An Act to amend the laws relating to the naturalization of Aliens.

WHEREAS it is expedient for the interests of this Province to modify Preamble. the laws relating to the naturalization of Aliens therein, by shortening the period required to enable them to acquire the rights of British subjects; Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

I. Any Alien who shall have resided three consecutive years in Canada, Three years and shall have acquired real estate therein with the intention of residing residence to permanently in this Province, shall be entitled to enjoy all the rights and tain cases. privileges of a natural born subject of Her Majesty, by conforming to the provisions of the Act 12 Vict., cap. 197.

II. The terms of the oath to be taken in accordance with the provisions Terms of oath of the fifth section of the Act herein above cited, or of any certificate or under section 5 altered. other proceeding in virtue of the same, shall be altered accordingly.