

C A P. XXII.

AN Act to extend the provisions of two Acts therein-mentioned, for the Summary Trial of Small Causes to the Magdalen Islands and other Settlements not comprehended in the purviews of the said Acts.

(22d. March, 1823)

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend the provisions of an Act passed in the first year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the Summary Trial of certain Small Causes in the Country Parishes in this Province," as the same hath been amended by an Act passed in the second year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act to amend an Act passed in the first year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the Summary Trial of certain Small Causes in the Country Parishes in this Province," to the Magdalen Islands in the Gulph of Saint Lawrence, and to such other Settlements as are not comprised within any Parish, Seigniorship or Township in this Province; 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 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 all and every the provisions, clauses, matters and things mentioned and contained in the aforelaid Act, passed in the first year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the Summary Trial of Certain Small Causes in the country Parishes in this Province", as the same are amended by a certain Act passed in the second year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act to amend an Act passed in the first year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the Summary Trial of Certain Small Causes in the Country parishes in this Province," shall be extended to and be in force in the Magdalen Islands in the Gulph of St. Lawrence, and in such other places and settlements in this Province as are not comprised within any Parish, Seigniorship or Township in this Province, as the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Person administering the Government of this Province for the time being, may, by a Commission to be issued for the purpose, be designated and prescribed.

Acts 1 Geo. III. cap. 3, as amended by 2 Geo. III, cap. 3, extended to the Magdalen Islands and other settlements.

Continuance of
this Act.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the above-mentioned Acts shall respectively continue and be in force in the aforesaid Magdalen Islands, and in such other places as the same may by a Commission or Commissions as aforesaid be extended to until the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, and no longer.

C A P. XXIII.

AN ACT to appropriate a certain sum of money therein-mentioned, towards continuing and completing the Lachine Canal.

(22d. March, 1823.)

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to appropriate a further sum of money for the purpose of continuing and completing the Lachine Canal; 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 from and after the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor or person administering the Government of the Province for the time being, by a Warrant or Warrants, under his hand, to advance and pay out of any unappropriated monies, in the hands of the Receiver General of the Province, for the time being, a sum of money not exceeding twelve thousand pounds, currency, in the course of the year one thousand, eight hundred and twenty-three, towards continuing and completing the Canal actually in progress, between the Parish of Lachine and the neighbourhood of the City of Montreal, in virtue of an Act of the Legislature of this Province, of the first year of His Majesty's Reign, chapter Sixth.

A farther sum of £12000 granted for continuing and completing the Lachine Canal.

The line already adopted by the Commissioners, to be the line on which the Canal shall be made.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the line or course adopted by the Commissioners appointed under the aforesaid Act, passed in the first year