BILL.

An Act to amend and consolidate the provisions contained in the Ordinances to incorporate the City and Town of Quebec, and to vest more ample powers in the Corporation of the said City and Town.

WHEREAS it has become expedient and necessary Preamble. to amend and consolidate the provisions contained in a certain Ordinance of the Legislature of the Province of Lower Canada made and passed in the Session held

- 5 in the third and fourth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the City and Town 3 and 4 Vice. " of Quebec,"-and in a certain other Ordinance of the c. 35. Legislature of the said Province, made and passed in the fourth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Ordi- 4 Vict. c. 31,
- 10 " nance to amend the Ordinance to Incorporate the City eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act and 8 Vict. " to amend the Ordinances Incorporating the City of Que- c. 60. citod.
- 15 " bec,"-and also in a certain Act of the Legislature of this Province, made and passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled " An Act further to amend " the Ordinances Incorporating the City of Quebec, and "for other purposes,"-and to vest more ample powers
- 20 in the Corporation of the said City and Town: Be it therefore enacted, &c.

And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the Inhabitants of the said City and Town of Que-City and Town bec, and their successors, Inhabitants of the same, incor- of Quebec to 25 porated under the said Ordinance herein first mentioned, incorporated.

- shall continue to be and shall be as provided in and by the said Ordinance herein first mentioned, a Body Corporate in fact and in name, by and under the name, style and title of " The Mayor, Councillors and Citizens of the Corporate
- 30 " City of Quebec," and as such shall have perpetual suc- name and powcession and a common seal, with power to break, renew, change and alter the same at pleasure; and shall be capable of suing and being sued, and of impleading and being impleaded in all Courts of Law and Equity and
- 35 other places, in all manner of actions, causes and matters whatever, and of accepting, taking, purchasing and holding goods and chattels, lands and tenements, real and personal, movable and immovable estate, and of granting, selling, alienating, assigning, demising and conveying the **^**9