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4 William IV – Chapter 24

An Act to indemnify Francois Fortier for certain Extra Work by him performed, in building the new Hall of Assembly. (18th March, 1834.)

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN.

Whereas it is equitable to indemnify Francois Fortier of Quebec, Master Mason, for the extra work and losses by him performed and sustained as hereinafter set forth;—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 it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or person administering the Government, by Warrant under his hand and out of any unappropriated monies in the hands of the Receiver General, to advance and pay to the Commissioners appointed under the authority of the Act passed in the third year of His Majesty's Reign, Chapter twelve, intituled, "An Act to provide for the erection of a new Hall of Assembly," a sum not exceeding five hundred and eighteen pounds and seven pence halfpenny currency, to enable the said Commissioners to pay a like sum to the said Francois Fortier, to indemnify him for certain extra work performed by him about the mason work of the said Hall, over and above that which he was bound to perform by his Contract, and for certain losses by him sustained by reason of the non inclusion in the total sum mentioned in the said Contract, as that for which the said Francois Fortier bound himself to complete the whole of the mason work of certain items mentioned in the specification and estimate on which the said Contract was founded, but omitted by error in the addition made of the several items of such estimate in order to ascertain the total sum aforesaid.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said Commissioners shall lay an account of the monies advanced to them under the authority of this Act and by them disbursed before the three Branches of the Legislature within fifteen days after the opening of the next Session thereof.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the due application of the monies hereby appropriated 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 be pleased to direct, and

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that a detailed account of the expenditure of all such monies shall be laid before the three Branches of the Legislature within fifteen days after the opening of the next Session thereof.