

April and tenth day of October, 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.

Application of the Money to be accounted for to His Majesty, and a detailed account to be made to the Legislature.

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.

C A P. XIX.

An Act to establish a Public Market in the Saint Roch Suburb of the City of Quebec.

[31 March, 1831.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS divers inhabitants of the Saint Roch's Suburb, of the City of Quebec, have by petition to the Legislature, represented that they suffer great loss and inconvenience from the want of a Public Market in the said Suburb; and whereas by reason of the great and increasing population of the said Suburb, it is expedient that a Market be established therein: Be it therefore 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 Quebec, 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 the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government, may appoint three Commissioners residing within the City of Quebec, but not within the Saint Roch Suburb, and having no property or interest within the limits of the said Suburb, by whom the provisions of this Act shall be carried into execution, and may remove the said Commissioners or any of them at pleasure, and appoint others in their stead.

Governor to appoint Commissioners for the purposes of this Act.

Commissioners to select the best piece of ground for a Public Market.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the Commissioners so appointed shall immediately proceed to select to the best of their judgment and ability, the most eligible piece of ground which can be obtained as a site for a Public Market in the said Suburb, and shall ascertain the least sum of money for which the same can be purchased, and if the selection made by the said Commissioners, and the price so ascertained shall be approved by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government, the piece of ground so selected shall be the site of the Public Market to be established under the authority of this Act.

Commissioners may borrow a certain sum of Money not exceeding £2500.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said Commissioners may borrow on legal interest, for the purpose of enabling them to carry this Act into effect, any sum of money not exceeding two thousand five hundred pounds currency, and may purchase and hold for the uses herein mentioned, the piece of ground so selected and approved; and for the surety of the sum so borrowed as aforesaid, and for the legal interest thereon, the net rents and profits to be derived from the said Market and the buildings thereon erected, shall be bound and hypothecated.

After the purchase of a piece of ground to agree on a plan of the building and to contract for the work and building.

Contract to be first submitted for the approbation of the Governor.

IV. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said Commissioners shall immediately after the purchase of the piece of ground so selected, procure and agree upon the plan of all the buildings and other works they may deem necessary for the establishment of the said Market, and may contract for any such work, or for the erection of any such buildings with any person or persons willing to undertake the same. Provided always, that no such contract shall be entered into until the said plan shall have been approved by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government, nor until the Commissioners shall have given notice by advertisement in all the News-papers printed in the City of Quebec, during at least three weeks, that they are ready to receive proposals in writing for the performance of the said work.

C A P. XX.

An Act to repeal an Act passed in the forty-eighth year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter nineteen, respecting the Inland Navigation of the River Saint Lawrence, and to make other provisions concerning the said navigation.

[31st March, 1831.]

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Provisions of An Act of the Provincial Parliament of Lower-Canada, passed in the forty-eighth year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter nineteen, intituled, "An Act to provide a permanent fund for the improvement of the inland navigation of the River Saint Lawrence" have proved ineffectual";—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 Quebec, 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 the said Act passed in the forty-eighth year of the Reign of His Majesty George the Third, chapter nineteen, intituled, "An Act to provide a permanent Fund for the improvement of the inland navigation of the River Saint Lawrence," and every clause, matter, and thing therein contained, shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

Act 48, Geo. 3
Cap. 19, re-
pealed.

Monies
unexpended,
to be applied
to the im-
provement of
the Saint Law-
rence, at a
place called
Saint Annes
Rapids.

Governor to
appoint Com-
missioners for
carrying this
Act into exe-
cution.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all monies levied by virtue of the said Act and remaining unexpended, shall be applied to the improvement of the inland navigation of the River Saint Lawrence, at the upper end of the Island of Montreal, at the place called, the Sainte Anne Rapids, so as to admit of navigation by Steam-Boats at that point.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government, to appoint three fit and proper persons to be Commissioners for carrying this Act into execution, and the same or any of them from time to time to remove, and another or others in his or their place or in the place of such as shall die or resign to appoint.

IV.