

Cap. 77—Enacts that the CITY COUNCIL of ST. JOHN shall assess, from the ratepayers on the east side of the harbour, £155 8s., to be paid to Rebecca Cudlip for land taken to widen St. John or Water street.

Cap. 78—Continues and makes perpetual an Act for maintaining a POLICE FORCE in the PARISH OF PORTLAND (St. John,) and several Acts amending it.

Cap. 79—Incorporates as the ST. JOHN TEMPERANCE TEMPLE CO. W. H. A. Reaves, C. A. Everitt, W. W. Dudley, O. D. Wetmore, J. Rankin, J. A. Harding, A. A. Stockton, A. T. Bustin, J. Marsh, J. W. Roop, J. Crawford, L. Alward, J. S. Turner, T. A. King, R. F. Babbitt, with power to hold real estate in St. John necessary for their purposes. Capital \$15,000 in shares of \$25, with power of increase to \$30,000.

Cap. 80—Incorporates as the VICTORIA HOTEL CO. of ST. JOHN, F. W. Daniel, J. McGee, F. T. C. Burpee, J. Jones, T. Ryan, R. G. Lunt, O. Small, C. A. Robertson, A. C. Smith, H. D. Troup, J. R. Buel, and W. Bayard, M.D., with power to hold such real estate in St. John as they may require. Capital \$160,000, in shares of \$100. The Co. to be organized when 250 shares are subscribed.

Cap. 81—Incorporates as the MILLIDGEVILLE STEAM FERRY CO., T. E. Millidge, J. G. Tobin, T. B. Allan, T. McColgan, S. Rivers, T. Johnson, A. B. Holder, J. Curry and J. Wetmore, with power to establish and maintain a steam ferry from Millidgeville to Meeting-House, Point Milkish, King's. Capital \$6,000, in shares of \$20; 25 p. c. to be paid up on or before the first meeting. The rates of ferriage to be fixed by the directors, subject to the approval of the Sessions for King's and St. John. The ferry to be established within 3 yrs. or the charter is forfeited.

Cap. 82—Authorizes the CORPORATION OF ST. JOHN to assess the city on the eastern side of the harbour, for the necessary amount to pay the judgment recovered by MARY ANNE GREEN, for damages sustained in crossing the ferry in the harbour.

Cap. 83—Incorporates the HOUSE FOR AGED FEMALES IN ST. JOHN, B. Robinson, W. McKay, J. Boyd, J. W. Nicholson, J. V. Troup, W. Bayard, T. W. Daniel, J. V. Thuger, G. Thomas and H. W. Frith, to be the first incorporators, with power to receive bequests, gifts, &c., to the value of \$4,000.

Cap. 84—Incorporates as the ST. JOHN ACADEMY OF MUSIC CO., G. E. Heaton, J. W. Nicholson, J. V. Thuxgar, G. R. Pugsley, G. Carvill, E. D. Jewett, G. J. Chubb, H. D. Troup, J. Reed, T. W. Carritt, J. S. Steeves, F. P. Robinson, T. R. Jones, T. B. Buxton, A. Young, D. J. McLaughlin, G. T. Smith and J. H. Crawford. Capital \$50,000, in shares of \$200. The co. to be organized when the whole stock is subscribed.

Cap. 85—Amends the laws relating to SEWERAGE AND WATER SUPPLY OF ST. JOHN AND PORTLAND, authorizing the comrs. to issue additional sewerage debentures to the extent of \$4,000, and to levy an assessment not to exceed \$3,000 per an. on the inhabitants of the eastern side of the harbour, the amount to be expended upon sewerage of that part of the city. The remuneration to the "other comrs." under the 18 V., not to exceed \$300 per an.

Cap. 86—Amends the act authorizing the ST. JOHN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY to establish a market for the sale of cattle, &c., empowering them to sell hay as well.

Cap. 87—Authorizes the corporation of ST. JOHN, to raise money to pay for the PETTINGELL PROPERTY, not exceeding \$24,000, and to issue debentures therefor, payable in 20 yrs.; and to levy the amount necessary to pay the same on the property on the eastern side of the harbour.

Cap. 88—Authorizes the corporation of ST. JOHN, to borrow \$60,000 to improve the FERRY in the HARBOUR, and issue 20 yrs. debentures therefor, for sums not less than \$400 each, and to assess the property of the eastern side of the harbour therefor.

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

Session opened 1st February, 1870—Prorogued 18th April, 1870.

MINES AND MINERALS.

Cap. 1—Amends 32 V., c. 1. The comr. of public works and mines is, in all cases, substituted for the chief comr. or comr. of mines. Whenever a coal mine is become forfeited it shall not be re-let or re-granted except upon terms to be fixed by the L. G. in C. When notices are to be posted on the premises, and they are covered by water, they may be posted on the land as near as may be. Any person may use the coal on his own land for domestic purposes, but may not sell the same.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

Cap. 2—Authorizes the appointment of 2 puisne judges, making the bench of the Supreme Court to consist of chief justice, a judge in equity, and five puisne judges. Five judges may sit in place of the whole court, and hear arguments in term or vacation. One of the judges