

Such foreigners may also be tried before the Court of Queen's Bench.

3. Every citizen or subject of any foreign state or country who offends against the provisions of this Act, is guilty of felony, and may, notwithstanding the provisions hereinbefore contained, be prosecuted and tried before "The Court of Queen's Bench" in the exercise of its criminal jurisdiction in and for any District in Lower Canada, in the same manner as if the offence had been committed in such District, and upon conviction shall suffer death as a felon.

And on conviction shall suffer death.

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An Act to amend the Act of the present Session, intituled: *An Act to protect the inhabitants of Lower Canada against lawless aggressions from subjects of Foreign Countries at peace with Her Majesty.*

[Assented to 15th August, 1866.]

Preamble.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows :

Sect. 3 of cap. 2 repealed, and new provision made.

1. The third section of the Act passed in the present Session of the Parliament of this Province, and intituled: *An Act to protect the inhabitants of Lower Canada against lawless aggressions from subjects of Foreign Countries at peace with Her Majesty*, is hereby repealed, and the following section shall be and is hereby substituted in lieu of the said section hereby repealed, and shall be taken and read as the third section of the said Act :

Her Majesty's subjects or foreigners offending against cap. 2 to be guilty of felony, and punishable accordingly.

"3. Every subject of Her Majesty and every citizen or subject of any foreign state or country who has at any time heretofore offended or may at any time hereafter offend against the provisions of this Act, is and shall be held to be guilty of felony, and may, notwithstanding the provisions hereinbefore contained be prosecuted and tried before the Court of Queen's Bench in the exercise of its criminal jurisdiction in and for any district in Lower Canada, in the same manner as if the offence had been committed in such district, and upon conviction shall suffer death as a felon."