

powers respecting roads, bridges, &c. S. a rate labour tax to be at the rate of 40 cents per day.

Cap. 71—Declares that in any suit, &c., in which the Mayor, Aldermen and commonalty of ST. JOHN are a party, no judge of the Supreme Court shall be deemed disqualified from hearing the same by reason of being—1. A freeman or inhabitant of St. John or a freeholder therein. 2. A holder in his own right or as trustee of any bond, debenture or security for the payment of money issued by said City Corporation; 3. A rate-payer on property real or personal, or on income in the said city; 4. A holder of any property, real or personal, which might be taxed or rated to meet any damages, costs or charges to which the said corporation might be subjected or put.

Cap. 72—Repeals the Act 35 V., intitled, *An Act to amend the law to regulate the storage of Petroleum and Burning Fluid within the limits of St. John and Portland*, declares the storage of a larger quantity of crude or refined petroleum, earth or rock oil, benzole, benzine, naphtha, kerosene, coal oil or burning fluid than 10 brls. in the aggregate within the limits of St. John or Portland—illegal, unless the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department shall give written certificate of the suitability of storage place, under the penalty set forth in 31 V., c. 33, s. 3. This to remain in force until the erection of a building mentioned in chap. 33 and no longer.

Cap. 73—Authorizes the Comrs. of sewerage and water supply of ST. JOHN and parish of PORTLAND to issue 40 yrs. debentures for \$50,000. Interest, &c., to be paid by an assessment in St. John on the eastern side of the Harbour, for \$1,000 or less. The salary of the chairman of the Comrs. is to be \$2,000 or less.

Cap. 74—The trustees of School District No. 1, in the parish of ST. ANDREWS, Charlotte County, may sell a certain lot of land in the town flats, conveyed in 1867 to the J. P. of Charlotte County in trust for the site of a School, and to apply the proceeds according to resolutions passed at the annual school meeting held on January 9, 1873.

Cap. 75—Erects that part of the PARISH of ST. STEPHEN, Charlotte Co., commencing at a point in the centre of the channel of the St. Croix River, opposite the mouth of Porter's Mill Stream, down stream around Oak Point Bay, up the channel thereof, and of Pagau's Cove to the Parish line between St. David and St. Stephen; thence north easterly along said line to Bay Road; thence westerly to Porter's Mill Stream; thence to the place of beginning, into the Parish of DUFFERIN. But this shall not interfere with recovery of any assessment previously made, or fines due or the discharge of the duties of any officer until the expiration of his term of office.

Cap. 76—Alters the division line between the Parishes of HAMPTON and ROTHSAY, Kings Co., repeals 33 V., c. 56, s. 2. Appointments of officers before the passing of this Act declared valid.

Cap. 77—Authorizes the Rector, Wardens, and Vestry of TRINITY CHURCH, SUSSEX, to set apart one acre of the glebe land con-

veyed by deed by the Hon. George Leonard, August 14, 1793, for the site of a new church and yard, to erect a church to be used as the Parish Church; also to hold as a glebe or dispose of and hold the proceeds of land conveyed to them by the late Thomas Ansley, July 19, 1794, and apply the annual income to the use of the Incumbent.

Cap. 78—Authorizes the R. C. BISHOP of ST. JOHN, or his successors to convey certain lands given to the said R. C. Bishop by the Revd. F. X. Lafrance, July 2, 1863, to the COLLEGE of ST. JOSEPH, and their successors.

Cap. 79—Authorizes the L. G. in C. to appoint 3 Comrs. to determine the amount to be paid the owners of the LAKE DISTRICT to Agnew Fingley, jr., T. W. Kenney, M. Kelves, E. Stevens, J. Bishop, for making and maintaining the canal from German Town Lake to Shepody River, and dyking the marsh, since April 26, 1861, under the authority of 22 V., c. 53, and the amendment thereto, for land damages, commission and expenses, and for fees and expenses of assessment therefor; but not including the expenses of resisting the application to set it aside. When this is ascertained the comrs. may order an assessment upon the owners of the land in the District according to 22 V., c. 53, and 23 V., c. 14. All persons to be relieved who have paid their assessment under that set aside for all amounts due to December 14, 1866. Comrs. charges not to exceed \$6 per day.

Cap. 80—Authorizes the Trustees of ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BATHURST, Gloucester County, to dispose of lands granted by the Crown in trust for said church by Letters Patent of July 6, 1840, at public auction, giving 30 days notice of sale. The money obtained to be applied by the Trustees for the purchase of other lands for the use of said church. This Act shall not affect private rights.

Cap. 81—Amends 19 V., c. 32—When the Council of the Town of WOODSROCK shall order an assessment, the rates are to be levied by a poll tax of not less than \$1 25cts. on every male inhabitant above 21 years, the remainder on real estate within the Town, personal estate of residents and real and personal estate situate within the Town, of non residents, upon the annual income (of over \$300) of residents upon stock of Joint Stock Companies or corporations: provided that no sum larger than \$3,000 in 1 year be collected, over and above such sums as may be necessary for the relief of the poor, the support of fire department, salaries, lighting the Town, making and repairing the roads and support of the police. The Council may give encouragement to manufacturing enterprises within the Town by exemption from taxation for a term not exceeding 10 years. They may borrow \$2,000 and issue debentures. Lands on which the taxes are not paid after due notice and advertisement are to be sold by the Town Marshall. Any person over taxed may appeal by petition under oath made before a J. P. to the assessors within 10 days of assessment, who shall consider and reduce the same as they consider right.

Cap. 82—Calls a meeting of the Corporation of the SYNOD of the PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of NEW BRUNSWICK in connexion