

Certain Acts
repealed.

Act to Re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that upon, from and after the day on which this Act shall come into force, the Act made and passed by the Legislature of the late Province of Lower Canada, in the ninth year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled *An Act to suspend for a limited time, certain Acts therein mentioned, and to regulate in a better manner the Inspection of Pot and Pearl Ashes*, and the Ordinance of the Legislature of the late Province of Lower Canada, made and passed in the second year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled *An Ordinance to revive a certain Act therein mentioned, and to make better provision with regard to the Inspection of Pot and Pearl Ashes*, by which the said Act was revived, amended and continued, shall be and are hereby repealed ; but nothing herein contained shall revive any Act or Law repealed or suspended by the said Act or Ordinance, but such Acts and Laws, and all other Acts or Ordinances or Laws, in force in either section of the Province when this Act shall come into operation, relating to the Inspection, storing and branding of Pot or Pearl Ashes, and the appointment and compensation of Inspectors, shall be, and are hereby repealed.

Description
of Barrels.

II. And be it enacted, that from and after the coming into force of this Act, no Pot or Pearl Ashes shall be inspected in barrels of any other size or description than the following, that is to say : in water-tight barrels of not more than thirty-two inches in length, by twenty-two inches in diameter on either head, nor less than thirty inches in length by twenty inches in diameter on either head, and the chime whereof shall not exceed one inch—which barrels shall be made of the best seasoned white oak or ash timber, and well and completely hooped, with at least fourteen good white ash, hickory or oak hoops ; the staves to be of such thickness as to tare as nearly as possible fourteen pounds to every one hundred, and twelve pounds of the gross weight of such barrel when filled, for which tare a corresponding allowance, in no instance less than fourteen pounds for every one hundred and twelve pounds, shall in all cases be made by the seller of Pot and Pearl Ashes, to the purchaser thereof.

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Former Com-
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voked.

III. And be it enacted, that from and after the coming into force of this Act, all Licences or Commissions heretofore issued for the appointment of any Inspector or Inspectors of Pot or Pearl Ashes, in this Province, shall be and the same are hereby revoked and rendered null and void.

Board of Ex-
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appointed, &c.

IV. And be it enacted, that from and after the coming into force of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Board of Trade in the Cities of Quebec, Montreal and Toronto, and in the Town of Kingston, respectively, and for the Municipal Authorities in other places where Inspectors may be required for the purposes of this Act,