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and which from and after the said Re-union of the said two Provinces shall become vested in the Governor of the Province of Canada; and to authorize the Governor of the Province of Canada to assign, depute, substitute, and appoint any person or persons, jointly or severally, to be his Deputy or Deputies within any part or Parts of the Province of Canada, and in that capacity to exercise, perform, and execute during the pleasure of the said Governor, such of the powers, functions, and authorities, as well judicial as other, as before and at the time of the passing of this Act were and are vested in the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Person administering the Government of the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada respectively, and which from and after the Union of the said Provinces shall become vested in the Governor of the Province of Canada, as the Governor of the Province of Canada shall deem to be necessary or expedient; Provided always, that by the appointment of a Deputy or Deputies as aforesaid, the power and authority of the Governor of the Province of Canada shall not be abridged, altered, or in any way affected, otherwise than as Her Majesty shall think proper to direct.

(Section 41, enacting that Legislative Records, etc., shall be in the English language only, is repealed by the Imp. Act 11, 12 V. c. 56, s. 1.)

(Section 42, requiring that Bills relating to ecclesiastical rights and matters, waste lands of the Crown, & c. shall be reserved and laid before Parliament before being assented to, is repealed by the Imp. Act 17, 18 V. c. 118, s. 6.)

43. And whereas by an Act passed in the eighteenth year of Colonial taxathe reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An tion, 18 G. 3, c. 12. Act for removing all doubts and apprehensions concerning taxation by the Parliament of Great Britain in any of the Colonies, Provinces and Plantations in North America and the West Indies ; and for repealing so much of an Act made in the seventh year of the Reign of His present Majesty, as imposes a Duty on Tea imported from Great Britain into any Colony or Plantation in America, or relating thereto, it was declared, that "the King and Parliament of Great Britain would not impose any Duty, Tax or Assessment, whatever payable in any of His Majesty's Colonies, Provinces and Plantations in North America or the West Indies, except only such duties as it might be expedient to impose for the regulation of Commerce, the net produce of such duties to be always paid and applied to and for the use of the Colony, Province or Plantation in which the same shall be respectively levied, in such manner as other duties collected by the authority of the respective General Courts or General Assemblies of such Colonies, Provinces or Plantations were ordinarily paid and applied :" And whereas it is necessary, for the general benefit of the Empire, that such power of regulation of Commerce should continue to be exercised by Her Majesty and

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