
BILL.
An Act to regulate Foreign Insurances.

WHEREAS it is expedient to regulate Foreign and Preamble.
 other Insurances so as to compel the trying of
 actions in Upper Canada arising on Policies effected
 therein; Be it therefore enacted, &c.

5 And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, Certain pro-
 visions to be
 inserted in
 every policy.
 That no person shall, as agent or otherwise for any indi-
 vidual, association, company or incorporated body residing
 or established in Great Britain or Ireland or in any Foreign
 Country, or in any other of the British Colonies, effect or
 10 agree to effect any Insurance against loss or injury by fire
 upon any house, building, goods or other property situated
 or being in Upper Canada, unless the Policy or to
 issued therefor shall contain a clause or condition to the
 effect that in the event of an action being brought to recover
 15 the amount mentioned in such Policy or any part thereof,
 the individual, association, company or incorporated body
 agree to accept process, and consent that upon service of
 such process upon their agent, the matter in dispute may
 be litigated and tried in Upper Canada, and in the District
 20 in which the Policy was effected or such other District
 as may be agreed upon, or may be ordered by any com-
 petent Court or a Judge thereof, and shall also agree to
 pay whatsoever sum may be finally adjudged in such action
 and costs, to the assured or his assigns, within ninety days
 25 from the rendering final judgment in such action.

II. And be it enacted, That every person who shall, as Penalty for
 contravening
 this Act.
 agent or otherwise, on the behalf of any individual, associa-
 tion, company or incorporated body aforesaid, effect, agree
 to effect or procure any Insurance specified in the preced-
 30 ing section of this Act, the policy of which shall not con-
 tain the clauses or conditions mentioned in the pre-
 ceding section, shall incur a penalty of *fifty pounds*.

III. And be it enacted, That if any such individual, Penalty for
 refusing to
 pay the sum
 finally ad-
 judged.
 association, company or incorporated body shall neglect
 35 or refuse to pay whatever sum and costs may be finally
 adjudged to the assured or his assigns in pursuance of the
 clause or condition referred to in the first preceding sec-
 tion of this Act, for ninety days after the entering of final
 judgment in any such action, such individual, association,
 40 company or incorporated body shall be deemed to be
 prohibited from effecting any Insurance in Upper Canada,
 and any person effecting or agreeing to effect any Insu-
 rance, as agent or otherwise, on the behalf of such indivi-
 dual, association, company or incorporated body refusing
 45 or neglecting to pay as aforesaid after such ninety days,
 such person knowing or having notice of such refusal or
 neglect, shall incur a penalty of *fifty pounds*.