

Continuation of
this Act 3 years.

VIII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That this Act shall be in force for three years and no longer.*

C H A P. V.

AN Act to Repeal part of the Tenth Clause of an Act passed in the forty-eighth year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to Explain, Amend, and Reduce to One Act of Parliament the several Laws now in being for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province," and also part of an Act passed in the last Session of the present Parliament, entitled "An Act to Repeal part o, and Amend the Laws now in force for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province," and to increase the Strength of the Companies of Militia.

[Passed 19th March, 1823.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS difficulties having arisen in carrying into effect many of the provisions of an Act passed in the last session of the present Parliament, entitled, "An Act to Repeal part of, and Amend the Laws now in force for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province, it is expedient to repeal part thereof: 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 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 sixth clause, so much of the seventh as relates to the appointment of a clerk, the ninth, tenth, eleventh, thirteenth and sixteenth clauses of the said recited Act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

II. And whereas the strength of Militia Companies is at present too limited, *Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That so much of the tenth clause of an Act passed in the forty-eighth year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to Explain, Amend, and Reduce to One Act of Parliament the several Laws now in being for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province," as declares that Companies of Militia shall consist of not more than Fifty, nor less than Twenty Men, be and the same is hereby repealed; and that the said Companies shall in future consist of not more than Eighty, nor less than Thirty private men.*

III. And whereas it is expedient to form one or more Company or Companies of Artillery, *Be it enacted, by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province, to form and embody from time to*

6th part of 7th, the 9
10 11 13 and 16th
Secs of Geo 4 Ch. 3
repealed.

10th Sec of 48th
Geo. 3. Ch. 1. repeal-
ed.

Companies to consist
of not more than 80.
nor less than 30 men.

Companies of Artil-
lery may be formed.

time, such Company or Companies of Artillery, and in such county or counties as to him may appear most convenient and fit for the good of His Majesty's service.

C H A P. VI.

An Act to provide a Salary for the Adjutant General of Militia in this Province, and for other purposes therein mentioned

[Passed 19th March, 1823.]

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

WHEREAS, it is necessary to make better provision for the office of Preamble Adjutant General of Militia of 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 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 a certain Act of the Parliament of this Province, passed in the forty-eighth year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act for granting to His Majesty an annual sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned," and the second clause of an Act of the Parliament of this Province, passed in the fifty-sixth year of the Reign of His late Majesty, entitled "An Act to amend an Act passed in the forty-eighth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled 'An Act to explain, amend and reduce to one Act of Parliament the several Laws now in being, for the raising and training the Militia of this Province,'" be, and the same are hereby repealed.

48 Geo. 3. ch. 3. &
2d. Sec. of 56 Geo.
3 ch. 7th. repealed.

II. *And be it further enacted by the authority afore-said.* That from and out of the rates and duties already raised, levied and collected, or hereafter to be raised, levied and collected to and for the public uses of this Province, there be granted annually to His Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, the sum of six hundred pounds, to be applied as follows: that is to say, the sum of three hundred and sixty-five pounds to provide a salary for the Adjutant General of the Militia of this Province for the time being; the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds to provide a salary for an Assistant Adjutant General, to be appointed by the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province for the time being, and the sum of eighty-five pounds to be paid to the Adjutant General of Militia, in lieu of all contingencies; which said several sums shall commence and be payable from and after the passing of this Act.

600l. granted annually to His Majesty to be applied as follows:

365l. Salary to the Adjutant General.
150l. Salary to an Assistant Adjutant General.

And 85l. in lieu of Contingencies.