

if it should not be found practicable to pay the said interest at the expiration of the year, or at the period at which the same shall become due and payable, such interest shall be paid so soon thereafter as the state of the Revenues of the said Market shall permit.

How the money is to be applied after the sum borrowed is paid off.

V. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that whenever the principal and interest of the said money shall have been paid off, any money then remaining in, and all further sums which may thereafter come into the hands of the said Justices of the Peace, by virtue of this Act, shall be considered as belonging to the City of Montreal, and shall be paid over to the Road Treasurer of the said City, and make part of the Fund appropriated by law for the improvement of the said City of Montreal.

Public Act.

VI. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts as a Public Act, and all Judges and Justices of the Peace are required to take notice thereof as such, without its being specially pleaded.

C A P. XXXVII.

AN Act to appropriate a certain sum of Money for Repairing the Castle of Saint Lewis, at Quebec, and the Government House at Montreal.

[31st. March, 1831.]

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to appropriate a certain sum of money for the purpose of repairing the Castle of Saint Lewis, in the City of Quebec, and the Government House in the City of Montreal;—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 a sum not exceeding three thousand five hundred pounds currency, to be taken out of any unappropriated monies in the hands of the Receiver General,

£3500 granted for the purposes of this Act.

General, shall be and the same is hereby placed at the disposal of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government, to enable him to defray the expence of repairing the said Castle of Saint Lewis, in the City of Quebec, and the said building commonly called the Government House, in the City of Montreal, in such manner as shall by him be deemed most expedient.

Persons hav-
ing the expen-
diture of the
money hereby
granted, to
give in their
accounts.

II. And be it further enacted, 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.

Application of
the monies to
be accounted
for to His Ma-
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tailed account
to be laid be-
fore the legis-
lature.

III. And be it further enacted, 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. XXXVIII.

AN Act for preserving, for the purposes of Husbandry, the Grass growing on Beaches, in the District of Quebec.

[31st March, 1831.]

Preamble. I

WHEREAS it is necessary to make provision for preventing the destruction of the Grass growing on the Beaches and Strands of the River Saint Lawrence, between high and low water marks, below the City of Quebec, which Grass, in many places sufficiently abundant to afford supplies of Grass useful for the maintenance of cattle and other live stock during the winter, is nevertheless for the