

dell, A Walker, W Workman and T Workman. Capital \$1,000,000 in shares of \$100 with power to increase as soon as stock is paid in. Head Office, Montreal.

Chap. 54—Incorporates as the MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE. D. L. McDougall, E. Ford, F. Bond, G. W. Simpson, H. S. MacDougall, G. C. MacDougall, F. L'E Hart, C. G. Geddes, J. D. Crawford, H. S. Strathy, H. G. Strathy, H. A. Budden, J. Fry Davies, W. R. Oswald, H. A. Scott, J. Burnett, and others to establish and regulate a stock exchange, to publish statistics of business and regulate transactions by by-laws not contrary to law. May hold real estate to the value of \$500,000. Committee of Management, D. L. MacDougall, F. Bond and Elliott.

Chap. 55—Incorporates as the "OTTAWA IRON and STEEL MANUFACTURING CO., (Limited) E. Haycock, Hon J. Skead, J. M. Currier, E. McGillivray, R. S. Cassels, H. V. Noel, S. H. Haycock. May hold lands and

buildings &c, necessary for mining purposes, steam-boats, wharves, &c., and construct railroads to the navigable waters of the Gatineau River or to connect with others lines of railway. Capital \$500,000 in shares of \$5.00 with power to increase to \$1,000,000. The above mentioned persons to be provisional directors.

Chap. 56—Authorizes the GRAPHIC Co. to increase their capital by the issue of \$1,500 preferential shares of \$100.

Chap. 57—Authorizes the MONTREAL WAREHOUSING Co. to possess real estate to the annual value of \$200,000. To obtain advances to the extent of \$1,000,000.

Chap. 58—Authorizes the Provincial Board of Notaries to admit after examination, ALPHONSE GUY as a notary.

Chap. 59—Authorizes the Provincial Board of Notaries to admit after examination EDWARD BEGIN as a notary.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

(Legislature opened 12th January, and prorogued 8th April, 1874.)

MOOSE.

Chap. 1—Provides for the seizure and sale of any moose killed contrary to the provisions of the Acts passed on the subject: this Act not to interfere with any penalty contained in said Acts.

ELECTIONS—KING'S CO.

Chap. 2—Repeals an Act in amendment of an Act to regulate the election of members to serve in the General Assembly, of 32nd V., and provides for the voting in Rothesay of any non-residents who are entitled to vote in King's Co.

Chap. 3—Amends the law relating to the making of highways and duties of Commissioners, in the parishes of Lancaster, S.monds, and St. Martins, in the city and county of St. John.

Chap. 4—Consolidates the laws relating to the levying, &c., of taxes in the city of Fredericton.

Chap. 5—Grants \$73,869.00 for the public services of the year. Of which \$2,200 is for immigration; \$9,600 for public printing and advertising; \$11,000 for contingencies, &c., of Legislature and public offices; \$2,259 for reporting debates, and \$2,650 for charitable institutions.

Chap. 6—Grants \$215,000 for construction and repairs of roads and bridges.

Chap. 7—Makes provision for the issue and execution of writs of attachment against the property of non-residents, or when plaintiff swears he has ground to fear that without such attachment he may lose his claim—and stating grounds therefor. It also abolishes imprisonment for debt, except in cases of default of payment of

penalty or a sum in the nature of a penalty, other than one in respect of a contract, of payment of any sum recoverable on a summary conviction, of payment of local rates or taxes, of payment by an attorney or solicitor in obedience to order of a court, of payment by a trustee or person acting in a fiduciary capacity, when ordered by Court of Equity, or in special cases provided for by the Act. But in case it is proved that any person, after an order or judgment of a court, condemning him to pay money, has or has had, since such judgment or order, money wherewith to pay, and has refused or neglected to do so, or obtained money or credit under false pretences, by fraud, or has put property out of his hands to defraud his creditor, thus prejudicing the chance of recovery, or is about to leave the Province, and would thus diminish plaintiff's chances of recovery, he may be imprisoned for six weeks or until payment. No arrest shall be made on mesne process unless upon oath that defendant is about to leave the Province, &c.

GRANTS IN AID OF RAILWAYS.

Chap. 8—Provides that Provincial aid towards the construction of the railways mentioned below, may be given at the rate of \$5,000 per mile, the companies having made such agreements and given such securities for their completion, &c., as the L. G. in C. may direct, and shown that they possess sufficient capital. As soon as they have bona fide expended \$50,000, the L. G. in C. shall pay said company \$20,000, and so on pro rata until the completion of the line, &c. Enables the L. G. in C. to issue debentures, sell or grant portions of crown lands, &c., for the purposes of Act. Contracts must be entered into within 5 yrs., and work begun within 6 yrs. Grants to be made for a line from St. John to the