

lawful for the said Police Magistrate together with any two Magistrates for the City and County of Saint John, forthwith to hear and determine such offence, and on conviction either by confession or on the testimony of one or more credible witness or witnesses, the said Magistrates are hereby authorized and empowered to commit the offender to the common gaol or Provincial Penitentiary, in the discretion of the said Magistrates, for any term not exceeding six months.

3. All moneys ordered or levied for fines, penalties, or costs in any case in which the Portland Police Magistrate shall preside alone or with any other Magistrate at the Police Office in the Police district, shall be paid over to the Treasurer of the Portland Police, when recovered, to the purposes and provisions of the Portland Police Act, any thing to the contrary thereof in the Act imposing such fine, penalty, or costs, notwithstanding.

CAP. LVIII.

An Act to revive and continue an Act relating to Dockage, Wharfage, and Cranage in the City of Saint John, and in the Parish of Portland.

Act 5 V. c. 39, continued.

Passed 1st May 1856.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,—That an Act made and passed in the fifth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to regulate Dockage, Wharfage, and Cranage in the City of Saint John, and in the Parish of Portland*, except so much thereof as may have been repealed, be and the same is hereby revived and continued until the first day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty.

CAP. LIX.

An Act to establish additional Polling places in the County of York.

Additional Polling places in Dumfries and Stanley appointed.

Passed 1st May 1856.

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

The following shall be additional Polling places in the County of York, that is to say:—

At or near Solomon Howe's, in the Parish of Dumfries:

At or near Thomas Bois', on the Bloomfield Ridge, in the Parish of Stanley, for all electors residing in that part of the said Parish situated north easterly of the south westerly boundary line of Lot number one, granted to Michael Cott on the thirty first day of December, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and twenty nine, situate on the Road from the Nashwaak to the Miramichi River, and its north westerly and south easterly prolongations.

CAP. LX.

An Act to amend an Act to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace of the County of York to raise by loan a sufficient sum of money to enable them to erect a new Court House in the said County.

Section.

1. Debentures issued under 16 V. c. 40, to be assignable by indorsement.
2. Municipality and Secretary Treasurer to act under 16 V. c. 40.

Section.

3. Moneys hereafter borrowed to be paid to the Secretary Treasurer.
4. Cancelling of Debentures, how effected.

Passed 1st May 1856.

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

1. All debentures issued or to be issued by the Justices of the Peace for the County of York, under the authority of an Act passed in the sixteenth year of Her present Majesty's Reign, intituled *An Act to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace of the County of York to raise by loan a sufficient sum of money to enable them to erect a new Court House in the said County*, shall be assignable by indorsement of the person named in such debenture, his executors, or administrators, in like manner as promissory notes; and the assignee thereof, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall be entitled to demand and receive the money and interest secured thereby.

2. All the powers vested in and the duties imposed upon the Justices of the Peace and the Treasurer for the County of York by the said Act, for raising money by assessment, and applying the same in payment of the debentures issued, or to be issued by the said Justices, within the limits of the said Act, shall be exercised and discharged by the Municipality of the County of York, and the Secretary Treasurer thereof, respectively.

3. The moneys to be borrowed upon any debentures hereafter to be issued, shall be paid to the Secretary Treasurer of the County of York.

4. All debentures which shall from time to time be paid off, shall be cancelled by the holder's indorsing thereon a receipt, stating the amount of principal and interest received, and signing his name thereto; and such debentures shall be kept by the Secretary Treasurer as his voucher for payment.

CAP. LXI.

An Act to amend an Act intituled *An Act to incorporate the Town of Moncton*.

Section.

1. North and east boundary defined.
2. Mayor to be deemed a Justice of Peace.

Section.

3. Affidavits to be used before the Mayor, &c. may be taken before the Clerk.

Passed 1st May 1856.

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

1. The north and east boundary of the said Town shall be and be deemed to extend to mid-channel of Hall's Creek, and the south boundary of said Town shall be and be deemed to extend to mid-channel of the Petitcodiac River, for all purposes under the said Act of Incorporation.

2. The Mayor of the said Town during his continuance in office, shall be and be deemed a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Westmorland, and shall have, use, and exercise the same power and authority as if he had been commissioned a Justice of the Peace.

3. All affidavits to be made or read in any proceedings before the Mayor or any of the Councillors, may be taken and sworn to before the Clerk of the said Town.

CAP. LXII.

An Act to authorize the Bishop of Fredericton to convey certain Lands to the Corporation of Christ Church, Fredericton.

Section.

1. Authority given to convey described land.

Section.

2. Investment of purchase money.

Passed 1st May 1856.