

XXIII. That the nineteenth section of an Ordinance passed by the Legislature of Lower Canada, in the second year of Her Majesty's Reign, chapter seven, and intituled, *An Ordinance to amend the Act passed in the thirty-sixth year of the Reign of King George the Third, chapter nine, commonly called the Road Act*, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Sect. 19 of Ord. 2 Vict. c. 7 repealed.

XXIV. That so much of the twenty-eighth section of the Act hereinbefore secondly cited, as provides that nothing in the said section contained, shall be construed to affect the County of Huntingdon, shall be, and is hereby repealed.

Proviso of sect. 28 of 13 & 14 Vict. c. 24, repealed.

XXV. That any person who shall wilfully contravene the provisions of this Act, or any of the provisions of the Acts hereinbefore firstly and secondly recited, shall, for every such offence, whether of commission or omission, not specially provided for, be liable to and incur a fine or penalty of not less than Twenty Shillings and not exceeding Fifty Shillings currency.

Penalties for contravening this Act or the Acts herein cited.

XXVI. And be it declared and enacted, That notwithstanding any thing contained in the Acts above cited, the obligation on the part of Freehold Electors, under the said Acts, to pay their Assessment or Local Taxes, until the day of the Election, in order to entitle them to vote, shall only apply to Municipal Taxes imposed by the Municipal Councils themselves, and under the above cited Acts only.

Interpretation clause.

XXVII. And be it enacted, That that part of the Seigniorie of Lauzon which is situated in the place or village of St. Catharines, in the County of Dorchester, in the District of Quebec, containing an extent of about two miles, along the River Chaudière from Fief St. Etienne, on the South-East, to the land of Charles Begin, on the North-West of the said Seigniorie, by a depth of about five miles and a half, which said part is now united by a Canonical Decree to the Parish of St. Bernard, is hereby declared to be annexed to the said Parish of St. Bernard, and to form part thereof for all Municipal purposes, and shall hereafter be included within the limits of the Municipality of the County of Dorchester Number One, and be subject to the jurisdiction thereof, to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

Certain portion of the Seigniorie of Lauzon annexed to the Parish of St. Bernard, &c.

XXVIII. And be it enacted, That all penalties imposed by this Act, shall be recovered in the manner provided by the Act hereinbefore firstly recited; And when in any case in which a penalty shall have been imposed by virtue of this Act, or of either of the Acts hereinbefore firstly and secondly recited, a Return shall be made by the Officer charged with the execution of a Distress Warrant, that the Defendant has not sufficient goods and chattels to meet the amount of fine and costs, the Justice of the Peace to whom such Return is made shall by his Warrant commit such Defendant to the Common Gaol or House of Correction for the District, for any period not exceeding two months.

Penalties, how to be recovered.

XXIX. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Provincial Secretary forthwith after the passing of this Act, to cause to be printed a sufficient number of copies of the same, together with such parts of the two Acts herein firstly and secondly recited, as are in force, and to cause them to be distributed to the Members of each Municipal Council, without waiting for the ordinary printing and distributing of the other Acts.

Special distribution of this Act.

XXX. And be it enacted, That this Act shall extend to Lower Canada only.

Extent of this Act.

C A P. X C I X.

An Act to repeal a Proviso of the Act of the now last Session, amending the Lower Canada Municipalities Act.

[30th August, 1851.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal the Proviso hereinafter mentioned, in so far as regards the County of Huntingdon: 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*

Preamble.

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Proviso to sect. 28 of 13 & 14 Vict. c. 31, repealed, as regards the County of Huntingdon.

of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That so much of the second Proviso to the twenty-eighth section of the Act passed in the Session held in the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, *An Act to amend the Municipal Law of Lower Canada*, as provides that nothing in the said section contained shall be construed to affect the said County of Huntingdon, shall be and is hereby repealed, and the said section shall, after the passing of this Act, apply to the said County of Huntingdon, and to all other Counties in Lower Canada, except the County of St. Hyacinthe.

C A P . C .

An Act to make better provision for granting Licenses to Keepers of Taverns, and Dealers in Spirituous Liquors in Lower Canada, and for the more effectual repression of Intemperance.

[30th August, 1851.]

Preamble.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 27.

WHEREAS the Act passed in the now last Session of the Provincial Parliament, intituled, *An Act for the more effectual suppression of Intemperance*, has been found defective; and whereas it is expedient that other provisions of law be made for the regulation of Taverns and other Places of Public Entertainment, and for the more effectual repression of Intemperance: 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 Act first cited in the Preamble to this Act, and the twenty-first clause of the thirty-third section of the Act passed in the Session of the said Parliament held in the tenth and eleventh years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, *An Act to make better provision for the establishment of Municipal Authorities in Lower Canada*, and all Acts, Ordinances or Provisions of Law inconsistent with or repugnant to this Act, shall be and the same are hereby repealed, except as to licenses issued and penalties already incurred under and by virtue of any such Acts or Ordinances, but no Act or Ordinance thereby repealed shall revive.

Inconsistent enactments repealed.

10 & 11 Vict. c. 7.

Unlicensed persons not to sell spirituous liquors in small quantities.

9 Vict. c. 2.

II. And be it enacted, That except Distillers duly licensed under the provisions of the Act passed in the ninth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled, *An Act to repeal certain Acts therein mentioned, and to impose a Duty on Distillers and on the spirituous liquors made by them, and to provide for the collection of such Duties*, who are and shall be hereby empowered, as such Licensed Distillers, to sell in the same quantities as Storekeepers or Merchants who may be duly licensed under this Act to sell spirituous liquors, no person shall sell or retail brandy, rum, whiskey or other spirituous liquors, wine, ale, beer, porter, cider or other vinous or fermented liquors, in a less quantity than three gallons at any one time, nor shall any person keep any Inn, Tavern, Temperance Hotel or other House of Public Entertainment for the reception of travellers and others, without a license as hereinafter provided for.

Duty on licenses for different purposes.

Imp. Act, 14 Geo. 3. c. 88.

III. And be it enacted, That over and above such duty as may in any of the cases hereinafter mentioned, be payable under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, in the fourteenth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act to establish a fund towards further defraying the charges of the Administration of Justice and support of the Civil Government within the Province of Quebec, in America*, there shall be paid by every person who shall take out a License for keeping a House or any other place of Public Entertainment, or for the retailing of brandy, rum, whiskey or other spirituous liquors, or wine, ale, beer, porter, cider or other vinous or fermented liquors, the following