THE

PROVINCIAL STATUTES

OF

LOWER-CANADA.

Anno Regni GEORGII III. Quadragefimo Sexto

HISHONOR

THOMAS DUNN, ESQUIRE,

PRESIDENT OF THE PROVINCE OF LOWER-CANADA, AND ADMINIS-TRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SAID PROVINCE.

"A T the Provincial Parliament, begun and holden at Quebec, the twentieth day of February, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and fix, in the fortyfixth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord GEORGE the Third, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, KING, Defender of the Faith."

· Being the Second Seffion of the Fourth Provincial Parliament of Lower-Canada'.

C A P. I.

AN ACT further to continue, for a limited time, an Act paffed in the Forty-third year of his Majefty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the "better prefervation of his Majefty's Government, as by Law happily efta-"blished in this Province."

(19th. April 1806)

Preamble.

W HEREAS an A& was passed by the Legislature of this Province in the forty third year of his Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Att for the better preser-"vation

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Provided that at the end of the prefent war perfons detained by virtue of this Act, fhall have the advantages of the Laws providing for the liberty of the fubject.

" vation of his Majesty's Government as by Law happily established in this Province," which Act was to have continuance only until the end of the present Seffion of the And whereas it is expedient that the faid Act fhould be Provincial Parliament. further continued: Be it therefore enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and confent of the Legislative Council and Affembly of the Province of Lower Canada, constituted and affembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act paffed in the Parliament of Great Britain, intituled, "An Act " to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of his Majefty'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 faid Province;" and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that the faid Act and all matters and things therein contained, shall continue to be in force until the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and feven, and from thence to the end of the then next Seffion of the Provincial Parliament. Provided always, that after the close of the present war, all and every person or persons committed under the authority of the faid Act, shall have the benefit and advantage of the laws relating to or providing for the liberty of the fubject, in this Province.

C A P. II.

An Act further to continue, for a limited time, an Act paffed in the thirty fixth year of his Majefty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for making a tem-"porary provision for the regulation of Trade between this Province and "the United States of America, by land or inland navigation."

(19th, April, 1806.)

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to continue an A& paffed in the thirty fixth year of his Majefty's Reign, initiuled, "An A& for making a temporary "provision for the regulation of Trade between this Province and the United States of "America, by lana or by inland navigation," Be it therefore enacted by the King's most Excellent Majefty, by and with the advice and confent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Lower Canada, conflituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an A& of the Parliament of Great Britain, initialed, "An A& to repeal certain parts of an A& passing more effectual "provision for the Governement of the Province of Quebec in North America," and to "make further provision for the government of the faid Province;" and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the tame, that the faid A& initialed, "An A& for "making a temporary provision for the regulation of Trade between this Province and "the United States of America, by land or by inland navigation," and all matters and

Act 36 Geo. 111. Cap. 7.continued