

CAP. XLVI.

An Act to authorize an assessment upon the City and County of Saint John for the purpose of an Agricultural Exhibition therein.

Section	Section
1. Assessment upon City and County for Exhibition.	2. How levied and collected.

Passed 17th June 1867.

WHEREAS it is intended that the Provincial Exhibition, under the direction of the Board of Agriculture, should be held in the City of Saint John, or in the vicinity thereof, in the present year, and it is expedient that an assessment in aid thereof should be made on the City and County of Saint John;—

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

1. The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John in Common Council, may and they are hereby authorized to order an assessment on the whole City and County of Saint John, and the inhabitants thereof, for the sum of two thousand dollars, besides the costs and charges of assessing and collecting, for the purpose of adding to the fund required for the holding, in said City and County, of a Provincial Exhibition of Agricultural and other products in the present year.

2. Such assessment shall be assessed and levied in the same proportion upon the City and upon the County of Saint John as other general County rates, and shall be collected in the same manner in the said City, and in the several Parishes in the said County, as other City taxes and Parish rates respectively, and be paid to and received by the Chamberlain of the said City, to be by him paid out on the order and at the discretion of the Common Council of said City, for the purposes of this Act, at such times and in such manner as the Common Council may direct.

CAP. XLVII.

An Act to authorize the City Corporation of Saint John to purchase Lands to the northward of the Country Market Place in the City of Saint John.

Section	Section
1. Corporation may borrow money to purchase lands.	4. Chamberlain to receive and pay money.
2. Debentures to be issued.	5. Interest, how raised; sinking fund.
3. Interest, how paid.	6. Investment of Sinking fund.

Passed 17th June 1867.

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

1. The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John may and they are hereby authorized to borrow such sum and sums of money as may be required for the purchase of any Lands to the northward of the Country Market Place in the City of Saint John, with a view to the extension of the said Market.

2. Any sum and sums of money borrowed under the provisions of this Act, shall be taken in loans of not less than four hundred dollars each; and Debentures payable in twenty years from the time when the same may be issued, shall be granted to the person or persons from whom any such loan may be obtained, and in such form as the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty may deem expedient, with Coupons for interest payable half yearly; which Debentures shall be sealed with the Common Seal of the said Corporation, and signed by the Mayor and Common Clerk, and shall be numbered consecutively according to the order in which the same shall be issued; and the Coupons for interest shall be signed by the Mayor and Common Clerk, and a record thereof shall be kept by the Common Clerk.

lect or miscarriage of the person or persons, or body corporate or joint stock company to whom such sale, lease, transfer or setting over shall be made; and the service of any writ, summons, process, or paper in law or equity, upon the President or other officer or Secretary of the said British and American Telegraph Company, shall be sufficient in all respects, in all suits or actions either at law or in equity, to enable the plaintiff in any such suit or action for such fault, neglect, or miscarriage, to issue and have issued any execution or executions against the property or effects of the said person or persons, or body corporate, or joint stock company, or their assigns, or of the said British and American Telegraph Company, on judgment duly obtained.

CAP. XLV.

An Act in amendment of and in addition to an Act intituled *An Act to incorporate the New Brunswick Electric Telegraph Company*.

Section	Section
1. Company authorized to construct additional lines.	2. Liability of Company if Lines leased or transferred.

Passed 17th June 1867.

WHEREAS by the third Section of an Act made and passed in the eleventh year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled *An Act to incorporate the New Brunswick Electric Telegraph Company*, it is enacted that it should be lawful for the said Company, and they were authorized and empowered to make and complete certain lines of Electric Telegraph therein mentioned; and whereas it is expedient to enlarge the provisions of said Act;—

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

1. That it shall be lawful for the said Company, and they are hereby authorized and empowered by themselves, their deputies, agents, officers, and workmen, to make, maintain, complete and work a single or double line of Electric Telegraph, communicating from the City of Saint John in this Province to the eastern boundary of the State of Maine in the United States of America, and to the boundary line of Nova Scotia, along or near any line of Railway connecting the said City of Saint John with the said eastern boundary of the State of Maine and the boundary line of Nova Scotia, with power to establish Branch lines in connexion therewith in this Province, subject to the terms and conditions in the said in part recited Act mentioned, and to locate and construct its Electric Telegraph lines upon and along any public highway or bridge, or along or upon the lines of any Railroad, but in such manner as not to incommode or endanger the ordinary public use thereof.

2. In case the said New Brunswick Electric Telegraph Company shall lease or underlet, transfer or set over, to any person or persons, body corporate, or joint stock company, any line or lines of Telegraph to be built or erected by the said Company under this Act, except any line or lines that may be substituted for those now in use, the said Electric Telegraph Company shall still remain liable for any default, neglect or miscarriage in the transmission of telegrams of the person or persons, or body corporate or joint stock company, to whom or to which they may have so leased, underlet, transferred or set over their line or lines of Telegraph as aforesaid, and the damages for any such default, neglect, or miscarriage, shall be recoverable in an action at law or in equity, against the said Company, and the joint stock and effects of the said Company shall be liable therefor, for the judgment recovered.