

meeting of said Sessions, or special meeting for that purpose duly called, or Committee thereof, and to issue certificates or notes of indebtedness therefor, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually to the holder thereof or his order, at the office of the County Treasurer, in the following form:—

Number —

WESTMORLAND COUNTY, ss. These are to certify, that of , in the County of , in the Province of , hath lent and advanced to the Justices of the Peace for the County of Westmorland, the sum of dollars, which sum is payable to him or to his order, at the office of the County Treasurer of the said County, in years from date, together with interest thereon, payable at the place aforesaid semi-annually from date, at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable on the day of , and the day of in each year, pursuant to an Act of Assembly passed in the thirty fifth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled *An Act to authorize the Justices of the General Sessions of the Peace for the County of Westmorland, to raise money by way of loan for the erection of a new Court House in said County.*

In witness whereof, the common seal of said Sessions is appended hereto, and the Chairman of said Sessions hath hereto set his hand this day of , in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy , or to that effect, redeemable at such time or times as the said Sessions may determine; the said time or times to be specified in each certificate, which certificates or notes shall be respectively negotiable in the same manner as promissory notes.

2. The said certificates shall be sealed with the common seal of said General Sessions of said County, and signed by the Chairman of the Sessions, and countersigned by the Clerk of the Peace of said County, and shall be consecutively numbered according to the times at which the same shall be issued, and a record of such certificates shall be kept by the Clerk of the Peace in his office, and such certificates or notes when so prepared shall be delivered to the County Treasurer, who shall countersign the same and deliver the same to the person or persons loaning the amount thereof respectively, upon the order of the Sessions or a Committee thereof appointed to negotiate the same, upon payment of the amount or proceeds thereof to him; and said Treasurer shall keep a record thereof, and a full, separate and detailed account of the proceeds thereof, and disbursements made therefrom, in the Books of Account of County affairs kept by him, which shall at all times be open to the inspection of the said General Sessions or any Committee thereof for that purpose appointed, and shall render separate account thereof, under oath if required, to every General Sessions in said County.

3. No certificates issued under this Act, shall be for any less sum than one hundred dollars.

4. All moneys loaned to the Sessions of the County of Westmorland aforesaid, under the provisions of this Act, shall be paid to the County Treasurer of the aforesaid County as aforesaid, to be by him held and paid for the erection and completion of the said County Court House, and for no other purpose or use whatever, and to be paid by order of the Sessions or Committee thereof, by cheque in the usual manner, drawn upon the said County Treasurer.

5. The Sessions are hereby authorized to order, make and levy a rate of assessment upon the inhabitants and property

of the said County, liable to be assessed for any general rate of assessment for County purposes, a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars in any one year, for the purpose of the payment of the principal sum borrowed and interest thereon, besides the charges for assessing and collecting, until the whole sum borrowed and the interest thereon, under and by virtue of this Act, shall be paid off; the said several sums to be assessed, levied, collected and paid in such proportions and in like manner as any County rates can or may be assessed, levied and collected under any Act or Acts now or hereafter in force for assessing, levying and collecting County rates; and when collected, shall be held and paid by the County Treasurer for the purposes of this Act and for no other purposes.

6. The moneys so assessed and collected shall from time to time be applied in the payment of the said certificates and the interest due thereon, and the said certificates shall be redeemable according to their numbers respectively, beginning with number one and as the same become due; and whenever the County Treasurer shall be prepared to pay off any certificate or certificates then due or falling due within one month, he shall give one month's notice in some newspaper published in the said County, that the same is or are payable at his office, and after the expiration of said notice, the certificate or certificates designated in such notice shall cease to bear interest.

CAP. XXIV.

An Act to alter the time for holding the March Term of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace for the County of King's County.

Sec.

1 When Sessions shall be held.

Sec.

2 Time of election of parish officers.

Passed 11th April, 1872.

WHEREAS the time for holding the March Sessions of the Peace for the County of King's County is found to be inconvenient, and it is considered expedient to alter the same;—

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

1. That the Court of General Sessions of the Peace for the said County shall from and after the passing of this Act, be holden on the third Tuesday in February in each and every year, instead of on the first Tuesday in March as heretofore provided, at which Court all Parish Officers for the following year shall be confirmed or appointed, and all other business heretofore done and transacted at the said March Term of the said Court, shall be done and transacted by the said Court on the said third Tuesday in February.

2. That the time for the election of Parish Officers in the said County shall after the passing of this Act, be on the Tuesday next preceding the meeting of the said Court of General Sessions in February, as herein provided.

CAP. XXV.

An Act relating to the holding of the County Courts of the Counties of Sunbury, Queen's, Northumberland, King's, and Kent, respectively.

Sec.

1 When Courts shall be held in County of Sunbury.

2 When Courts shall be held in County of Queen's.

3 When Courts shall be held in County of Northumberland.

Sec.

4 When Courts shall be held in County of King's.

5 When Courts shall be held in County of Kent.

Passed 11th April, 1872.

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