

cond day of March, in the forty-fourth year of your Majesty's Reign, the sum of forty-five pounds nine Shillings and eight pence, has been issued and advanced, by your Majesty, through your Lieutenant Governor, to Isaac Swazé Esquire, for the payment of disbursements, made by him in the purchase of Hemp Seed, for use of this Province, and whereas, in pursuance of a certain other address of your said Commons House of Assembly, to your Majesty's Lieutenant Governor, bearing date the sixth day of March, in the year aforesaid, the further sum of two hundred and twenty-nine pounds eight shillings and seven pence three farthings, has been issued, and advanced by your majesty, through your Lieutenant Governor, to the Clerks, and other officers of the two houses of parliament, for certain contingent expences attending the last and present Session of parliament, 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 Upper 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 by the authority of the same, that out of the surplus of any fund, or funds, subject to the disposition of the Parliament of this Province, now remaining in the hands of the Receiver General unappropriated, there shall be issued, and applied, the sum of two hundred and seventy-four Pounds eighteen shillings and three-pence three farthings, to make good the said two sums of money which have been issued and advanced, in pursuance of the aforesaid two addresses.

£274 18 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ to be issued from the Provincial Treasury, to make good the like sum paid in pursuance of the addresses of the Assembly.

How to be accounted for.

I. and be it further Enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the due application of the said sum of money, pursuant to the directions of 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.

CHAP. X.

An ACT to amend an Act, passed in the forty fourth year of his Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act for granting to his Majesty, a certain sum of money, for the further encouragement of the growth and cultivation of Hemp within this Province, and the exportation thereof."

[Passed 2d March, 1805.]

WHEREAS by an Act of the Parliament of this Province, made and passed in the forty-fourth year of his Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act for

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for granting to his Majesty, a certain sum of money, for the further encouragement of the growth and cultivation of Hemp within this Province, and the exportation thereof," it was, among other things enacted, that the sum of forty pounds should be the rate, or price to be paid per ton for hemp, which may be purchased under, or in virtue of the said Act. And whereas it is found, on experience, that the said rate, or price of forty pounds per ton, is insufficient to compensate the labor of the cultivator of Hemp in this Province, for further encouragement thereof, 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 Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of, and under the authority of an Act, passed in the Parliament 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 by the authority of the same, That the sum of fifty pounds shall be the rate or price to be paid per ton, for any Hemp, which may be hereafter purchased under, or in virtue of the provision made in said Act of the forty-fourth year of his Majesty's reign, or in any former Act of the Parliament of this Province, any law or usage to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

Fifty pounds to be paid per ton for Hemp purchased under an Act passed in the forty-fourth year of his Majesty's reign.