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Preclamation

of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that the Manner in said Cities of Quebec and Montreal shall for the purpose of electing their reswhich the Ci-pective Representatives to the Legislative Assembly of this Province, at any ties of Quebec Election to be held after the passing of this Act, be deemed to be bounded and lishall hereafter mited in the manner set forth and described in the Proclamation of His Excel-Election pur lency Alured Clarke, Esquire, then Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Lower Canada, issued under the Great Seal of the said Province, and bearing date the seventh day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven of 7th May, hundred and ninety two; any thing in the Letters Patent mentioned in the Preamble to this Act, to the contrary notwithstanding.

## CAP. XV1I.

An Act for better preventing the obstruction of Rivers, and Rivulets in Canada East.

[12th October, 1842.]

Preamble.

HEREAS great inconvenience is occasioned by persons throwing Slabs, Bark, Waste Stuff, and other refuse of Saw-Mills, Stumps, and Waste Timber into Rivers and Rivulets in Canada East, and it is expedient to extend to such cases certain provisions of the Act hereinafter cited; 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 passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and initialed 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 any person who shall throw into any River, Rivulet, or Water Course in Canada East, any Slabs, Bark, Waste Stuff, or other refuse of any Saw-Mill, (except saw-dust) or any Stumps, Roots, or Waste Timber, and Roots, &c., in Paw-Mill, (except saw-unst) of any composition of River, Rivulet, or Wa-Rivers in Ca-shall allow the same to remain in and to obstruct such River, Rivulet, or Water Course, shall thereby incur a penalty not exceeding ten shillings currency, and not less than five shillings currency, for every day during which such obstruction shall remain therein after he shall have been required by the party interested to remove the same, over and above all damages which may arise therefrom; and that such penalty and damages may be respectively recovered in the same man-Act of L. C. ner as the penalty and damages mentioned in the sixty-first Section of the Act of the Legislature of Lower Canada, passed in the Sixth year of the Reign of His late Majesty, King William the Fourth, Chapter fifty-six, and intituled An

Penalty persons throwing Slabs,

How such penalty shali be recoverable.

6 W. 4, c. 56, cited.

Act to repeal a certain Act therein mentioned, and more effectually to remedy diwers abuses prejudicial to Agriculture, may under the provisions of that Act be recovered from persons obstructing Rivers, Rivulets, and Water Courses, by felling trees into the same, and allowing them to remain therein.

## CAP. XVIII.

An Act to amend certain Acts therein mentioned, relative to the Establishment of Mutual Insurance Conpanies in Canada East.

[12th October, 1842.]

HEREAS the Inhabitants of the County of Chambly have petitioned, that Preamble. a certain Act of the Legislature of the late Province of Lower Canada, passed in the fourth year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, and intituled An Act to authorize the Establishment of Mutual Fire Insurance Act of L. C. and intituled An Act to authorize the Establishment of Mutual Fire Insurance Act of L. C. 33. Companies, may be amended in the manner hereinafter mentioned, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of their petition and to extend the provisions thereof to the other Counties hereinaster mentioned; 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 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 it shall be lawful for the Mutual Fire Insurance Company for the County of Montreal, if they shall deem it expedient, to admit as a Member of the said Company the owner of any property situate within the Counties of Chambly, the county of Company the owner of any property situate within the Counties of Chambry, Montreal may Leinster, Ottawa, Vaudreuil and Missisquoi, and to insure any property of such insure property person so situate as aforesaid, which might without this Act be so insured if si-in the County of Chamble tuate within the County of Montreal; and that each person so admitted as a Mem- &c. ber of the said Company shall have the same rights and be subject to the same liabilities as the other Members of the said Company; any thing in the said Act hereby amended or in a certain other Act of the said Legislature passed in the sixth year of the Reign of His said late Majesty, and intituled An Act to 6 W. 4, c. 33. continue for a limited time and to amend a certain Act therein mentioned relative to the Establishment of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies, to the contrary not-

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