

## B I L L .

An Act to abolish oppositions to Marriages founded  
on Promises of Marriage.

**W**HEREAS the breach of a Promise of Marriage Preamble.  
ought not to form a ground for opposing the  
Marriage of the party alleged to have committed such  
breach, the party aggrieved having redress by action at  
law: Be it therefore enacted, &c.

And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, Oppositions  
founded on  
promises of  
marriage abol-  
ished.  
That from and after the passing of this Act, no opposition  
to any Marriage, founded on a Promise of Marriage  
alleged to have been made to some third party by one  
10 of the parties about to be married, shall be maintained  
or received in Lower Canada; any law, usage or custom  
to the contrary notwithstanding.