

Rules and Practice of the House of Assembly.**PRIVATE BILLS.**

185. No Bill of a private nature shall be received by this House after the twentieth day from the opening of the Session, both inclusive, and that the Clerk of this House do cause this Rule to be published in the Royal Gazette weekly during each recess of the Legislature; and this Rule shall not be suspended except in the same manner as a Joint Rule of this House and the Legislative Council is suspended.

186. (*Joint Rule*)—No Bill of a private nature, or Bill for making any amendments of a like nature to any former Act, shall be received by the House, unless a notice specifying the several objects desired to be attained, has been published four successive weeks previous to the meeting of the Legislature or to the introduction of the Bill, in some one of the Newspapers published in the City or County interested in or to be affected by the measure, or in the locality where the parties affected or the majority of them reside.

187. When no Newspaper is published in either of such localities, then in some Newspaper published in the nearest adjoining County; and when no Newspaper is published therein, then in the Royal Gazette.

188. When the City or County interested in the measure, or the locality in which the parties affected reside, is largely composed of a French population, then such notice shall also be published in a French Newspaper, if any be published in the Province.

189. In any County where no Newspaper may be published, the Bill, in lieu of other local notice or publication, may be read at the Assizes, in the presence of the Grand Jury, or before the Council of an Incorporated Town, or before the Municipal Council of the County, interested in or affected by the Bill; and a certificate of such reading shall be endorsed upon or attach to the said Bill, by the Clerk of the Court, or the Town Clerk, or the Secretary-Treasurer, as the case may be, verified by the Seal, if any, of and in case of the Town Council or Municipal Council, as the case may be; and (*Joint Rule*) separate Petitions must be presented to each Branch of the Legislature, setting forth in detail the object of the measure and the reasons that may be urged for its adoption.

190. (*Joint Rule*)—It shall be the duty of all parties seeking the interference of the Legislature in any Private Bill, to file with the Clerk of each House the evidence of their having complied with the Rules and Standing Orders thereof.

191. In default of such proof, or evidence, being so furnished, it shall be the duty of the Clerk to report to Mr. Speaker or the House, that the Rules and Standing Orders have not been complied with, and to endorse the same upon the Bill.

No Private or Local Bill shall be considered in Committee of the whole House, unless the same shall be printed, and a sufficient number of copies thereof provided for the use of the Members; this Rule only to apply to Bills which exceed five hundred words in length.—*Journal 1883, page 143.*

HENRY B. RAINSFORD, *Clerk Assembly.*

Joint Rules of Council and Assembly.

1. That no Bill of a private or local nature, or Bill for making any amendments of a like nature to any former Act, shall be received by the House, unless a notice specifying the several objects desired to be attained, has been published four successive weeks, previous to the meeting of the Legislature or to the introduction of the Bill, in some one of the Newspapers published in the City or County interested in the measure, or in the locality where the parties affected reside; and when no Newspaper is published in either of such localities, then in some Newspaper published in the nearest adjoining County, or in the Royal Gazette; provided that when the City or County interested in the measure, or where the locality in which the parties affected reside, is largely composed of a French population, then such notice shall also be published in a French Newspaper, if any be published in the Province; and provided also, that in any County where no Newspaper may be published, that such Bill, in lieu of other local notice or publication, may be read at the Assizes, or at some General Sessions of the County, or City and County interested in such Bill, in the presence of the Grand Jury, or in Incorporated Counties before the County Council, and a certificate be endorsed thereon by the Clerk of the Court or the Secretary-Treasurer, as the case may be, that the same has been so read.

2. That separate Petitions be presented to each Branch of the Legislature, setting forth in detail the object of the measure, and the reasons that may be urged for its adoption.

3. No Bill of a private nature shall be received unless it shall be certified by the Receiver General that there has been paid into his hands, towards the printing and other contingent expenses of the House, the sum of *Thirty Dollars*, except in case of a Bill in amendment of or in addition to an Act, when there shall be paid the sum of *Twenty Dollars*, provided that where a Bill, in respect of which such payment may be made, does not pass the Legislature, it may be introduced without further payment at the next Session; and provided that this Rule shall not extend to "Local Acts."

4. It shall be the duty of all parties seeking the interference

of the Legislature in any Private or Local Bill, to file with the Clerk of each House the evidence of their having complied with the Rules and Standing Orders thereof; and in default of such proof being so furnished, it shall be the duty of the Clerk to report that the Rules and Standing Orders have not been complied with, and to endorse the same upon the Bill.

GEO. BOTSFORD, *Clerk Leg. Council.*

HENRY B. RAINSFORD, *Clerk Assembly.*

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

THE undermentioned non-resident Ratepayers of the Parish of Ludlow, County of Northumberland, are hereby notified to pay their Poor and County Rates, as set opposite their respective names, together with the cost of advertising, (28 cents each), to the undersigned at Ludlow, within two months from this date, otherwise legal proceedings will be taken to recover the same.

	1887.	1888.	1889.	Total.
Bruce, John	..	\$0 50	\$0 60	\$1 10
Brown, George F.	..	1 95	1 80	3 75
Brown, Harvey	\$0 78	0 66	0 60	2 04
Davidson, Moses	..	0 66	0 60	1 26
Fairley, James D.	1 95	..	0 90	2 85
Fairley, John	0 30	0 30
Harris, Abram	..	0 33	0 30	0 63
Lynch, Daniel	0 30	0 30
Lynch, John	0 30	0 30
M'Leod, Daniel	..	0 66	0 90	1 56
Price, Nelson	0 30	0 30
Temple, Thomas	..	1 48	1 50	2 98

JOHN S. POND,
Collecting J. P.

Ludlow, Dec. 27, 1889.

THE SUPREME COURT IN EQUITY.

Between Mary Hanlin, Administratrix of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits which were of Samuel Hanlin, deceased, at the time of his death, who died intestate, Plaintiff; and

Samuel Hanlin and Mary Ann Hanlin his wife, Mary Hanlin George S. Hanlin, Joseph Hanlin and Miranda Hanlin his wife, Robert A. Hanlin and Phoebe R. Hanlin his wife, Samuel Hanlin, Junior, James Robertson and Elizabeth Robertson his wife, Sproul Connors and Margaret Connors his wife, Mary Jane Hanlin, John Reed and Ada Reed his wife, Robert Milton M'Afee, William Thomas M'Afee, John M'Afee, James M'Keown and Jane M'Keown his wife, John G. Hodgkin and Matilda Hodgkin his wife, Ann Campbell, James Campbell and Elizabeth Campbell his wife, and Robert M. Bockus, Defendants.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear by Affidavit, to the satisfaction of me, the undersigned, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court, that Mary Jane Hanlin, Samuel Hanlin, Junior, Robert Milton M'Afee, William Thomas M'Afee, and John M'Afee, five of the above defendants, do not reside within the Province, so that they cannot be served with a Summons, and that their place of residence is unknown to the Plaintiff, and that the above Plaintiff has good *prima facie* grounds for filing a Bill against the above Defendants: I do therefore hereby order that the said Defendants, Mary Jane Hanlin, Samuel Hanlin, Junior, Robert Milton M'Afee, William Thomas M'Afee and John M'Afee, on or before the third day of April next, do enter an appearance in this suit (if they intend to defend the same), wherein a Bill will be filed against them and the other above named Defendants by the above named plaintiff for the foreclosure and sale of the mortgaged premises mentioned and described in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty four, and made between the said Defendant, Samuel Hanlin of the one part, and Samuel Hanlin since deceased of the other part, default having been made in the payment of principal money and interest secured thereby, and unless such appearance is so entered, the Bill may be taken *pro confesso*, and a Decree made.

All the above named Defendants with the exception of the said Defendant, Robert M. Bockus, are made parties to this suit by reason of their being heirs of the said Samuel Hanlin, deceased, the said Defendants, Samuel Hanlin and Mary Ann Hanlin his wife, as well as being Mortgagors; and the said Defendant, Robert M. Bockus is made a party to this suit by reason of his being Trustee of all the Estate and effects of said Defendant, Samuel Hanlin, for the benefit of the Creditors of said Samuel Hanlin.

Dated the seventeenth day of December, A. D. 1889.

W. H. TUCK, *J. S. C.*

R. LeB. TWEEDIE, Plaintiff's Sol.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an application will be made by the New Brunswick Railway Company to the Parliament of Canada at the ensuing Session, for an Act to authorize the said Company to consolidate its indebtedness and to issue Consolidated Debenture Stock for that purpose, and for the general purposes of the Company.

Dated the seventh day of December, A. D. 1889.

WELDON & M'LEAN,
Solicitors for Applicants.