

PREAMBLE

TO

GENERAL RULES OF 1ST JULY, 1869.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

By the Division Courts Act, it is enacted that the Governor may appoint and authorize five of the County Judges, from time to time, to frame General Rules and Forms concerning the practice and proceedings of the said Division Courts, and the execution of the process of such Courts, and with power also to frame rules and orders in relation to any of the provisions of the said Act, or of any future Act respecting such Courts, as to which doubts have arisen or may arise, or as to which there have been or may be conflicting decisions in any of such Courts; that the County Judges so appointed, or any three of them, shall, under their hands, certify to the Chief Justice of Upper Canada all rules and forms by them made, and that the Chief Justice shall submit the same to the Judges of the Superior Courts of Common Law, at Toronto, or to any four of them, and that the Judges of the Superior Courts (of whom the Chief Justice, or the Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas shall be one) may approve of, disallow or amend any such rules or forms, and that the rules and forms so approved of shall have the same force and effect as if they had been made and included in the said Division Courts Act.

Sec. 63,
p. 33.

Sec. 64,
p. 33, 34.

Sec. 65,
p. 34.

And whereas by the Act of the Legislature of this Province, passed in the 32nd year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Acts respect-

Sec. 22,
p. 292.