

within the new County to cease to be such.

polling days, until otherwise provided for by law; and if any of the places hereinbefore established for taking the poll, should happen to fall within the limits of such new County, the same shall cease to be places for such polling, and the poll instead thereof shall be held in the Shire Town of the County for which such days and places were originally fixed: Provided always, that when any such polling days revert to the Shire Town in manner aforesaid, the same shall be held from day to day without any week day intervening.

Sheriff may close the poll after one hour's notice, on all opposition being withdrawn by Candidates.

V. Provided always and be it enacted, That if at any time in the course of holding such poll, all opposition should be withdrawn by consent or resignation of Candidates, then the said Sheriff shall and may finally close such poll, after giving one hour's public notice or proclamation thereof.

Suspending clause.

VI. And be it enacted, That this Act shall not come into force or effect until His Majesty's Royal approbation be thereunto had and declared.

[This Act was specially confirmed, ratified, and finally enacted by an Order of the Queen in Council, dated 20th day of December, 1837, and published and declared in the Province on the 20th day of June, 1838.]

CAP. LVI.

An Act for continuing the General Assembly in this Province, in case of the demise of the Crown.

Passed 1st March 1837.

Preamble.

WHEREAS some inconvenience might arise, if the General Assembly of this Province should be dissolved by the death or demise of the King, (whom may God long preserve,) or by the death or demise of any of His Majesty's Heirs and Successors; for remedy thereof,

General Assembly to continue for six months, notwithstanding the death of the King, or of His heirs or successors.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the General Assembly or any other General Assembly of this Province, which shall have been summoned and called by our present Sovereign Lord King William, or His Heirs and Successors, shall not determine or be dissolved by the death or demise of His said Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, but such General Assembly shall, and it is hereby enacted to continue, and may meet, convene and sit, proceed and act, for the period of six months, notwithstanding such death or demise, in the same manner as if such death or demise had not happened: Provided always, and it is hereby enacted, that nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to alter or abridge the power of the King, His Heirs and Successors, to prorogue or dissolve the General Assembly of this Province: Provided that nothing in this Act contained, shall be of any force or effect, until His Majesty's pleasure therein shall be had and declared.

Act not to abridge the power of dissolving.

Suspending clause.

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