

Peace, at or before the General Quarter Sessions immediately preceding that on which he shall apply for such certificate; which notice in writing the said Clerk of the Peace shall read in open Court, and shall also fix up in some conspicuous part of his office, within eight days after the same shall have been so read; for which service he, the said Clerk of the Peace, shall be entitled to demand and receive the sum of five shillings, and no more.

No Clergyman to  
celebrate matrimony  
unless, &c.

(See 1 Wm. IV. Ch. 1,  
sec. 5.)

IV. *Provided also, and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That no such minister or clergyman shall, at any time, celebrate the ceremony of Matrimony between any two persons as above described, unless he shall on three several Sundays before he shall celebrate the said ceremony, openly, and with a loud voice in the church, chapel, meeting-house, or other place of worship of such congregation or religious community, either in some intermediate part of the service, or immediately before it begins, or immediately after it is ended, declare his intention so to do; and shall at each time of making such declaration, also declare the number of times for which he shall have made such declaration respectively; or unless such minister or clergyman shall have been duly authorised by license, under the hand and seal of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the government of the Province, to celebrate the said ceremony between the two persons therein named.

Parties may demand  
certificate.

(See 1 Wm. IV. Ch. 1,  
sec. 6.)

V. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That it shall and may be lawful to and for the parties thus married, or either of them, to demand of the said minister, or clergyman, and he is hereby authorised and required to give the same a certificate of such marriage, which may be in the following form, viz.—

Form thereof.

"Whereas A. B. of——— and C. D. of——— were desirous of intermarrying with each other, and have applied to me for that purpose, their intention so to do having been regularly proclaimed on three several Sundays, as is directed, or having presented a license, (as the case may be.) Now these are to certify, that I, E. F., minister of the community of——— at——— have this day married the said A. B. and C. D. together, and they are become legally contracted to each other. As witness my hand at——— this——— day of——— in the year of our Lord———.

In presence of

"G. H.

"J. K."

Certificate to be  
registered.

Which certificate shall and may be registered by the Clerk of the Peace, in like manner as is directed in the aforesaid Act, passed in the thirty-third year of His Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act to confirm and make valid certain marriages heretofore contracted in the Country now comprised within the Province of Upper Canada, and to provide for the future solemnization of marriage within the same."