

No. 4.

CAP. XVIII.

AN ACT to require Accounts rendered to the Provincial Government to be so rendered in Dollars and Cents. [Assented to 10th June 1857.]

WHEREAS it will greatly facilitate the keeping and audit of the Public Accounts of the Province, that the same be kept in Dollars and Cents: Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows: Preamble.

1. All accounts to be rendered to the Provincial Government, or to any public officer or department in his province, by any officer or functionary, or by any party receiving aid from the Province, or otherwise accountable to the Government or Legislature thereof, shall be so rendered in Dollars and Cents; but any such accounts may have a second column containing sums in Pounds, Shillings, and Pence, equivalent to the sums so stated in Dollars and Cents, if the accountant shall prefer to render his account in that form. Accounts to the Government to be rendered in Dollars and Cents. Column for Pounds, Shillings, and Pence may be added.

2. The preceding enactment shall take effect upon, from, and after the Thirty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and not before. Commencement of Act.

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