

of the House of Assembly, and the qualification of voters and candidates at such elections, and to reduce the provisions thereof, with some amendments, into one Act, and also to provide against fraud in obtaining qualifications to vote at elections," shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the fifteenth clause of the said Act passed in the fourth year of His said late Majesty's reign, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Before any elector shall vote, he shall, if required, take the following oath, in addition to that prescribed by 31 Geo. III. Chap. 31:

III. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That before any elector shall vote at any election of a member or members of the House of Assembly of this Province, he shall, if required by the Returning Officer or any candidate at such election, in addition to the oath required by the Act of the Parliament of Great Britain, passed in the thirty-first year of the reign of George the Third, intituled, "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled, 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America,' and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province," take an oath in the following form, that is to say:

Form of Oath.

I, A. B., do swear, that the estate in right of which I vote at this election is [here describe the estate as the case may be] which I hold by grant from the Crown, descent, devise, marriage or conveyance, [as the case may be.] and [in case such estate shall have been derived otherwise than by grant from the Crown, descent, marriage or devise,] that I have been in actual possession, or in the receipt of the rents and profits thereof to my own use, by virtue of such conveyance, above twelve calendar months, or [as the case may be,] that the conveyance to me of the same has been registered three calendar months.

CHAP. XV.

AN ACT to attach certain Townships in the District of Newcastle to the Counties of Northumberland and Durham, respectively.

[Passed 6th March, 1834.]

Preamble

(See Act of Union, Sec. 11)

WHEREAS there are several townships in the District of Newcastle which are not attached to or included within any County of the same: *And whereas* there are many inhabitants settled in those townships, and it is therefore desirable to annex the same to some adjoining County: *Be it therefore enacted* by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the