

and also during the Life of Her Majesty, and for Five Years after the Demise of Her Majesty, the remaining Two Fifths of the net Produce of the said Territorial and other Revenues now at the Disposal of the Crown within the Province of *Canada* shall be also paid over in like Manner to the Account of the said Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Charges  
already created  
in either Pro-  
vince.

LV. And be it enacted, That the Consolidation of the Duties and Revenues of the said Province shall not be taken to affect the Payment out of the said Consolidated Revenue Fund of any sum or sums heretofore charged upon the Rates and Duties already raised, levied, and collected, or to be raised, levied, and collected, to and for the Use of either of the said Provinces of *Upper Canada* or *Lower Canada*, or of the Province of *Canada*, for such time as shall have been appointed by the several Acts of the Legislature of the Province by which such Charges were severally authorized.

The Order of  
Charges on the  
Consolidated  
Fund to be:—  
1st. Expense  
of Collection;  
2d. Interest of  
the Debt;  
3d. Payments  
to the Clergy;  
4th. and 5th.  
Civil List;

LVI. And be it enacted, That the Expenses of the Collection, Management and Receipt of the said Consolidated Revenue Fund, shall form the First Charge thereon; and that the annual Interest of the Public Debt of the Provinces of *Upper* and *Lower Canada*, or of either of them, at the time of the Re-union of the said Provinces, shall form the Second Charge thereon; and that the Payments to be made to the Clergy of the United Church of *England* and *Ireland*, and to Clergy of the Church of *Scotland*, and to Ministers of other Christian Denominations, pursuant to any Law or Usage whereby such Payments, before or at the time of passing this Act, were or are legally or usually paid out of the Public or Crown Revenue of either of the Provinces of *Upper* and *Lower Canada*, shall form the Third Charge upon the said Consolidated Revenue Fund; and that the said sum of Forty-Five thousand Pounds shall form the Fourth Charge thereon; and that the said sum of Thirty thousand Pounds, so long as the same shall continue to be payable, shall form the Fifth Charge thereon; and that the other Charges upon the Rates and Duties levied within the said Province of *Canada* hereinbefore reserved shall form the Sixth Charge thereon, so long as such Charges shall continue to be payable.

6th. Other  
Charges  
already made  
on the Public  
Revenue.

Subject to  
the above  
Charges, the  
Consolidated  
Revenue Fund  
to be appropri-  
ated by the  
Provincial Le-  
gislation by  
Bills originat-  
ing in the  
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LVII. And be it enacted, That, subject to the several payments hereby charged on the said Consolidated Revenue Fund, the same shall be appropriated by the Legislature of the Province of *Canada* for the public service, in such manner as they shall think proper: Provided always, that all Bills for appropriating any part of the Surplus of the said Consolidated Revenue Fund, or for imposing any new Tax or Impost, shall originate in the Legislative Assembly of the said Province of *Canada*: Provided also, that it shall not be lawful for the said Legislative Assembly to originate or pass any Vote, Resolution, or Bill for the Appropriation of any part of the Surplus of the said Consolidated Revenue Fund, or of any other Tax

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