CHAPTER 95.

An Act to continue and further alter the Act to Incorporate the Bank of Nova Scotia, and the Acts in amendment thereof.

(Passed the 31st day of March, 1856.)

SECTION

1. Acts amended and continued.

2. Part of section 31, 2 William 4, "to incorporate bank of Nova-Scotia," repealed.

Section

- 3. Capital may be increased to £400,-000.
- Continuation.

Be it enacted by the governor, council, and assembly as follows:

Acts amended and continued.

incorporate

increased to £400,000.

Continuation.

The act passed in the second year of the reign of his late majesty king William the fourth, entitled, an act to incorporate sundry persons by the name of the president, directors, and company of the bank of Nova Scotia, except as altered or amended by the acts hereinafter mentioned. Also, the act passed in the seventh year of his said late majesty's reign in amendment thereof. Also, the act passed in the tenth year of her present majesty reign for continuing and amending the same. Also, the act passed in the fourteeth year of her present majesty's reign in amendment thereof and the act passed in the eighteen year of her present majesty's reign in amendment thereof, shall be continued; and the said several acts, and everything therein contained, are hereby continued, except as herein excepted, in force for fifteen years and thence to the end of the then next session of the general assembly.

The proviso at the end of the thirty-first section of the act Part sec. 31, 2 William 4, "to first above mentioned, is repealed, and nothing in this act contained shall affect the operation of chapter eighty-three of the revised Bank of Nova-

Scotia," repeal- statutes, "Of currency."

The shareholders of the bank, at any general or special Capital may be meeting to be called for that purpose, may increase the capital or joint stock by the further sum of two hundred thousand pounds, making such capital or joint stock in the whole, with such addition, of the amount of four hundred thousand pounds and no more, which additional capital or joint stock may be made and added and disposed of as already provided for by the act first above mentioned.

This act shall continue and be in force for fifteen years, and thence to the end of the then next session of the general assembly.

The state of