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CAP. III.

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

Sec.

1 Amounts, to whom granted.

Sec.

2 Amounts, how paid.

Passed 13th April 1876.

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

1. There shall be granted to 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 three thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars, to provide for certain Officers of the Legislature, and for the Legislative Library and Librarian.

A sum not exceeding seven thousand and thirty five dollars and fifty four cents, in aid of Immigration during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty dollars, to pay Fishery Bounty (Campo Bello) during the current year.

A sum not exceeding five hundred and sixty dollars, to pay the Clerk of the Crown Supreme Court, Usher and Messenger Supreme, Divorce, and Equity Courts and Chambers, during the current year.

A sum not exceeding nine thousand dollars, to provide 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 three thousand dollars, to provide for Sewerage and Government Inspections during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one thousand five hundred dollars, in aid of the Saint John Public Hospital during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, in aid of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum, Halifax, during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, in aid of the Deaf and Dumb School, Saint John, during the current year.

A sum not exceeding two thousand dollars, to provide for the development and encouragement of Mining during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars, to provide for Judges' Chambers, Saint John, during the current year.

A sum not exceeding one thousand one hundred and twenty dollars, to pay for Reporting the Debates of the House during the present Session.

A sum not exceeding three thousand dollars, to defray certain expenses in connection with Centennial Exhibition.

A sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, to provide aid to the Manufacturers' and Mechanics' Association, in connection with Exhibition.

A sum not exceeding three thousand dollars, to provide for Unforeseen Expenses during the current year.

A sum not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars, in aid of the erection of Public Buildings in the County of Madawaska.

2. The several sums of money aforesaid shall be paid by Warrant or Cheque, out of public moneys now or hereafter in the Receiver General's hands.

CAP. IV.

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

Sec.

1 Amounts granted.

2 By whom and how expended and accounted for.

3 Moneys expended by Municipal Commissioners, how accounted for.

4 Moneys, how paid.

5 Compensation to Commissioners.

Sec.

6 Moneys, when to be expended; proviso.

7 On what roads expended.

8 Commissioners to give bonds.

9 If Commissioner be a defaulter, Government may appoint.

10 Vacancy, how filled.

Passed 13th April 1876.

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 seventy six thousand seven hundred and thirty one dollars thirty seven cents, to provide for the repair 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 be conveniently 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 three or more of the public places of the neighbourhood where the work is to be done, which notices shall specify and describe the work to be performed, and also the place, day and hour where and when the same will be let by auction as aforesaid; and it shall further be the duty of such Commissioners respectively to attend personally at the time and place so appointed, and there to let out to the lowest bidder such allotment or allotments, and at the same time to enter into written contracts for the faithful performance of the work in the time and manner set forth in such contracts; and in case where the work required to be performed cannot be conveniently let at auction, it shall be the duty of the Commissioners to agree with fit and proper persons to perform the same by day's labour, provided that in no case shall more than one quarter part of any grant be so expended; provided nevertheless, that when it shall be made to appear to the satisfac-