

BILL.

An Act to amend the Law regulating Inland Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes, and the protesting thereof.

WHEREAS it is expedient to revise the laws relating to Inland Bills of Exchange and Inland Promissory Notes, and to render more uniform the protesting thereof, and the practice in that behalf: Be it therefore enacted, &c.

And it is hereby enacted, by the authority of the same, That on and from the day when this Act shall come into force, an Act of the Parliament of Lower Canada, passed in the thirty-fourth year of the Reign of King George the Third, intituled "*An Act to facilitate the negotiation of Promissory Notes*,"—so much of the third section of an Act of the Parliament of Upper Canada, passed in the fifty-first year of the Reign of King George the Third, intituled "*An Act to repeal an Ordinance of the Province of Quebec, passed in the seventeenth year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled 'An Ordinance for ascertaining Damages on Protested Bills of Exchange and fixing the rate of Interest, in the Province of Quebec'*," also to ascertain Damages on Protested Bills of Exchange, and fixing the rate of Interest in this Province," as is applicable or has reference to Lower Canada,—and the whole of the fourth and fifth sections of the same Act,—the words "*for a sum not exceeding one hundred pounds*," in the second section of an Act of the said Parliament of Upper Canada, passed in the fifth year of the Reign of King William the Fourth, intituled "*An Act to prevent the unnecessary multiplica-*

L. C. 34 Geo. 3, c. 2; part of Sect. 3, U. C. 51 Geo. 3, c. 9; Sects. 4 & 5 of same Act, certain words in Act U. C. 5 Will. 4, c. 1; part of Sect. 12 of same Act, and U. C. 7 Will. 4, c. 5, repealed.