
**BILL to re-establish uniformity
with regard to the Meetings
of *Fabriques* in this Province,
and to declare who are the
persons entitled to take part
therein in certain cases.**

WHEREAS much diversity has existed in practice, as to the mode in which the Meetings of *Fabriques* have heretofore been held in this Province, and whereas it has become necessary to re-establish uniformity therein, and to ascertain what persons are entitled to take part in such meetings in certain cases: Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of *Lower Canada*, constituted and assembled by virtue and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of *Great Britain*, intituled, "*An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for making more effectual provision for the government of the Province of Quebec in North America," and to make further provision for the government of the said Province;* And it is hereby enacted and declared by the authority aforesaid, that every Senior and Junior Church Warden, (Marguilliers) every Rector or Priest doing duty as such, every Missionary, and every proprietor in the country Parishes and in the Town of *Three Rivers*, professing the Roman Catholic Religion; and every Senior or Junior Church Warden, Rector or Priest doing duty as such, and every proprietor holding Real property in the Parishes of the Cities of *Quebec* and *Montreal*, of the yearly value of thirty pounds currency, (and in the Parish of *St. Roch* in the city of *Quebec* to the yearly value of twelve pounds currency) professing the Roman Catholic Religion, are and shall be qualified and entitled to be present, deliberate and vote at Meetings of *Fabriques* for the election of Church Wardens, the examination of the accounts of Church Wardens whose term of service shall have expired, or concerning any extraordinary expenditure, or the