another in the office of the Superior Court in the District of and that the third remains in the possession of the undersigned, (Here give the name of the locality in which the Commissioner is sitting, and the date.)

> Commissioner under A. B. the Seigniorial Act of 1854.

## CAP. IV.

An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money for defraying certain expenses of the Civil Government of the Province for the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and for certain purposes for which a supply is required, and also for raising a loan on the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

[Assented to 18th December, 1854.]

Most Gracious Sovereign:

Preamble.

Message 1st December, 1854, and Estimates accompanying it referred to.

ATHEREAS by Message from His Excellency the Right Honorable James, Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, Governor General of British North America, and Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over this Province of Canada, bearing date the First day of December in the year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-four, and the Estimates accompanying the same, laid before both Houses of the Provincial Parliament, it appears that the sums hereinaster mentioned are required to defray certain expenses of the Civil Government of this Province for the year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-four, not otherwise provided for by law, and also for defraying the Cost of certain Public Works, and for other purposes in the said Message and Estimates mentioned; And whereas also it is expedient to authorize the raising of the sum hereinafter mentioned by loan towards making good the cost of the said Public Works: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted, and Be it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, as follows:

£768,841,15s. Consolidated

I. From and out of any unappropriated moneys forming 11d, appropri- part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province, there ated out of the shall and may be naid and applied a sum not exceeding in the shall and may be paid and applied a sum not exceeding in the whole the sum of Seven hundred and sixty-eight thousand