



ANNO UNDECIMO
VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CAP. VIII.

An Act to grant a certain sum to Her Majesty for defraying certain expenses of the Civil Government, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.

[23d March, 1848.]

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

WHEREAS by Message from His Excellency the Right Honorable James, Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, Governor General of British North America, and Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over this Province of Canada, bearing date the seventeenth day of March in this present year, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, and the Estimates accompanying the same, it appears that the sum hereinafter mentioned is required to defray certain expenses of the Civil Government of the Province, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight: May it therefore please Your Majesty, that it may be enacted, and be it 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 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 from and out of any unappropriated monies forming part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province, there shall and may be paid and applied a sum not exceeding one hundred and forty thousand pounds, for defraying certain expenses of the Civil Government of this Province for the year ending on the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, not otherwise provided for by Law.

Preamble.
Message from
His Excellency
recited.

£140,000 may
be applied to
the payment of
expenses of
Civil Govern-
ment for 1848.
not otherwise
provided for.

II. And be it enacted, That the due application of the monies hereby appropriated shall be accounted for to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for the time being, in such manner and form as Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors shall direct.

Accounting
clause.

III. And be it enacted, That a detailed account of the monies expended under the authority of this Act, shall be laid before the Legislative Assembly of this Province, during the first fifteen days of the Session of the Provincial Parliament next after such expenditure.

Accounts
to be submitted
to the Legis-
lative Assem-
bly.