bly shall be presented for Her Majesty's assent to the Governor of the said United Province, such Governor is hereby authorized and required to declare, according to his discretion, but subject nevertheless to the provisions contained in this Act, and to such instructions as may from time to time be given in that behalf by Her Majesty, that he assents to such Bill in Her Majesty's name, or that he withholds Her Majesty's assent from such Bill, or that he reserves such Bill for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon; and any Bill assented to by the said Governor shall have full force of law as an Act of the said Legislature, unless and until the same shall be disallowed by Her Majesty in manner and within the time hereinafter mentioned.

reserve them for Her Majesty's pleasure.

Provided always, and be it Enacted, That whenever any Bill shall have been presented for Her Majesty's assent to the Gover-15 nor, and shall have been assented to by him in Her Majesty's name, and shall have thereby become an Act of the Legislature, such Governor shall, by the first convenient opportunity, transmit to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State an authentic copy of the Act so assented to; and it shall be lawful at any time within 20 Two Years after such Act shall have been received by such Secretary of State for Her Majesty, by Her Order in Council, to declare Her disallowance of such Act, and such disallowance, together with a certificate under the hand and seal of such Secretary of State, testifying the day on which such Act was received as aforesaid, being signified 25 by the Governor by speech or message to the Legislative Council and Assembly of the United Province or by proclamation, shall make void and null the said Act, from and after the date of such signification.

26.
Governor to transmit Bills assented to, to the Secretary of State, and they may be disallowed by Her Majesty within Two Years.

And be it Enacted, That an authentic copy of every Bill which 30 shall be reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon, shall also be transmitted by the first convenient opportunity to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and shall not have any force or authority within the said United Province until the Governor shall signify, either by speech or message, to the 35 Legislative Council and Assembly of such Province, or by proclamation, that such Bill has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, and that Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the same; and an entry shall be made in the Journals of the said Legislative Council of every such speech, message or proclamation, and a duplicate thereof, duly attested, shall be delivered to the proper officer to be kept amongst the public records of the Province; and no Bill which shall be so reserved as aforesaid shall have any force or authority within the said United Province unless Her Majesty's assent shall have been so signified as aforesaid within the space of Two Years from

Reserved Bills to be transmitted to the Secretary of State, and to have no effect unless assented to within Two Years.