

C H A P. XXVIII.

An Act to afford relief to John Wagstaff of the Town of Niagara, Tin-smith.

[Passed 14th April, 1821.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the property of John Wagstaff, of the Town of Niagara, was by different Inquisitions held under and by virtue of an Act of the Parliament of this Province, passed in the fifty fourth year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to declare certain persons therein described Aliens, and to vest their Estates in His Majesty" vested in His said Majesty, And whereas the said John Wagstaff being advised that by Law his property was not liable to forfeiture, did after his return to this Province erect expensive improvements upon a certain Lot in the Town of Niagara, which he has prayed to be permitted to remove: 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 Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled '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 by the authority of the same, That the said John Wagstaff shall and may at any time within six months after the sale of the said Lot or Lots be permitted to remove the said Buildings, any Law to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

John Wagstaff an alien allowed to remove certain buildings heretofore erected by him on a lot or lots of land in the Town of Niagara which have vested in the King by Inquisition.

C H A P. XXIX.

An Act to empower certain Trustees therein mentioned, to sell and convey a certain Lot of Land in the Town of York, and to purchase another Lot or Tract of Land for the use and accommodation of a Roman Catholic Congregation.

[Passed 14th April, 1821.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of this Province, bearing date the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and six, a certain Lot of Land in the Town of York, in the Home District, described as Lot No. Six, on the corner of George and Duke Streets, containing about one Acre of Land, was granted to the Honorable James Baby, the Rev. Alexander McDonell, and John Small, Esquire, in trust for the use and accommodation of a Roman Catholic Congregation, in the said Town of York and its vicinity, And whereas it hath been represented by the said Trustees, that the said Lot of Land is insufficient and inconvenient for the use and purposes intended by the said grant, 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 Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled '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 by the authority of the same, That the said Trustees be empowered and authorised, and they or any two or more of them are hereby empowered and authorised by deed of conveyance under their hands and seals, to grant, bargain, sell and convey in fee simple the aforesaid Lot of Land, described as Lot No. Six, on the corner of George and Duke Streets, in the Town of York, aforesaid, with its appurtenances, unto such person or persons as may be disposed to purchase the same.

II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the Trustees aforesaid or any two or more of them, shall and may, and they are hereby empowered and required to vest the money accruing from the sale of the Lot of Land aforesaid, in the purchase of such other Lot or Tract of Land in or near the Town of York aforesaid, as they the said Trustees shall in their discretion deem to be proper and convenient for the use and accommodation of a Roman Catholic Congregation in the said Town of York and its vicinity, and the said Trustees or any two or more of them, are hereby empowered and required to receive and take a conveyance of the Land, so to be by them purchased as aforesaid, with the money aforesaid, in trust for the use and purposes aforesaid, and with succession and limitation of the said Trust as may be deemed expedient to secure the same in perpetuity, for the use and purposes aforesaid, according to the true intent and meaning of the Letters Patent herein before mentioned.

Trustees of a certain lot of land in York to the use of a Roman Catholic Congregation allowed to sell the same

and to purchase other land in York in trust for the same purpose.

C H A P. XXX.

An Act to afford Relief to Edmund Mott and John Blanchard of the District of Johnstown.

[Passed 14th April, 1821.]

WHEREAS by a certain Act passed in the fifty-fourth year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to declare certain persons therein described Aliens and to vest their Estates in His Majesty" it was therein provided that nothing in the said Act contained should be construed to prevent any person interested in the said lands from Traversing any Inquisition or Office respecting the same at any time within one year after the Peace shall be established between His Majesty and the United States of America or within one year after the finding of such Inquisition: And whereas Edmund Mott and John Blanchard of Elizabethtown, in the District of Johnstown, have not been able to avail themselves of such provision whereby His Majesty has become seized in Law of the Real Estates of the said Edmund Mott and John Blanchard under and by virtue of several Inquisitions returned to His Majesty's Court of King's Bench against them respectively: 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 Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec in

Preamble.