

twenty eighth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty nine, is declared to be legal and valid to all intents and purposes; and the officers then elected to serve in the said Parish for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, are hereby declared duly elected and confirmed in their respective offices for one year, or until others are elected in their stead in the ordinary manner.

2. The Clerk of the Peace of the said County shall within fourteen days after the passing of this Act, furnish the Town Clerk of the said Parish with a true copy of the certified list, signed by the Chairman and Town Clerk, as laid before the Sessions in January last, who shall within six days thereafter post up lists of the officers so appointed in three or more public places in the said Parish; and every officer so elected or appointed and notified, shall within six days thereafter make oath before a Justice of the Peace to fulfil the duties of his office, and such Justice shall give notice thereof to the Clerk of the Peace.

CAP. XV.

An Act to change the name of The Lewy's Island Railroad Company.
Passed 28th March 1870.

WHEREAS it is desirable to alter the name of The Lewy's Island Railroad Company;—

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

That from and after the passing of this Act, the Company or Body Corporate now called and named "The Lewy's Island Railroad Company," shall be called and known by the name of "The Saint Croix and Penobscot Railroad Company," any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

CAP. XVI.

An Act to provide for defraying certain expenses of the Civil Government of the Province.

Sec.

1 Amounts granted, to whom.

Sec.

2 Amounts, how paid.

Passed 7th April 1870.

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

1. There shall be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the several sums of money hereinafter mentioned, to provide for defraying certain expenses of the Civil Government of the Province:—

A sum not exceeding five thousand three hundred and eighty dollars to provide for the Officers and Contingent expenses of the Legislature, including Librarian.

A sum not exceeding five hundred and sixty dollars to provide for the Clerk of the Crown, Usher of the Supreme Court, Messenger of the Equity Court and Chambers, and Usher of the Court of Divorce.

A sum not exceeding fifteen thousand five hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty six cents for certain Educational purposes.

A sum not exceeding three thousand dollars in aid of Immigration during the current year.

A sum not exceeding eight thousand dollars for Public Printing and Advertising during the current year.

A sum not exceeding eleven thousand dollars to provide for Contingencies, Postages, Stationery and Telegrams for the Executive, Legislative, and Public Offices, during the current year.

A sum not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars to meet the expense of publishing the Debates of the House of Assembly during the Session of the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

A sum not exceeding four thousand dollars for Surveys and Government Inspection during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty dollars to pay Fishery Bounty, West Isles, for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

A sum not exceeding nine hundred dollars for the registry of Marriage Certificates during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one thousand two hundred dollars in aid of the Saint John Public Hospital.

A sum not exceeding four thousand dollars to meet unforeseen expenses during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one thousand dollars to reimburse Otis Small, and Charles Harrison Hatheway, in full for the services of the Steamer "Emperor," during the year 1868, on the North Shore.

2. The several sums of money aforementioned shall be paid by warrant or cheque out of public moneys now or hereafter in the Receiver General's hands.

CAP. XVII.

An Act to provide for the repair and improvement of Roads and Bridges, and other Public Works and Services.

Sec.

1 Amount granted.

2 By whom expended; duty of Commissioners; proviso.

3 When Commissioners shall account to Municipalities.

4 Moneys, how paid.

5 Per centage allowed to Commissioners.

Sec.

6 When money shall be expended; proviso.

7 Before money is expended, alteration in road to be recorded.

8 Commissioners to give Bonds.

9 Defaulter cannot act as Commissioner.

10 Vacancy, how filled.

Passed 7th April 1870.

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

1. There shall be granted to the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of money hereinafter mentioned, to provide for the improvement of the Roads and Bridges, and other Public Works and Services,—

A sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty six thousand dollars, to provide for the repairs of the Great and Bye Roads of the Province, and for Bridges thereon, for the repairs and maintenance of the Public Buildings, and for Steam Navigation.

2. The said sum of money, and every part thereof, shall be expended under the direction of the Board of Works, and of such Supervisors and Commissioners as the Governor in Council may appoint, and shall be paid to the several and respective persons who shall actually work and labour in making, completing and repairing the several Roads, Bridges, and Works, or in furnishing materials therefor, at the most reasonable rate that such labour and materials can be provided, where such sums are expended on Roads, Bridges, or Works; and every Commissioner so to be appointed shall, as early in the season as may be, carefully examine the part of the Road where any sums of money are to be expended, and shall lay out and mark off such allotment or allotments as may conveniently be contracted for, in order that the making and repairing of the same may be let by auction to the lowest bidder; and in all cases such Commissioners respectively are hereby required to put a sufficient number of notices, not less than ten days previous to such sale, in