C. 2-3. Anno quadragesimo primo Georgii III. A. D. 1801.

CAP. II.

An Acr further to continue an Act passed in the thirty-sixth year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for making a temporary provision "for the regulation of trade between this Province and the United "States of America, by Land or Inland Navigation."

[Expired.]

C A P. 111.

An Act for the Relief of Persons holding Lands or immoveable Property of His Majesty, *En Roture*, upon which *Lods et Ventes*, or Mutation Fines are due.

(8th April, 1801.)

Preamble.

Governor cmpowered to appoint five Commissioners for the execution of this Act.

To remove them and appoint others in their stead.

Governor em powered to appoint a Clerk to the Commissioners.

To remove him and appoint another in his stead.

THEREAS the collection of the Lods et Ventes now due in the Censive of your Majesty's Domaine in this Province, to a certain extent and under certain modifications, is just and expedient, but without limitation would be injurious in particular cases. Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Lower Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, intituled, "An act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year " of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, " An Act for making more effectual provision " for the Government of the Province." And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or Person administering the Government of this Province for the time being, by an Instrument or Instruments under his Hand and Seal at Arms, to nominate and appoint five persons to be Commissioners for the due execution of this Act, and of the several powers and trusts reposed under and by virtue thereof; to remove, from time to time, the said Commissioners or any of them, and to appoint others in the place and stead of such as shall be removed, or shall die or resign their trust.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or Person administering the Government of this Province for the time being, in like manner, by an Instrument or Instruments under his Hand and Seal at Arms, to nominate and appoint a Clerk, to the aforesaid Commissioners, and to allow him such reasonable salary

as he shall think meet; and from time to time at his discretion, to dismiss and discharge such Clerk, and to appoint another in his place; and the said Clerk is hereby enjoined faithfully, to execute and perform the services to be of him required by the said Commissioners, without demanding or receiving for such services, any reward or recompence other than such Salary as shall be so allowed.

III.