CAP. LXXXVIII.

An Act to amend the Militia Law of this Province, in so far as regards the Enrolment of and Fines imposed upon Quakers, Mennonists and Tunkers.

[30th May, 1849.]

HEREAS it is expedient to repeal so much of the Act regulating the Militia of Preamble. this Province, as obliges Quakers, Mennonists or Tunkers to enrol themselves in any Company Division in Upper Canada, and to revive the Act hereinafter mentioned relating to the payment to be made by such persons in lieu of serving in the Militia: 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 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 thirty-first Section of the Act passed in the ninth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, An Act to repeal certain Laws therein mentioned, to provide for the better Defence of this Province, and to regulate the Militia thereof, - and so much much of the said Act as repeals the Act passed in the Session held in the fourth and fifth years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, An Act to amend the Militia Law of that part of this Province formerly constituting the Province of Upper Canada,—and so much of the said first mentioned Act as may be inconsistent with or repugnant to this Act or to the Act secondly mentioned,—shall be and are hereby repealed, in so far repealed as to as regards that portion of this Province which formerly constituted the Province of Upper Canada; and the Act secondly mentioned, shall be and is hereby revived, and 4 & 5 Vic. c. 2 shall be and remain in force, and shall apply to the Militia Law now in force and to the Militia thereby organized, and to things to be done under the same, as fully and effectually as if the provisions thereof were herein repeated and re-enacted.

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CAP. LXXXIX.

An Act to alter the day on which the Militia shall annually assemble for Muster and Discipline in Upper Canada.

[25th April, 1849.]

THEREAS the day appointed by the twenty-eighth Section of the Act Preamble. regulating the Militia, for the Annual Muster of the said Militia, hath been found inconvenient in Upper Canada, and it is expedient to change the day so appointed: 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 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 Annual musfor and notwithstanding any thing in the twenty-eighth Section or in any other part of ter day under 9 V. c. 28, for and notwithstanding any thing in the awenty-eight Decided, An Act to the standard of the Act passed in the ninth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, An Act to the changed as to repeal U.C.

repeal certain Laws therein mentioned, to provide for the better defence of this Province, and to regulate the Militia thereof, the day on which the first class of Militia shall be assembled in Upper Canada for Muster and Discipline shall not be the twenty-ninth day of June, but shall be the twenty-eighth day of June in each year, unless that day be a Sunday or Holy-day, in which case the next following day not being a Sunday or a Holy-day, shall be the day for so assembling.

CAP. XC.

An Act to substitute Yearly Returns for the Quarterly Returns required of Clergymen and others by the Sixteenth Section of the Census Act.

[25th April, 1849.]

Preamble.

HEREAS it is unnecessary that the Returns hereinafter mentioned should be made oftener than once in each year: 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 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 for and notwithstanding any thing in the sixteenth section of an Act passed in the Session held in the tenth and eleventh years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, An Act for taking the Census of this Province, and obtaining Statistical information therein, the Registry in the said section mentioned, shall be forwarded by the person by whom it shall have been kept, to the proper Clerk of the Peace, or City or Town Clerk, within five days after the first day of January in each year, and not oftener.

Certain Returns required by 10 & 11 V.c. 14, to be made only once a year.

While the Census Act shall be in force certain returns not be required. II. And be it enacted, That so long as the Act last above mentioned shall remain in force, it shall not be necessary that any Minister, Clergyman, or Justice of the Peace, should return to any Clerk of the Peace, the list of the marriages by him solemnized, required by the sixth Section of the Act of the Legislature of Upper Canada, passed in the eleventh year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, and intituled, An Act to make valid certain Marriages heretofore contracted, and to provide for the future solemnization of Matrimony in this Province, any thing in the said Section to the contrary notwithstanding.

CAP. XCI.

An Act to amend certain Acts for the Relief of Religious Societies.

[30th May, 1849.]

Preamble.

HEREAS it is expedient to extend the time for the Registry of Deeds heretofore executed under the provisions of the Act of the Parliament of Upper Canada, passed in the ninth year of the Reign of King George the Fourth, act of U. C. 9 intituled, An Act for the Relief of the Religious Societies therein mentioned, and by the Act