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Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1839. Toronto: Robert Stanton, 1839.

2 Victoria – Chapter 31

An Act to extend the period for imposing an additional Rate upon the intended new District of Colborne. Passed 11th May, 1839.

Whereas it is expedient to extend the provisions of the Twenty-third Clause of the Act passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty, King William the Fourth, entitled, "An Act to authorize the erection of certain Townships, and other territory heretofore forming part of the Newcastle District, into a new District, by the name of the District of Colborne, with Peterborough for the District Town": 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, That the provisions of the said clause shall be, and they are hereby extended, to such a period beyond the four years therein mentioned, as may be necessary to enable the Magistrates fully to pay the amount authorized to be borrowed by the said Act, to erect a Gaol and Court House in the District of Colborne: Provided always, that the additional rate of one penny in the Pound shall not be levied and collected after the sum of Six Thousand Pounds, authorized by the said Act to be raised, shall be fully paid, with the interest thereon, any thing in the said recited Act to the contrary notwithstanding.