

14 G. 3, c. 88.

Proviso.

Composition
and powers of
legislature.

the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act to make temporary provision for the Government of Lower Canada*; and also the whole of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the second and third years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act to amend an Act of the last Session of Parliament, for making temporary Provision for the Government of Lower Canada*; and also the whole of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled, *An Act to amend an Act of the Fourteenth Year of His Majesty King George the Third, for establishing a Fund towards defraying the Charges of the Administration of Justice and the Support of Civil Government in the Province of Quebec in America*, shall continue and remain in force until the day on which it shall be declared, by Proclamation as aforesaid, that the said two Provinces shall constitute and be One Province as aforesaid, and shall be repealed on, from, and after such day: Provided always, that the Repeal of the said several Acts of Parliament and Parts of Acts of Parliament shall not be held to revive or give any force or effect to any enactment which has by the said Acts, or any of them, been repealed or determined.

3. From and after the Re-union of the said Two Provinces there shall be within the Province of *Canada* One Legislative Council and One Assembly, to be severally constituted and composed in the Manner hereinafter prescribed, which shall be called "The Legislative Council and Assembly of *Canada*;" and, within the Province of *Canada*, Her Majesty shall have power, by and with the Advice and Consent of the said Legislative Council and Assembly, to make laws for the peace, welfare, and good Government of the Province of *Canada*, such Laws not being repugnant to this Act, or to such Parts of the said Act passed in the thirty-first Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty as are not hereby repealed, or to any Act of Parliament made or to be made, and not hereby repealed, which does or shall, by express enactment or by necessary intendment, extend to the Provinces of *Upper* and *Lower Canada*, or to either of them, or to the Province of *Canada*; and that all such Laws being passed by the said Legislative Council and Assembly, and assented to by Her Majesty, or assented to in Her Majesty's Name by the Governor of the Province of *Canada*, shall be valid and binding to all intents and purposes within the Province of *Canada*.

Appointment of
Legislative
Councillors.

4. For the purpose of composing the Legislative Council of the Province of *Canada*, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, before the time to be appointed for the first meeting of the said Legislative Council and Assembly, by an instrument under the Sign Manual, to authorize the Governor, in Her Majesty's Name, by an Instrument under the Great Seal of the said Province, to summon to the said Legislative Council of the said Province,