

BILL.

AN ACT to regulate the Inspection and Measurement of Timber, Masts, Spars, Deals, Staves, and other articles of a like nature, in the Ports of Quebec and Montreal, and for other purposes relative to the same.

WHEREAS the several Acts of the Legislature of the late Province of Lower Canada, by which the Lumber Trade of that part of the Province was regulated, have expired: *And whereas* it is expedient and necessary to make Legislative provision for the regulation of the measurement and culling of Timber, Masts, Spars, Deals, Staves, and other articles of a like nature, in the Ports of Quebec and Montreal, and for other matters concerning the same: *Be it therefore enacted* by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, intituled, "*An Act to Re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada;*" and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or the Person Administering the Government of the Province of Canada, for the time being, by a Commission under

Preamble.

The Governor,
&c. may appoint
a Supervisor of
Cullers;