

C A P. XLVI.

An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Bank of Montreal, by providing for the extension of the time limited for the paying up of the New Stock of the said Bank.

[16th November, 1843.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Corporation of the Bank of Montreal have, by petition to the Legislature, prayed for an extension of the time within which their new shares of Capital Stock must be fully paid up, and it is expedient to grant their prayer; 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 of 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 term of two years, in and by the third section of the Act of the Parliament of this Province, passed in the Session thereof, held in the fourth and fifth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act to renew the Charter of the Bank of Montreal, and to increase its Capital Stock*, limited for wholly paying up the increase of five thousand shares of Capital Stock, provided by the said third section, shall be, and the same is hereby extended to two years, from and after the passing of this Act.

Term limited for paying up the additional Stock, authorized by the 4 & 5 V. c. 98, sect. 3—extended.

C A P. XLVII.

An Act to Incorporate the Members of the Mercantile Library Association of Montreal.

[9th December, 1843.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS an Association hath been formed in the City of Montreal, in this Province, by divers persons engaged as Mercantile Clerks, and otherwise, resident in that City and the neighbourhood thereof, under the name of "The Mercantile Library Association of Montreal," for the purpose of forming a Library and Reading Room, and for organizing a system of instruction, by means of Lectures and Classes, for the use and benefit of the members of the said Association, and of such Mercantile Clerks and others as may hereafter become members thereof; And whereas the persons hereinafter named, Office-bearers of the said Association, and acting on behalf of the members thereof, have, by their petition