

An Act to amend the Act respecting the Provincial
Duty on Tavern Licenses.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the law uniform Preamble.
throughout this Province, with respect to the issuing
of Licenses on which a Provincial Duty is payable under
chapter twenty of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada,
intituled : *An Act respecting the Provincial Duty on Tavern-*
keepers : Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and
consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada,
enacts as follows :

1. Every License on which a duty is payable under the Act
10 last above cited, and which shall be issued after the passing
of this Act, whether in Upper or in Lower Canada, shall be
issued by the Revenue Inspector for the Revenue Division in
which the hotel, tavern, house, vessel or place, to which the
License is to apply, shall be situate ; and the Provincial Duty
15 payable on such License, shall be paid to such Revenue
Inspector before he shall deliver such Licence ; and the words
" Tavern License," in this Act, shall mean and include any
such License as aforesaid, and no other. Duty to be
always payable
to Revenue
Inspector.

2. Every such License shall be issued by the proper
20 Revenue Inspector as aforesaid,—in Lower Canada, (except
the City of St. Hyacinth) in favor of any person, on payment
of the Provincial Duty thereon, and on the production to such
Revenue Inspector of the certificate from the proper municipal
authority, required by the laws now in force in order to obtain
25 such license,—and in Upper Canada, in favor of any person,
on payment of the Provincial Duty thereon, and on the produc-
tion to such Revenue Inspector of a certificate from the
municipal authority, who, without this Act, might have issued
such license, that such person has complied with the require-
30 ments of the law and other by-laws of the Municipality in that
behalf, and is entitled to such license for the time for which it
is demanded of the Revenue Inspector, and for the hotel,
tavern, house, vessel or place mentioned in such certificate ;—
and in the City of St. Hyacinth, on payment of the Provincial
35 Duty, and on the production of the like certificate as is required
by law in any other place in Lower Canada. Every License
to be issued by
Revenue Ins-
pector, and to
whom.

3. The sum payable to the Municipality for any such
certificate as aforesaid, under any Act or By-law in force at the
40 time of the passing of this Act, shall be that which would
As to the sum
payable to the
Municipality in