Articles exempted from the operation of the Act.

II. Provided always and be it enacted. That nothing in the said recited Act relating to the collection of the Duty on Timber and other. Lumber shall extend or be construed to extend to impose any Duty upon Lathwood, Laths, Shingles, Clapboards, Sash-pieces, Hand Spikes, Slabs, Staves, Fence Pickets, Palings, Oars, Scantling, and all other small Lumber sawed or hewed each and every piece whereof shall not exceed five inches square and nine feet in length, except Hacmatack.

This Act may be amended during the present Session.

III. And be it enacted, That this Act may be altered or amended by any Act passed during this Session of the Legislature.

CAP. XXXIX.

Act 9 V, c. 53.

Act 9 V. c. 53,

continued.

An Act to continue An Act to authorize the granting of Mill Reserves in certain cases.

E it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That an Act made and passed in the ninth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled An Act to authorize the granting of Mill Reserves in certain cases, be and the same is hereby continued and declared to be in force until the first day of May which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five.

CAP. XL.

5 W. 4, c. 46.

An Act to continue an Act to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuit Courts in this Province.

Passed 26th April 1850.

Act 5 W. 4, c. 46, continued.

E it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, Denoted That an Act made and passed in the fifth year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled An Act to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuit Courts in this Province, be and the same is hereby continued and declared to be in full force until the first day of May which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

CAP. XLI.

An Act relating to the Naturalization of Aliens in this Province.

Passed 26th April 1850.

Persons of Foreign birth resident in the Province for seven years, taking and subscribing the prescribed oath before a Judge of the Supreme Court to be entitled to the privileges of a matural born sub-

E it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly That from and Assembly, That from and after the passing of this Act, all persons of Foreign birth who have inhabited and resided in this Province for the space of seven years or more, previous to his applying to be naturalized under the provisions of this Act, and who shall take and subscribe the oath of allegiance and residence, or being one of the persons allowed by law to affirm in civil cases, affirmation natural born subject of Her Majesty. prescribed in the Schedule to this Act, before any Judge of the Supreme Court of this Province, shall be deemed, adjudged and taken to be entitled to all the privileges of Her Majesty's natural born subjects, to all intents, constructions and purposes as if they and every of them had been or were born in Her Majesty's Dominions; which said oath or affirmation and subscription any of the said Judges is hereby authorized and empowered to administer and take; and the taking and subscribing of every such oath or affirmation shall be before any such Judge in open Court, either at Bar or at Nisi Prius, between the hours of nine and twelve in the forenoon; and such subscription shall be made in a book to be Return and entry. kept for that purpose; and such Judge shall cause a certificate or return thereof