

Provided, nevertheless,—

And be it further enacted,

[SECT. 2.] That the said district shall pay their proportion of all town, county and province taxes already set [t], or granted to be raised, on the town of Rutland and Lancaster, as if this act had not been made.

Proviso.

And be it further enacted,

[SECT. 3.] That William Richardson, Esq., be and hereby is empowered to issue his warrant to some principal inhabitant of said district, requiring him to notify and warn the inhabitants of said district, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet, at such time and place as shall be therein set forth, to chuse all such officers as shall be necessary to manage the affairs of said district. [*Passed October 20.*]

William Richardson, Esq., empowered to issue his warrant for assembling the inhabitants.

CHAPTER 7.

AN ACT FOR INCORPORATING THE INHABITANTS OF A TRACT OF LAND CALLED NEGUASSET, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, INTO A DISTRICT BY THE NAME OF WOOLWICH.

WHEREAS the inhabitants of a tract of land called Neguasset, in the county of York, have represented to this court the great difficulties and inconvenienc[*i*]es they labour under in their present situation, and have earnestly requested that they may be incorporated into a district,—

Preamble.

Be it therefore enacted by the Governour, Council and House of Representatives,

[SECT. 1.] That the whole of that tract of land in the county of York, called Neguasset, bounded as follows; viz^[d], beginning at Towessick Gut, at the head of Arowsick Island, or Georgetown, so called, and running northerly on Sagadahock, or Kennebeck, River, to a certain pine-tree marked, which is the first marked tree in the boundary line between the proprietors of said land and the Plymouth Company; from thence, easterly on said line, to Mountsweeg River, as the line is now established; and from thence, southerly, down said river and Mountsweeg Bay, including an island called Oak Island; and from thence, again southerly, round a point of land call[*e*] [']d Phipps's Point; and from thence, westerly, to a point called Hawkomoka Point; and from thence, northerly, running through Hellsgate, so called, into Towessick, or Neguasset, Bay, to the bounds first mentioned; be and hereby is incorporated into a district by the name of Woolwich: and that the inhabitants thereof do the duties that are required, and be invested with all the powers, priviledges and immunities which the inhabitants of any town within this province do or by law ought to enjoy, excepting only the priviledge of chusing a representative to represent them in the general assembly; and that the inhabitants of said district shall have full power and right, from time to time, to join with the town of Georgetown, in the choice of a representative or representatives, in which choice they shall enjoy all the priviledges which the inhabitants of the several towns within this province are intitl'd to.

Neguasset lands erected into a district.

Bounds thereof.

Priviledges, &c., granted said district.

Provided, nevertheless,—

And be it further enacted,

[SECT. 2.] That the said district shall pay their proportion of all town, county and province taxes already set on, or granted to be raised by, said town of Georgetown, as if this act had not been made.

Proviso.

And be it further enacted,

Samuel Denny,
Esq., empow-
ered to issue his
warrant for
assembling the
inhabitants.

[SECT. 3.] That Samuel Denny, Esq^[r], be and hereby is impow-
ered to issue his warrant, directed to some principal inhabitant in said
district, requiring him to notify and warn the inhabitants of said dis-
trict, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet, at such time
and place as shall be therein set forth, to chuse all such officers as
shall be necessary to manage the affairs of said district. [*Passed*
October 20.]

CHAPTER 8.

AN ACT FOR SUPPLYING THE TREASURY WITH THE SUM OF ONE
HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOUR THOUSAND AND FIVE HUNDRED
POUNDS, TO BE THENCE ISSUED FOR DISCHARGING THE PUBLICK
DEBTS, AND DRAWING THE SAME INTO THE TREASURY AGAIN.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the provision already made for defreying the expences of
the Canada expedition is found insufficient, and no provision made by
the general court for discharging the debts of the ensuing year,—

*Be it enacted by the Governour, Council and House of Representa-
tives,*

Treasurer em-
powered to bor-
row £144,500.

[SECT. 1.] That the treasurer of the province be and he hereby is
impowered and directed to borrow, from such person or persons as shall
be willing to lend the same, a sum not exceeding one hundred and
forty-four thousand and five hundred pounds, in mill'd dollars at six
shillings each, or in other coin'd silver at six shillings and eightpence
per ounce; and the sum so borrowed shall be applied in manner as in
this act is hereafter directed: and for the sum of sixty thousand pounds,
being part of the aforesaid sum of one hundred and forty-four thou-
sand and five hundred pounds, the treasurer shall give his receipt or
obligation in the form following:—

Form of treas-
urer's receipt.

Province of the Massachusetts Bay, the _____ day of
Received of _____ the sum of _____, for the use and ser-
vice of the province of the Massachusetts Bay, and, in behalf of said prov-
ince, I do promise and oblige myself and successors in the office of treasur-
er to repay the said _____ or order, the twentieth day of June, one thou-
sand seven hundred and sixty-one, the aforesaid sum of _____, in coined
silver at six shillings and eightpence per ounce, or Spanish mill'd dollars
at six shillings each, with interest annually, at the rate of six per cent per
annum.

Witness my hand,

H. G. Treasurer.

£84,500 payable
June 20, 1763.

[SECT. 2.] And for the further sum of eighty-four thousand and
five hundred pounds, being the remainder of the aforesaid sum of one
hundred and forty-four thousand and five hundred pounds, the treasur-
er shall give his notes, in the form aforesaid, payable the twentieth
day of June, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-three; and no
receipt shall be given for less than six pounds.

And be it further enacted,

£112,000 for
Canada expedi-
tion.

£2,000 for
Canada expedi-
tion in 1758.

[SECT. 3.] That the aforesaid sum of one hundred and forty-four
thousand and five hundred pounds, when received into the treasury,
shall be issued out in the manner and for the purposes following; that
is to say, one hundred and twelve thousand pounds, part of the sum of
one hundred and forty-four thousand and five hundred pounds, shall be
applied for the payment of the expences in the present expedition
against Canada; and the further sum of two thousand pounds, part of
the aforesaid sum of one hundred and forty-four thousand and five