

C A P. II.

An Ordinance further to continue, for a limited time, a certain Ordinance relative to persons charged with High Treason, Suspicion of High Treason, Misprision of High Treason, and Treasonable Practices.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to continue, for a limited time, the Ordinance hereinafter mentioned :—Be it therefore Ordained and Enacted by His Excellency the Governor of the Province of Lower Canada, by and with the advice and consent of the Special Council for the affairs of the said Province, constituted and assembled by virtue of, and under the authority of an Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the first year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, “ *An Act to make temporary provision for the Government of Lower Canada,*” And it is hereby Ordained and Enacted by the authority of the same, that the Ordinance made and passed in the second year of Her Majesty’s Reign, chapter four, intituled, “ An Ordinance to authorize the apprehension and detention of persons charged with High Treason, Suspicion of High Treason, Misprision of High Treason, and Treasonable Practices, and to suspend, for a limited time, as to such persons, a certain Ordinance therein mentioned, and for other purposes,” shall remain in force, and the Ordinance thereby suspended, made in the twenty-fourth year of the Reign of King George the Third, intituled, “ An Ordinance for securing the liberty of the Subject, and for the prevention of imprisonment out of this Province,” shall further continue to be and remain suspended, until the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty, and no longer.

C. POULETT THOMSON.

Ordained and Enacted by the authority aforesaid, and passed in Special Council, under the Great Seal of the Province, at the Government House, in the City of Montreal, the Fourteenth day of November, in the third year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lady Victoria, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, and so forth, and in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

By His Excellency’s Command,

W. B. LINDSAY,

Clerk Special Council.

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