

ANNO TERTIO-DECIMO & QUARTO-DECIMO

REGINÆ. VICTORIÆ

CAP. XCII.

An Act to repeal an Act therein mentioned, and to make provision for regulating the carting and transporting of Gunpowder within the City of Montreal.

10th August, 1850.]

THEREAS since the date of the Act of the Parliament of Lower Canada, passed Preamble. in the thirty-third year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, and intituled, An Act to prevent the bringing of Gunpowder in ships or other vessels into 33 G. 3. c. 1. the Harbour of Montreal, and to guard against the careless transporting of the same into the Powder Magazines, great changes have taken place in the localities therein mentioned and designated, and it has accordingly become impossible to enforce the due observance of the provisions thereof; and whereas the Trinity House of Montreal have power to regulate and control the landing of Gunpowder within the Harbour of Montreal, and it is expedient to make provision for the regulation of the carting and transporting thereof within the City of Montreal: 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the same, That the said above cited Act of the Parliament of Lower The said Act Canada shall be, and the same is hereby repealed.

II. And be it declared and enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Council of the City of Montreal, at any meeting or meetings of the said Council composed of not less than two thirds of the members thereof, to make By-laws, which shall be binding on all persons, for regulating the carting and transporting of Gunpowder within the said City of Montreal; and by any such By-law the said Council may impose such fines, not exceeding five pounds, or such imprisonment, not exceeding thirty days, or

both, as they may deem necessary for enforcing the same.

Corporation to make By laws for the transport of gunpowder.

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