

*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.

**W**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.

**W**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, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of the Religious Societies therein mentioned*, and by the

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