

Anno Octavo VICTORIÆ Reginae.

CAP. CX.

An Act relating to certain Fees.

Passed 27th March 1845.

6 WHEREAS there are certain Fees paid into the Office of the Secretary and Registrar of the Province for Marriage Licences, Commissions, Warrants, and other services performed in the said Office, a portion of which, being that part of the said Fees due to the Administrator of the Government, has, since the enactment of the Law for the support of the Civil Government of this Province, been paid over to the Receiver General of this Province: And whereas it is desirable that the Salary of the Secretary, Registrar and Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, should be fixed, and that all Fees received by him by virtue of any office he may hold, should be paid over to the Receiver General for the public use, and the Salary he receives from the Civil List should be in lieu of all Fees or emoluments whatever;

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, all Fees payable to or receivable by the Secretary of this Province for any public service, act, matter or thing done by him by virtue of the office of Secretary, Registrar or Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, shall be received by him and deemed and accounted as part of the Public Revenue of this Province, and by him paid over to the Receiver General of the Province in the manner hereinafter provided.

II. Be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Province quarterly on the thirty first day of December, March, and thirtieth days of June and September, in each and every year, to pay over to the Receiver General of the Province, for the public use, all such Fees as he shall have received since the last preceding quarter, together with a detailed account or return thereof, specifying the particular services for which such Fees have been paid; a copy of which return shall be kept filed in the Office of the said Secretary, for the purpose of being laid before the House of Assembly at the then or next Session of the Legislature.

III. And be it enacted, That this Act may be amended during this Session of the Legislature.

IV. And be it enacted, That this Act shall not be in force until Her Majesty's Royal approbation be thereunto had and declared.

[This Act was specially confirmed, ratified and finally enacted by an Order of Her Majesty in Council, dated the 27th day of August, 1846, and published and declared in the Province the 7th day of October, 1846.]