

Committees of the Houses of Correction to appoint Keepers and to allow them salaries.

II. And be it further enacted that in order to set and keep to work such person or persons as may be sent to the said Houses of Correction, respectively, it shall and may be lawful for the Committee who have been or may hereafter be appointed under the authority of the Act hereby continued, or of this Act, respectively, to agree with fit and proper persons to be the Keepers of such Houses of Correction, respectively, and to allow to such Keepers, respectively, a reasonable salary out of the money that may come to the hands of such Committee, respectively, under and by virtue of this Act, or of the Act hereby continued.

Governor empowered to advance £100. more to the committees for certain purposes.

III. And it is hereby further enacted, that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Governor of this Province or the Lieutenant Governor thereof, or person administering the Government of this Province, for the time being, out of any unappropriated monies in the hands of the Receiver General of this Province, to advance to the said Committees or either of them, a sum, not exceeding one hundred Pounds current money of this Province, over and above the sum of one hundred Pounds to be advanced in virtue of the aforesaid Act, for the purpose of enabling the said Committees or either of them, in each of the said several Districts, respectively, to hire or otherwise provide such accommodations for the performance of labour, as may be requisite, and also to make a stock of materials for the use and employment of the person or persons, who shall or may hereafter be confined in the said Houses of Correction, in each of the said several Districts, respectively, as well as for the purpose of allowing to such Keepers, respectively, a reasonable salary in each of the said several Districts, respectively.

Continuance of the former and this Act.

IV. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the Act hereby continued and this Act, shall continue and be in force, for four years, from the day, of passing the same, and from thence to the end of the then next Session of the Provincial Parliament.

C A P. VII.

An Act for disqualifying and restraining, *Charles Baptiste Bouc*, from being elected, and from Sitting and Voting as a Member of the House of Assembly.

(5th April, 1802.)

Preamble.

WHEREAS, *Charles Baptiste Bouc*, late a Member of the House of Assembly of this Province, for the County of Effingham, upon an Indictment exhibited against him, in His Majesty's Court of King's Bench for the District of Montreal, was at the Session of the said Court of King's Bench, begun and holden for the said District in the City of Montreal, for the trial of all Crimes and Criminal Offences, on Friday the first day of March, which was in the Year of Our Lord Christ, One thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, convicted of the Crime of Conspiracy, with sundry others persons, unjustly and fraudulently, to obtain of one, *Etienné Drouin*, divers large sums of money, and in consequence of such conviction hath been, four times, expelled from the said House of Assembly.

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Be it therefore 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 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 the said *Charles Baptiste Bouc*, from and after the passing of this Act, shall be and he is hereby disqualified and rendered incapable of being elected, or of sitting or voting, as a Member of the said House of Assembly, until His Majesty shall be most graciously pleased to pardon, remit and release, the said *Charles Baptiste Bouc*, of and from the said conviction, and the legal consequences and effects thereof.

Charles Baptiste Bouc, disqualified and rendered incapable of being elected or of sitting or voting as a Member of Assembly, until pardoned by His Majesty.

C A P. VIII.

An ACT to provide for the more effectual regulation of the Police, within the Cities of Quebec and Montreal and Town of Three Rivers; also for extending Regulations of Police to other Towns and Villages, in certain Cases, and for repealing the Acts or Ordinances therein mentioned.

(5th April, 1802.)

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Rules and Orders, heretofore made, touching the Police, have not been productive of the benefits thereby intended, and Whereas it is expedient that more ample provision be made, for obtaining such benefits in future, and for securing a speedy decision upon complaints relative to breaches thereof. Be it therefore 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 of 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 the Justices in their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, for the Districts of Quebec, Montreal and Three Rivers, respectively, shall be and they hereby are authorized and empowered, from time to time, to frame such Rules and Orders, and with such Fines and Penalties for the breach thereof, as shall be judged requisite and proper, for the Regulation of the Police of the respective Cities of Quebec and Montreal and Town of Three Rivers; and also, from time to time, to alter and amend the same, and all such Rules and Orders, when so framed or to altered or amended, shall before having effect, be submitted to the inspection and revial of the Justices of the Court of King's Bench, in the said Districts, respectively, who are hereby authorized and required in Term and during the sitting of the said Courts, to confirm or reject the same, and when so framed and confirmed, and duly published

Justices in General Quarter Sessions empowered to make Rules and Orders for the Regulation of the Police of the Cities of Quebec and Montreal and Town of Three Rivers.

Before having effect, to be submitted to the Justices of the Court of King's Bench,