

N. B. and C. Railroad, over the line surveyed by Goodwin, C. E., for the E. and N. A. Railroad with a branch to St. Stephen; to one from Fredericton or St. Mary's, through York and Northumberland to the Intercolonial in the parish of Nelson or of Derby; one from Fredericton or St. Mary's to the head of Grand Lake, and thence to the E. & N. A., between Norton and Petitcodiac, and from Grand Lake to the Intercolonial in Weldford; one from Waasis station on the Fredericton branch to the mouth of the Oromocto, or to the St. John, near Sunbury Court-house; one from Gagetown to the E. & N. A. (westward) at Weldford Station; one from St. Martin's on the Bay of Fundy through the parishes of Upham and Hampton to the E. & N. A. between Pessekeag and Hampton Station; one from Cape Tormentine in Westmoreland to the Intercolonial at a point west of Missiguash Bay; one from the Petitcodiac Station of the E. & N. A. to Elgin Corner in Albert; one from Richibucto to the Intercolonial in Weldford; one from Caraque to the Intercolonial in the parish of Bathurst; one from Dalhousie to the Intercolonial in the parish of Dalhousie, Restigouche; one from Tobique to the mouth of the Aroostook to the American boundary; and one from the Salisbury station of the E. & N. A. to the Intercolonial near Berry's mills. \$10,000 bonus is also to be given for a railway bridge across the Meduxnakik, to connect the terminus of the N. B. & C. Railroad, and that of the N. B. Railway at Woodslock on the west bank of the St. John.

LAW PROCEDURE.

Chap. 9.—Authorizes the judges of the Supreme Court to hold Circuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery for 1874 at the times appointed by law before 36 V., c. 31 was passed, and in case at any time hereafter any trial is going on on 20th August, to proceed therewith or adjourn said trial to October 1st or any subsequent day. Legalizes the table of fees framed by the Council of the Barristers' Society, and filed in Provincial Secretary's office, February 21st. Repeals sec. 211 of the Common Law Procedure Act, 1873, respecting fees.

PROCEDURE IN EQUITY,

Chap. 10.—Enacts that no bill, &c. shall be filed, served, &c. between August 20th and October 1st. Entitles the parties in any cause to the same number of days as if this Act had not been passed. Nothing contained therein to prevent parties moving for injunction or for dissolving the same within said dates.

COUNTY COURTS.

Chap. 11.—Enables the judge of any County Court designated by the judge of County Court in which the case is brought to grant summons, &c. at his chambers or any other place in the county of which he is judge, except in cases where the venue is changed, and constitutes the judge of the County Court for Charlotte, Carleton, and Victoria—judge for Matawaska also.

RATES AND TAXES.

Chap. 12.—Exempts any person taxed in any other parish, wherein he carries on

business, from taxation on any property taxed by the Parish wherein he actually resides, upon producing evidence of such assessment. Not to affect taxes upon unimproved granted lands. No person shall be taxed on any pension as Chelsea or Greenwich hospital pensioner.

INDEPENDENCE OF ASSEMBLY.

Chap. 13.—Disqualifies any person holding office under the Dominion Government for candidature for the House of Assembly, or sitting therein; but this not to apply to Militia Officers, if not otherwise disqualified.

SALE OF CHATTELS.

Chap. 14.—Orders that a copy of every Bill of Sale of personal chattels with power to take possession, and any defeasance to which it is subject, with affidavit of original sale be filed with the Registrar of Deeds and Wills of the Co. or district where sale is made; and that such bill as against subsequent purchasers who have obeyed Act, shall only take effect from time of filing. Discharged only by registry of certificate of holder of said bill. Act to come in force October 1st, 1874.

SECURITY OF OFFICERS.

Chap. 15.—Enables the G in C to accept the Bond or Policy of any Insurance or Guarantee Co. from any public officer required to give security to the Crown.

BAR LIBRARY.

Chap. 16.—Increases the sum to be paid by every Attorney of the Supreme Court, for the purpose of maintaining the Law Library, to \$5, and until called to the bar three dollars.

AGRICULTURE.

Chap. 17.—Extends Act 6th Vict. intitled "An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture, and to provide for the establishment of a Provincial Board, and every Act in amendment thereto, for 1 yr.

COLLECTORS OF RATES.

Chap. 18.—Orders the collectors of rates or their deputies in each parish to attend on the day of the annual election of Councillors with the list of ratepayers, and receive payment of rates, under a penalty of \$50 for each offence. Provides for the appointment and payment of such deputies.

SCHOOLS.

Chap. 19.—Enacts that where a Parish contains an incorporate town not co-extensive with said parish, the town and such parish outside the limits of said town shall be deemed separate parishes for the purpose of district assessment under Common School Act, 1871, and Common Schools Amendment Act, 1873. Authorizes the Board of Trustees of District No 2, Parish of Lancaster, City and Co. of St John, to issue 6 p. c. debentures to the amount of \$3,000 redeemable in from 10 to 45 yrs., to be applied to the purchase or building of schools, &c. Extends the provisions of Rev. Stat c. 56 ss. 1 and 2 to the school trustees and their secretary, and substitutes the words "Common Schools Act, 1871, or any Act in amendment thereof or in addition thereto"