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Militia Act Continuation Bill.

An Act to continue for a limited time therein mentioned, the Act for the better defence of the Province, and to regulate the Militia thereof.

WHEREAS it is expedient to continue for a limited Preamble.
time the Act of the Parliament of this Province,
passed in the ninth year of her Majesty's Reign, chaptered
twenty-eight and intituled "*An Act to repeal certain* 9 Vict. c. 28.
5 "*Laws therein mentioned to provide for the better defence*
"*of this Province, and to regulate the Militia thereof,*" Be
it therefore enacted, &c.

That the said Act shall be, and the same is hereby con- Continuation.
tinued in force for three years from the passing of this
10 Act, and from thence to the end of the next ensuing Ses-
sion of Parliament: Provided always, nevertheless, that Proviso: for
if at the time the said Act would expire, according to the case of war.
provisions of this Act, there should happen to be war be-
tween Her Majesty, her Heirs or Successors and the
15 United States of America, then and in such case, the said
Act herein referred to, shall continue and be in force until
the end of the Session of Parliament next ensuing the
Proclamation of Peace between Her Majesty her Heirs
and Successors and the said United States, and no longer.