

## BILL.

An Act to enable the British American  
Land Company to promote and esta-  
blish Manufactures in the Eastern  
Townships of Canada.

**W**HEREAS the British American Land Preamble  
Company were established and incor-  
porated for the purpose of promoting the  
settlement of the Eastern Townships of  
5 Canada, and for that purpose, were autho-  
rized and empowered by their Charter and  
Act of Parliament, to build Mills and other  
Works and to make Loans of Money: And  
whereas the establishment of Manufactures  
10 in the Eastern Townships, would be highly  
beneficial, and would be greatly promoted,  
were the said Company authorized to invest  
their capital therein; and it is therefore  
expedient to extend and enlarge the powers  
15 of the said Company, so as to enable them  
to make such investment:—Be it therefore  
enacted, &c.

And it is hereby enacted by the authority of  
the same, That it shall be lawful for the  
20 British American Land Company, either  
alone or conjointly with individuals or other  
corporations, to build or cause to be built,  
any Mills or Factories, with machinery, for  
manufacturing purposes, and to carry on  
25 and work the same, or to make loans of  
money to individuals or corporations, for  
the like purposes, within the Counties of

30 anything in their Charter or Act of Parlia-  
ment, or in any other Act or Law, to the con-  
trary notwithstanding.