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Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada in North America, passed in the year 1823. York: Charles Fothergill, 1823.

4 George IV – Chapter 21

An Act to provide an Additional Allowance to the Rev. Robert Addison, Chaplain of the House of Assembly, for his long and faithful services as Chaplain thereof. Passed 19th March, 1823.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Whereas the Rev. Robert Addison has for thirty years, with zeal and piety, performed the duties of Chaplain to the Honorable the House of Assembly; and whereas, from his advanced age and long services, it is expedient to grant him, the said Rev. Robert Addison, a Pension during his life; 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, entituled "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entituled '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 out of the rates and duties already raised, levied, and collected, or hereafter to be raied, levied, and collected, to and for the uses of this Province, and in the hands of the Receiver General unappropriated, there be granted to the said Rev. Robert Addison for and during his natural life, the sum of Fifty Pounds annually, which said sum of Fifty Pounds shall commence and become payable from and after the passing of this Act.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said sum of Fifty Pounds shall be paid by the Receiver General out of the rates and duties aforesaid in discharge of such warrant or warrants, as may from time to time be issued by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province, and be accounted for to His Majesty through the Lords Commissioners of His Treasury for the time being, in such manner and form as His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, may be graciously pleased to direct.