

No. 131.

Continuing  
certain Acts.

the Grace of God of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, and so forth, and in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty.

By his Excellency's Command.

(Signed) W. B. LINDSAY,  
Clerk Special Council.

I hereby certify the above to be a true Copy of an Ordinance passed by the Governor of the Province of Lower Canada, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Special Council for the Affairs of the said Province, on the Thirtieth Day of April One thousand eight hundred and forty, and in the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(Signed) W. B. LINDSAY,  
Clerk Special Council.

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Erection of Court  
Houses and Gaols.

*An Ordinance to continue for a limited Time Two certain Acts therein mentioned relative to the Erection of Court Houses and Gaols in the several Counties of this Province, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.*

[Passed 30th April 1840.]

WHEREAS it is expedient further to continue for a limited Time the Acts herein-after mentioned, which would otherwise expire on the First Day of May One thousand eight hundred and forty; be it therefore ordained and enacted by his Excellency the Governor of this Province of Lower Canada, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Special Council for the Affairs of the said Province, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the Authority of an Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the First Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to make temporary Provision for the Government of Lower Canada," and also by virtue and under the Authority of a certain other Act of the same Parliament passed in the Session held in the Second and Third Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend an Act of the last Session of Parliament for making temporary Provision for the Government of Lower Canada," and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the Authority of the said Acts of Parliament, That the Act of the Provincial Legislature passed in the Second Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, and intituled "An Act to authorize the Erection of Court Houses and Gaols in the Counties of this Province, and for other Purposes therein mentioned," and the Act of the said Legislature passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty, and intituled "An Act to amend the Act passed in the Second Year of His Majesty's Reign, for the Erection of Court Houses and Gaols in the Counties of this Province," shall be and the said Acts are hereby continued and shall remain in force until the First Day of November One thousand eight hundred and forty-five, and no longer, any thing in the said Acts or either of them to the contrary notwithstanding.

And to remove all Doubt with regard to the Effect of the Expiration of the said Acts in the Case herein-after mentioned, be it declared and further ordained and enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That after the Expiration of the said Acts the Property of any Land whereon any Court House or Gaol, or Building intended to serve as such, shall have been erected or commenced under the Provisions of the said Acts or of either of them, or which shall have been conveyed to any Trustees elected or to be elected under such Provisions, or to any Commissioner or Commissioners, or to any Person or Persons whomsoever, as a Site for any such Building as aforesaid, shall, together with such Building or Buildings (if any there be), become the Property of Her Majesty, and be vested in Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors for ever, for the