reign, shall be and the same is hereby continued and made perpetual, with the exception of so much of the same as provides that no part of any penalty shall be given to any Informer.

## CHAP. XXII.

AN ACT to make perpetual an Act passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, entitled, "An Act to repeal and amend certain parts of an Act passed in the thirty-sixth year of the reign of King George the Third, entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act for regulating the manner of Licensing Public Houses. and for the more easy conviction of persons selling Spirituous Liquors without License," and also for regulating the Duty to be levied upon Licenses to Shopkeepers.

[Passed 10th February, 1840.]

WHEREAS the Duty imposed by the fifth Section of an Act passed presults. in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, entitled, "An Act to repeal and amend certain parts of an Act passed in the thirty-sixth year of the reign of King George the Third, entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act for regulating the manner of Licensing Public Houses, and for the more easy conviction of persons selling Spirituous Liquors without License, and for other purposes therein-mentioned," ought to be made perpetual: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen'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, 6th Wm IV. chap. 4, made That the said Act passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty, perpetual. be and the same is hereby made perpetual.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That notwith-£7 10s. daty imposed on standing any thing in the said recited Act contained, the Duty of Seven by retail, in Shops. Pounds Ten Shillings shall be levied and required upon all Licenses to

vend Wine, Brandy, and Spirituous Liquors by retail, granted or issued to Shopkeepers in this Province.

## CHAP. XXIII.

AN ACT to revive and make perpetual an Act granting to Her Majesty a Duty on Licenses to Auctioneers, and on Goods, Wares and Merchandize, sold by Auction.

[Passed 10th February, 1840.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS an Act passed in the fifty-eighth year of the reign of His late Majety King George the Third, entitled, "An Act granting to His Majesty a Duty on Licenses to Auctioneers, and on Goods, Wares and Merchandize, sold by Auction," has expired: And whereas it is necessary to revive and continue the same: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen'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 58th Geo. III. chap. 6, made perpetual, excepting authority of the same, That the said Act, and every clause thereof, except the first clause, be and the same is hereby declared to be re-enacted. revived, and made perpetual.

When Auctioneers' Licenses to be taken out;

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the License by the said Act required to be taken out by any person exercising the calling or occupation of an Auctioneer, shall be taken out by such person on or before the first day of April in the present year, by such persons as shall then be exercising the said calling or occupation, and thenceforward at such time as the same may be applied for and required; and that all and every License shall continue in force until the sixth day of January, next ensuing the date thereof.

How long to continue in