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2 William IV – Chapter 61

**An Act to appropriate the sums of money therein mentioned to the payment of certain expenses of the Civil Government during the years one thousand eight hundred and thirty and one thousand eight hundred thirty-one. (25th February, 1832.)**

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN.

Whereas it is expedient to appropriate certain sums of money for the purposes herein after mentioned; May it therefore please your Majesty that it may be enacted, and be it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Lower Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, intituled, "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign intituled, 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Québec in North, America,' and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province," and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or person administering the Government of this Province, by warrant under his hand, to take out of any unappropriated monies in the hands of the Receiver General, a sum not exceeding twenty-nine pounds, nine shillings and sixpence, sterling, to be paid to William Lampson, for having conveyed certain witnesses and prisoners from Wamontachingue to Three-Rivers [Trois-Rivières], in one thousand eight hundred and thirty. A sum not exceeding fifteen pounds five shillings and three pence sterling to be paid to Philip Burns, Head Constable at Three Rivers, for police services, being the excess of his account for the said services up to the tenth of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty, over and above the amount provided for by law – A Sum not exeeding twenty-eight pounds sixteen shillings and three-pence sterling, to be paid to William Macrae, Collector of the Customs at Saint John's, for expenses incurred in transmitting to the Receiver-General the monies by him collected in one thousand eight hundred and thirty and one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one. A sum not exceeding forty-five pounds sterling, to be paid to Dominick Daly, Provincial Secretary for expenses incurred for extra assistance in his office.—A sum not exceeding thirty-eight pounds twelve shillings and six pence sterling, to be paid to Joseph Cary, Inspector General of public accounts for extra assistance in his office.—A sum not exceeding ten pounds five shillings and two pence sterling, to be paid to Francois Vassal de Moniviel, Adjutant General of Militia, for extra assistance in his office.—A sum not exceeding seventy-three pounds ten shillings, and seven pence sterling, to be paid to John Bigneil, Post Master at Québec, for postage of letters for the office of the Adjutant General of Militia, during the quarters ending on the fifth of July, and tenth October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.—A sum not exceeding one hundred and thirty-one pounds six shillings and five pence sterling, to be paid to John

Charlton Fisher and William Kemble, being the amount of their account for printing and stationary, furnished for the office of the Adjutant General of Militia up to the tenth of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one —A sum not exceeding sixteen pounds thirteen shillings and seven pence sterling, to be paid to Lewis Gogy, Sheriff of the District of Montreal, being the balance due to him on his contingent accounts for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.—A sum not exceeding ninety-five pounds sixteen shillings and eight pence sterling, to be paid to William Green and Francois Xavier Perrault, Clerks of the Peace at Québec; being the excess of their contingent accounts for police services over and above the amount provided for by law.—A sum not exceeding nine pounds and eleven pence sterling, to be paid to Michel Landry, being the amount of his account for fees as Crier of the Court of Quarter Sessions at Québec.—A sum not exceeding one hundred pounds sterling to be paid to Matthew Jack, for services rendered in the examination and audit of the public accounts, during the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.—A sum not exceeding forty-seven pounds nine shillings and sixpence sterling to be paid to the Widow Pageot, for services rendered by her late husband under the Inspector General of the Inspector General of the King's Doman during the making of the papier terrier, it being provided that this appropriation shall not be drawn sum not exceeding one hundred pounds sterling for Circuit allowances remaining due to certain of the Judges of the Court of King's Bench for Circuits made during the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.—A sum not exceeding eighty nine pounds sixteen shillings and six pence sterling, to defray the balance of the expenses incurred for printing and other objects for the office of the Provincial Secretary from the first January to the tenth of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one. A sum not exceeding eighty pounds seventeen shillings and six pence sterling to defray the balance of the expenses incurred in the office of the Provincial Secretary from the first of January to the tenth of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.—A sum not exceeding one pound fifteen shillings and nine pence sterling, to defray the balance of the expense incurred for firewood in the office of the Civil Secretary during the same period.—A sum not exceeding ninety-three pounds fifteen shillings sterling, to defray the balance of the expenses incurred for Circuits, from the first of January to the thirtieth of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.—A sum not exceeding one hundred pounds three shillings, and nine pence sterling, to defray the balance of the expenses incurred for contingencies by the Sheriff of the District of Québec, from the eleventh of April to the tenth of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.—A sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty-nine pounds two shillings and three pence sterling to defray the balance of the expenses incurred for contingencies by the Sheriff of the District of Montreal for the same period.—A sum not exceeding one hundred and one penny sterling to defray the balance of the expenses incurred for contingencies by the Coroner for the District of Québec for the same period.—And a sum not exceeding, seventy-one pounds twelve shillings and six pence sterling, to defray the balance of the expenses incurred for contingencies by the Clerks of the Peace for the District of Three Rivers, for the same period.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that every person to whom shall be entrusted the expenditure of any portion of the monies hereby appropriated, shall make up detailed accounts of such expenditure, showing the sum advanced to the accountant, the

sum actually expended, the balance (if any,) remaining in his hands, and the amount of the monies hereby appropriated to the purpose for which such advance shall have been made, remaining unexpended in the hands of the Receiver General, and that every such account shall be supported by Vouchers therein distinctly referred to, by numbers corresponding to the numbering of the Items in such account, and shall be made up to and closed on the tenth day of April and tenth day of October in each year, during which such expenditure shall be made, and shall be attested before a Justice of the Court of King's Bench or a Justice of the Peace, and shall be transmitted, to the Officer whose duty it shall be to receive such account, within fifteen days next after the expiration of the said periods respectively.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority, aforesaid, that the due application of the monies appropriated by this Act, shall be accounted for to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury for the time being, in such manner and form as His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors shall direct, and that a detailed account of the expenditure of all such monies shall be laid before the several branches of the Provincial Legislature, within the first fifteen days of the next Session thereof.