

Proviso.

After issuing such Proclamation, the Governor may appoint a "Central Board of Health."

Canada, passed in the fifth year of the  
Reign of His late Majesty King William the  
Fourth, intituled, "An Act to promote the  
"Public health, and to guard against infec-  
"tious diseases in this Province," and so  
much of the fourth section thereof as pro-  
vides for the trial and punishment of any  
person accused of wilfully disobeying or  
resisting any lawful Order of any Health  
Officers duly appointed under the said Act,  
or of wilfully resisting or obstructing such  
Health Officers in the execution of their  
duties, shall be and the same are hereby  
suspended as to every place mentioned in  
such Proclamation, or being within any part  
of this Province designated therein or in-  
cluded thereby ; Provided always, that any  
person accused of having wilfully disobeyed  
or resisted such Order, or resisted, or ob-  
structed such Officer before the issuing of  
any such Proclamation, may nevertheless  
be tried and dealt with as if such Procla-  
mation had not been issued.

III. And be it enacted, That from time  
to time after the issuing of any such Procla-  
mation, and whilst the same shall continue  
to have effect, it shall be lawful for the  
Governor of this Province, to appoint by  
Commission under his hand and Seal,

persons,  
to be and to be called "The Central Board  
of Health," and to have and execute all the  
powers and duties vested in or imposed on  
such Board by this Act, and also, such and  
so many Officers and Servants as he may  
deem necessary to assist such Board in the  
execution of its powers and duties ; and  
His Excellency may from time to time at  
his pleasure remove all or any of the  
persons so appointed and appoint others in  
their stead ; and the powers and duties  
vested in or imposed on the said board by  
this Act, may be exercised and executed by  
any Members thereof ; and  
during any vacancy in the said Board, the  
continuing Members or Member thereof,  
may act as if no vacancy had occurred ; and  
every such Commission shall *ipso facto* be