

An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money required to defray certain expenses of the public service, for financial years ending respectively the 30th June, 1869, and the 30th June 1870, and for other purposes relating to the public services

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN :

WHEREAS it appears by messages from His Excellency Sir John Young, Governor General of the Dominion of Canada, and the Estimates accompanying the same, that the sums hereinafter mentioned are required to defray certain expenses of the public service of the Dominion not otherwise provided for, for the financial years ending respectively the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty nine, and the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and for other purposes connected with the public service : May it therefore please your Majesty, that it may be enacted, and be it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, that :—

1. From and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada, there shall and may be applied a sum not exceeding in the whole three hundred and eighty thousand nine hundred and four dollars and twelve cents, towards defraying the several charges and expenses of the public service of the Dominion, from the first day of July, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, to the thirtieth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, not otherwise provided for, and set forth in the Schedule to this Act, and for the other purposes in the said Schedule mentioned.

2. From and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada, there shall and may be paid and applied a sum not exceeding in the whole fourteen million two hundred and five thousand and sixteen dollars and sixty eight cents, towards defraying the several charges and expenses of the Public service of the Dominion, from the first day of July, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, to the thirtieth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, not otherwise provided for, and set forth in the said schedule to this Act, and for the other purposes in the said schedule mentioned.

3. The Governor in Council may authorize the raising of a sum of money, not exceeding three hundred thousand pounds sterling, or one million four hundred and sixty thousand dollars, by way of loan, with the guarantee of the Government of the United Kingdom, for the purpose of meeting a like sum, payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, to the Hudson's Bay Company, as provided in the proposed agreement with the said Company, laid before the Parliament of Canada, with other documents on the same subject, by His Excellency the Governor General, on the seventeenth of May, in the present year, and embodied in the Address to Her Most Gracious Majesty adopted by the Senate and House of Commons of Canada