

STATUTES OF UPPER CANADA.

LOCAL AND PRIVATE ACTS.

BANKS.

UPPER-CANADA.

59th Geo. III. Chap. 24.

AN ACT to Incorporate sundry persons under the style and title of the President, Directors and Company, of the Bank of Upper Canada.

[The Royal Assent to this Act was promulgated by Proclamation, bearing date April twenty-first, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, and second of His Majesty's reign.]

WHEREAS the establishment of a Bank, in the Province of Upper Canada, will conduce to the prosperity and advantage of commerce and agriculture in the said Province: *And whereas*, William Allan, Robert Charles Horne, John Scarlett, Francis Jackson, William Warren Baldwin, Alexander Legge, Thomas Ridout, Samuel Ridout, D'Arcy Boulton, junior, William B. Robinson, James Macaulay, Duncan Cameron, Guy C. Wood, Robert Anderson, John Baldwin, and others, by their Petition, presented to the Legislature, have prayed for the privilege of being incorporated; *Be it therefore enacted* by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, intituled, "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled, 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America,' and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province," and by the authority of the same, That William Allan, Robert Charles Horne, John Scarlett, Francis Jackson, William Warren Baldwin, Alexander Legge, Thomas Ridout, Samuel Ridout, D'Arcy Boulton, junior, William B. Robinson, James Macaulay, Duncan Cameron, Guy C. Wood, Robert Anderson, John Baldwin, and all such persons as hereafter shall become Stockholders of the said Bank, shall be, and hereby are ordained, constituted, and declared to be, from time to time, and until the first day of June, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, a body

Preamble.

[See 2 Geo 4, Ch. 7,
4 Geo 4, Ch. 11,
2 Wm 4, Ch 10.]

Petitions of certain persons to be incorporated.

[See 2 Victoria, Ch. 13;
3 Victoria, Ch. 57;
and Statutes of Canada,
6 Victoria, Ch. 27.]

Incorporation of a Bank, under the name of the Bank of Upper Canada.