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9 George IV – Chapter 59

An Act to appropriate certain sums of money towards the support of in-sane Persons and Foundlings and other destitute persons in the District of Three Rivers. (14th March, 1829.)

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

Whereas it is expedient to appropriate certain sums of money towards the relief of Insane Persons, Foundlings and destitute Persons in the District of Three Rivers [Trois-Rivières]; May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be 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 it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or Person administering the Government of the Province to advance and pay from time to time in the course of the present year by a Warrant or Warrants under his hand from and out of any unappropriated monies that now are in the hands of the Receiver General of this Province or that may hereafter come into his hands, the following sums for the purposes herein after particularly detailed and specified, that is to say:—

FIRST.—A sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds currency, towards the relief of insane persons in the District of Three Rivers for the year commenced the eleventh of October last at a rate not exceeding two shillings currency, per diem for the board of each person.

SECONDLY.—A sum not exceeding one hundred pounds currency for the maintenance and support of Foundlings in the District of Three Rivers for the year commenced the Eleventh of October last.

THIRDLY.—A sum not exceeding fifty pounds currency, towards the support of poor and destitute persons in the District of Three Rivers, for the year commenced the eleventh of October last.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the due application of the monies by this Act appropriated, shall be accounted for to His 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 III's Majesty, his Heirs and Successors shall be pleased to direct.

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III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the Commissioners for carrying this Act into effect, or others whom it may concern, and by whom the monies hereby appropriated shall have been applied and expended, shall in the course of fifteen days next after the opening of the ensuing Session of the Legislature lay before the three Branches thereof a detailed and full statement or account of the manner in which the sums hereby appropriated have been laid out, applied and expended.