

of Assembly, or Bye Law of the Corporation, in that behalf made; and in case of any vacancy occurring in any of the said offices, such vacancy shall be filled up in like manner as a vacancy occurring in any other Ward in the said City would be filled up under the provisions of the Charter, or any Act of Assembly, or Bye Law of the said City, now in force or hereafter to be made, relating thereto.

4. The officers elected for the present Guy's and Brook's Wards on the first Tuesday in April, shall hold office for the said Wards as heretofore defined, until the officers for said Albert Ward shall be elected and sworn; and the said officers for the said Albert Ward, when elected, shall be sworn before the Common Council on the second Tuesday in June, after which time the officers elected or to be elected for Guy's and Brook's Wards shall represent the same as defined by this Act.

CAP. XXXIV.

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to levy an assessment to pay off the Debt due by the Town of Saint Andrews.

Authority to assess the Town of Saint Andrews to pay debt.

Passed 12th April 1861.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,—That the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, at any General Session of the Peace hereafter to be holden, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to make such rate and assessment of any sum not exceeding three hundred pounds on the inhabitants of the said Town, as they in their discretion may think necessary, for the purpose of paying off the debt of the said Town; the same to be assessed, levied, collected and paid agreeably to any Acts now or hereafter to be in force for the assessing, collecting, and levying of County Rates.

CAP. XXXV.

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to sell certain Lands in the Parish of Saint Andrews, and invest the proceeds in Government Securities.

Section.

1. Authority to sell specified lands to the lessees: minimum price limited.
2. Unoccupied land to be sold at auction.

Section.

3. Investment of proceeds.
4. & 5. Annual income to be applied for the original uses and trusts.

Passed 12th April 1861.

WHEREAS a certain tract of Land situate in the Parish of Saint Andrews, in the County of Charlotte, known as the Western Commons, is held in trust by the Justices of the Peace for the said County, for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Town of Saint Andrews; and the said Justices have granted leases of the said tract of Land with covenants for renewal, or payment for improvements, and the rents falling due upon the said leases are received and applied, a part thereof towards the support of the Poor of the said Parish, and a part thereof for the benefit of the inhabitants of the said Town of Saint Andrews: And whereas a certain tract of land situate at Chamcook in the said Parish, known as the School Lands, is vested in the said Justices of the Peace in trust for the use, benefit, and behoof of the Parish School of Saint Andrews aforesaid, and the said Justices have granted leases of the said tract with covenants for renewal, or payment for improvement: And whereas the Lessees are desirous of purchasing in fee simple the lands occupied by them respectively,

and it is deemed advisable to sell the same, and also those parts of the said tracts which are unoccupied, and invest the proceeds of such sales in other securities;—

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

1. The Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, at any General Sessions, are hereby authorized and empowered to sell and convey to the lessees of the said lands, those parts thereof occupied by them respectively, for such price as to the said Justices of the Peace may seem proper and expedient; provided however, that no land now under lease shall be sold by private sale to any lessee at a lower rate than a sum the interest of which shall be equal to the rent now payable by said lessee.

2. All those parts of the said tracts of land which are at present or may hereafter become unoccupied, shall be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, one month's notice of such sale having been first advertised in a newspaper published in the Town of Saint Andrews.

3. The proceeds of such sales shall be invested by the said Justices of the Peace in the purchase of Provincial Railway Debentures issued by the Governor in Council, pursuant to the Act of Assembly Chapter 14, passed in the nineteenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, or in the Provincial Savings Bank, or some other Provincial Government security.

4. The annual income or interest arising from the proceeds of the sales of the Western Commons Lands, shall be received and applied to and for the same uses and trusts for which the said lands so sold were originally granted, received, and held.

5. The annual income or interest arising from the proceeds of the sales of the School Lands, shall be received and applied to and for the same uses and trusts for which the said lands so sold were originally granted, received, and held.

CAP. XXXVI.

An Act to enable the Firewards of the Parish of Saint Stephen, in the County of Charlotte, to increase the number of Firemen attached to the Saint Stephen Volunteer Fire Engine Company Number Two.

The Firewards may increase the number of Firemen.

Passed 12th April 1861.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,—That notwithstanding any thing contained in the first section of Chapter 59, of Title VIII, of the Revised Statutes, 'Of preventing Fires,' the Firewards of the Parish of Saint Stephen, in the County of Charlotte, are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint by Warrant, a sufficient number of able men, not exceeding sixty five, to the Saint Stephen Volunteer Fire Engine Company Number Two, whose appointments shall be registered in the manner provided in the said above recited Act.

CAP. XXXVII.

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to assess the inhabitants of the Parish of Saint Stephen for the erection of a Lock-up House in Milltown, in the said Parish.

Section.

1. Authority to erect a Lock-up House, assess for expenses, and make regulations for management.

Section.

2. Authority to commit to Lock-up House.
3. Assessment to be agreeably to Acts in force.