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expired until six months from and after the passing of this Act; until and within which period of six months the said City Bank may lawfully exercise all the powers in the said two sections mentioned, on the conditions and on compliance with the formalities thereby prescribed, as fully as the said Bank could have done, before the day in the said Act limited and expressed.

III. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.

CAP. VIII.

An Act to remedy a defect in the Act passed in the eighteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign, to amend and extend the Acts incorporating the Champlain and St. Lawrence Railroad Company.

[Assented to 21st April, 1856.]

WW HEREAS it appears by the Journals of the Legislative Preamble. Assembly, that the Bill which was sent up to and passed by the Legislative Council and was assented to by His Excellency the Governor General in Her Majesty's name, and became an Act of the Parliament of this Province under the title of "An Error in 18 V. Act to amend and extend the Acts incorporating the Champlain c. 177, recited. and St. Lawrence Railroad Company," and which is printed among the Acts of the now last Session and chaptered one hundred and seventy-seven, was at the third reading thereof in the Legislative Assembly, amended by striking out the several words and the proviso hereinafter mentioned, but that the said words and proviso were nevertheless by error allowed to remain in the said Bill, when it was sent up to the Legislative Council and did remain in it as passed by the Legislative Council and assented to by His Excellency the Governor General in Her Majesty's name as aforesaid, so that there was not a concurrent assent of the three branches of the Legislature in all the provisions of the said Act : For remedy thereof, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows :

I. The words "with any sum which they may borrow under The said Act the ninth section of the said Act," between the words "sum or confirmed and sum as " and the words " shall not in the words " in the first certain words section of the said Act,—and the words " and after that to be in it, to be held granted for securing the thirty thousand pounds or any part hereafter to thereof to be borrowed under the ninth section of this Act," form no part between the words "any former Act," and the words "and provided also," in the first proviso to the said first sections,and the words "or the said ninth section" between the words "this section" and the words "as shall be necessary," in the second proviso to the said first section, and the whole of the proviso to the ninth section,-shall hereafter be held to form no part

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part of the said Act, which is hereby declared valid and effectual to all intents and purposes and shall be construed and have effect as if the said words and proviso (which formed no part of the Bill as it was really passed by the Legislative Assembly) had not been left in the said Bill when it was passed by the Legislative Council and assented to by the Governor General in Her Majesty's name: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall impair or affect the rights of the bonû fide holders fide holders of (if there be such) of any of the sterling bonds mentioned in the said proviso to the said ninth section, and which may have under the said been issued for money borrowed under the said proviso since the passing of the said Act, and before the passing of this Act; but so many of the said bonds as shall not have been so issued at the time of the passing of this Act, shall be forthwith cancelled, or if issued hereafter, shall be void and of no effect.

II. This Act shall be a Public Act.

CAP. IX.

An Act to increase the Capital Stock of the Port Darlington Harbour Company.

[Assented to 21st April, 1856.]

Preamble.

HEREAS the President and Directors of the Port Darlington Harbour Company have by Petition set forth, that in consequence of the immense increase of business at the Port Darlington Harbour, it is now necessary that large improvements should be made in enlarging the Harbour, and in making additions to the moles, piers, wharves, buildings and erections now pertaining thereto, and that for such purpose it is necessary that the Capital Stock of the said Company should be increased by Twenty Thousand Pounds: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows :

Capital of the Company may be increased by £20,000.

I. The Capital Stock of the Port Darlington Harbour Company, incorporated by an Act of the Legislature of Upper Canada, passed in the seventh year of the Reign of King William the Fourth, shall be increased by the sum of Twenty Thousand Pounds, and the new stock may be issued as the Directors may find it necessary, and shall be paid in according to the provisions of the original Act of Incorporation of the said Company.

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II. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.