

subject of Her Majesty, to all intents, constructions and purposes whatsoever as if he had been born in this Province.

II. And be it enacted, that so soon as the said Reverend William Sharts shall have taken and subscribed the oath hereinafter inserted, or, being of the persons allowed to affirm, have made the affirmation hereinafter mentioned, before some persons duly authorized to administer the oath contained in an Act of the Parliament of the late Province of Upper Canada, passed in the ninth year of His late Majesty's Reign, and intituled *An Act to secure and confer upon certain Inhabitants of this Province, the civil and political rights of natural born subjects*, he shall be, and is hereby, admitted and confirmed in all the privileges of British birth within this Province.

On taking
the following
oath.

III. And be it enacted, that the said Reverend William Sharts, shall take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation : " I, A. B. do sincerely promise and " swear," (or " affirm," as the case may be,) " that I will be faithful and bear true " allegiance to the Sovereign of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland " and of this Province as dependent thereon : So help me God."

Oath.

IV. And be it enacted, that this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a public Act, and as such shall be judicially taken notice of by all Judges, Justices of the Peace, and all others whom it shall concern, without being specially pleaded.

This Act to be
a Public Act.

C A P. LXXXVI.

An Act to secure to, and confer upon Jacques Alexandre Tailhades, an inhabitant of this Province, the civil and political rights of a natural born British Subject.

[27th August, 1841.]

WHEREAS Jacques Alexandre Tailhades, residing in the City of Montreal, Gentleman, has by his humble Petition in that behalf represented his desire of establishing his abode in this Province, and for the removal of the legal disabilities under which he labours, as an Alien, has prayed that he may be naturalized as a subject of Her Most Gracious Majesty : and whereas it seems meet and expedient that the prayer of the said Petition should be granted ; Be it therefore enacted, by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act

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Jacques Alexandre Tailhades naturalized, and the rights of a natural born British Subject conferred on him within this Province.

Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, intituled *An Act to Re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*; and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that the said Jacques Alexandre Tailhades shall be deemed, adjudged and taken to be, and so far as respects his capacity, at any time heretofore, to take, hold, possess, enjoy, claim, recover, convey, devise, impart or transmit any real estate in this Province, or any right, title, privileges or appurtenances thereto belonging or any interest therein, and in all other respects whatsoever, to have been a natural born Subject of Her Majesty and of Her Royal Predecessors, to all intents, constructions and purposes whatsoever, as if he had been born within this Province: Provided always, that in order to entitle himself to the benefits of this Act, the said Jacques Alexandre Tailhades shall take and subscribe before the Clerk of the Peace for the District of Montreal, the Oath of Allegiance to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, and that such oath so taken and subscribed shall be kept by the said Clerk of the Peace among the Records of his Office.

This Act to be a public Act.

II. And be it enacted, that this Act shall be taken and deemed to be a public Act, and as such shall be judicially taken notice of by all Judges, Justices of the Peace, and all others whom it shall concern, without being specially pleaded.

C A P. LXXXVII.

An Act to empower certain Trustees therein mentioned, to convey a portion of a certain lot of land in the Township of Lochiel, in the Eastern District, to the Reverend John McIsaac.

[18th September, 1841.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by Her Majesty's Letters Patent, under the Great Seal of the late Province of Upper Canada, bearing date the twenty-second day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty, Lot number twenty-nine in the sixth concession of the Township of Lochiel, in the Eastern District, was granted to Malcolm McGillivray, Roderic McLeod, Archibald McGillivray and John McPhee, Trustees of and acting for the Presbyterian Congregation of the said Township, and their heirs and successors, as such Trustees, in trust for the said Congregation; and whereas it appears from the petition addressed to the Legislature, by the said Trustees, that they were entitled only to the west half, or one hundred acres of the said lot, and that the east half or one hundred acres was bought