

1847

**BILL.**

An Act to amend the Act for granting a Civil List to Her Majesty.

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

**W**HEREAS the Right Honorable Earl Grey, Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, hath, by his despatch to the Right Honorable the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, Your Majesty's Governor General of British North America, and Governor of this Province of Canada, bearing date the 14th day of March, 1851, and laid before both Houses of the Provincial Parliament by Message from the Governor General, expressed the wish of Your Majesty's Government to assent to those reductions in the Salaries provided for by the Canadian Civil List, which it was the desire of the Executive Council of this Province to propose to the Provincial Parliament; and whereas the reductions hereinafter made are expedient and necessary, and have been approved by the said Executive Council and proposed to the Provincial Parliament; Therefore We Your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Canada in Provincial Parliament assembled, most humbly pray your Majesty that it may be enacted, and be it enacted, &c.

That for and notwithstanding any thing to the contrary in the Act passed in the ninth year of Her Majesty's Reign and intituled "*An Act for granting a Civil List to Her Majesty,*" or in the Schedule A. thereunto annexed, the Salaries of the Judges of the Superior Courts of Law and Equity, appointed since the close of the now last Session of the Provincial Parliament, on the tenth day of August 1850, or hereafter to be appointed, shall not exceed the following rates per annum, that is to say:

9 Vict. c. 114 amended as regards the salaries of certain Judicial Functionaries.

**IN UPPER CANADA.**

The Salary of any Chief Justice, appointed after the day last aforesaid or hereafter to be appointed, shall not exceed the rate of £900 currency per annum:

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The salary of any Chancellor appointed after the said day, or to be appointed hereafter, shall not exceed