every subsequent insertion:

All over 18 lines, 3d. per line for the first, and 1d. per line for every subsequent insertion.

In the matter of James Nixon, an absconding Debtor.

TOTICE is hereby given, that we, the undersigned Trustees for all the creditors of James Nixon, do hereby require a general meeting of all the creditors of the said debtor, or such of them !

as choose to attend, on Wednesday the second day of June next, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the Office of George N. Segee, Esquire, in Fredericton, to examine and see the debts due to each person ascertained, in order that right and justice may be done agreeably to the form of the Act of Assembly .- Dated at Fredericton this second day of March, A. D. 1852.

GEO. N. SEGEE, JO. MYSHRALL, Junr. W. A. M'LEAN.

NOTICE.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers under the firms of "Allison and Spurr" here, and "James Dewolfe Spurr and Co." at Liverpool, G. B., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons having claims upon either of the above firms, are requested to render them for settlement; and all parties indebted will please make early payment to either of the undersigned.

> EDWARD ALLISON, JAMES DEWOLFE SPURR, by Edward Allison, his Attorney

St. John, 1st March, 1852.—3m.

NOTICE.

We have again been instructed to forward the ROYAL GAZETTE to the Magistrates in the several Counties in the Province, commencing with this number. If we have inadvertently omitted the name of any person entitled to the same, in that capacity, they will please notify us immediately.

The Gazette will in future be forwarded to Subscribers at 10s. per annum, payable in advance.

BY AUTHORITY.

ANNO DECIMO QUINTO VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CAP. XXXI.

An Act in amendment of and in addition to the Act relating to the definition of offences and the punishment thereof.

Passed 30th March 1852. E it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly,

as follows :-1. The following Sections and Articles of an Act made and passed in the twelfth 12 v. c. 29, year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled An Act to consolidate and in part repealed. amend the several Acts of Assembly relating to the Criminal Law of this Province so far as relates to the definition of offences and the punishment thereof, that is to say: - Article 2 of Sub-Chapter III., Article 6 of Sub-Chapter V., Article 4 of Section 2 of Sub-Chapter VII., Article 16 of Section 2 of Sub-Chapter VII., Article 17 of Section 2 of Sub-Chapter VII., Article 16 of Section 1 of Sub-Chapter IX., Section 4 of Sub-Chapter IX., Article 1 of Section 1 of Sub-Chapter X., Section 2 of Sub-Chapter X., and Article 1 of Sub-Chapter XI., are hereby repealed; provided always, that as regards any offence perpetrated before Reservation. the passing of this Act, and also as regards any offence perpetrated in part by Offence committed. any act done prior thereto, and which offence shall be completed or consummated on or after the passing hereof, the offender shall be punished as if this Act had not been passed; and nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to affect or annul any proceeding, conviction, judgment, sentence Proceedings, or commutation of punishment heretofore or which before the passing of this judgments or Act may be commenced, had, made, passed or allowed under and by virtue of any Section or Sections, Article or Articles hereby repealed, but all such proceedings, convictions, judgments, sentences and commutations of punishment, may be continued and proceeded in, and shall be as valid and effectual as if the Sections and Articles hereby repealed continued and remained in full force and effect.

2. Any person who shall be lawfully convicted of Adultery by any Court of Adultery a Oyer and Terminer or General Gaol Delivery in this Province shall be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to be fined or imprisoned in the discretion of the Court; provided, that if fined, in a sum not exceeding one hundred pounds, and if imprisoned, for a term not exceeding two years.

commutation of punishment.

misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment.