

for the purposes mentioned in the sixth Section of this Act, to make an additional issue of debentures, to be called "Sewerage Debentures," to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars, to be charged, paid and redeemed in the same manner as the debentures and interest thereof issued under an Act of Assembly made and passed in the twenty eighth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to amend the Law relating to Sewerage in the City of Saint John on the Eastern side of the Harbour*, save that the debentures to be issued under this Act shall be redeemable in forty years from the first day of May in the present year.

5. To meet the interest of Sewerage Debentures issued under this Act, and the annual expenses incident to the said Sewerage works to be carried on under this Act, and incident to this Act, as well as to provide for the payment of the principal by a sinking fund or otherwise, the said Commissioners are hereby empowered to order and direct a yearly assessment on that part of the City of Saint John lying on the Eastern side of the Harbour and the inhabitants thereof, of a sum or sums of money in addition to any sums provided for under the said recited Act twenty eighth Victoria, Chapter twenty eight, and in addition to the sum of forty thousand dollars provided for under the Act thirty third Victoria, Chapter eighty five, and in addition to the sum of fifty thousand dollars provided for under the Act thirty sixth Victoria, Chapter seventy three, not exceeding the sum of sixteen thousand dollars in any one year, besides the costs of assessing and collecting, as shall be necessary therefor; the same to be assessed, levied and collected under the provisions and according to the principles of "The Saint John City Assessment Act of 1859," and the several Acts in force in amendment thereof, or according to the provisions of any Act for that purpose hereafter to be passed in relation to the levying and collecting of Rates and Taxes in the City of Saint John; which sums shall from time to time, as collected, be paid over by the Collector and Receiver of Taxes for the said City to the said Commissioners of Sewerage and Water Supply.

6. The moneys raised under this Act by the sale of Sewerage Debentures as aforesaid, shall be appropriated to the making, laying down and repairing of sewers and opening natural water courses, and to provide for surface drainage from the public streets in that part of the City of Saint John lying on the Eastern side of the Harbour.

7. Notwithstanding anything contained in the fifth Section of the Act passed in the twenty eighth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to amend the Law relating to Sewerage in the City of Saint John on the Eastern side of the Harbour*, the fee and sum of money to be paid by any person to whom permission in writing may, by the Chairman of the Commissioners, be granted under the said Act to enter any sewer, shall not be less than the sum of five dollars.

8. All Acts heretofore made and passed relating to Sewerage and Water Supply for that part of the City of Saint John lying on the Eastern side of the Harbour shall with this Act be construed together as one Act as nearly as possible, except when such construction would lead to contradiction; and the remedy for any damage done or loss in any way arising by reason of the prosecution of the works required to be done or carried on by the said Commissioners under this Act, or under any previous Act relating to the Sewerage and Water Supply of the said part of the City of Saint John or Town of Portland aforesaid, is hereby declared to be and shall be according to the provisions of the fifteenth Section of the Act of Assembly, eighteenth Victoria, Chapter thirty eight, and not otherwise.

## CAP. XLII.

An Act to empower the Municipality of Victoria County to control certain Common Lands at Grand Falls in said County.

Sec.

- 1 What lands shall be vested in the Municipality.
- 2 Municipality authorized to take control of certain lands.

Sec.

- 3 Municipality may lease lands; proviso.

Passed 10th April, 1875.

WHEREAS certain Lands situate in Grand Falls, Victoria County, were formerly reserved as a Common for the benefit of the inhabitants generally; and whereas there has been no person or Corporation to take charge and hold the said lands in trust for the purpose aforesaid; and whereas certain parties have settled and built upon the said Common;—

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

1. That all those lands situate in the Town Plot of Grand Falls, in the Parish of Grand Falls, in the County of Victoria, and lying between the westerly bank of the River Saint John and the Grand Falls Town Plot, which were by order in Council under date of tenth of June, 1847, ordered to be reserved as a Common for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of Grand Falls generally, for ever, be and the same are hereby vested in the Municipality of Victoria County in trust for the inhabitants of the said Town of Grand Falls.

2. The Municipality of Victoria County are hereby authorized and required, by all lawful means to take the control of the said 'Common,' as fully as if the said 'Common' originally belonged and was owned by the said Municipality, and to settle or otherwise dispose of all trespasses and encroachments thereon; to maintain any action of ejectment, if necessary, and in all ways fulfil and carry out the purposes of the trust for the benefit of the said inhabitants; provided that no person residing on said lands or having improvements thereon, shall be ejected therefrom, without being first tendered such remuneration for their improvements as may be deemed just by a proper person appointed for that purpose by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

3. The said Municipality are hereby further authorized, if they see it advisable so to do, to lease any parts of the said 'Common' for such term of years and at such rents as they may decide upon, and to hold the money derived from such rents, and expend the same only for the benefit of the said Town of Grand Falls; provided however, that no lease be made of any lands not settled or built upon previous to the passing of this Act.

## CAP. XLIII.

An Act to confirm and perpetuate as a Corporation the Bishop of Fredericton in the Province of New Brunswick.

Sec.

- 1 Title of Corporation changed; powers of, confirmed.
- 2 Lands, &c. now vested in Bishop to be deemed vested in his successors.

Sec.

- 3 Lands willed by Sarah M. DeWolf to 'Lord Bishop of Fredericton,' to be vested in Corporation.
- 4 During vacancy in the See of Fredericton, control of property in whom vested.

Passed 10th April, 1875.

WHEREAS, by Letters Patent bearing date on or about the twenty fifth day of April, in the eighth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, it was provided and declared that the Province of New Brunswick should be a Bishop's See and Diocese in connection with the United Church of England and Ireland, to be called from thenceforth the Bishopric of Fredericton, and the Right Reverend John Medley, Doctor in Divinity, was named and appointed to be consecrated to