

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

OF THE

QUEBEC BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

## Preamble.

A T a meeting of a number of Citizens at the Merchants Coffee-House in the City of Quebec on Saturday the 25th April, 1789.

The local fituation of this country, the incidents of diffress it was exposed to, and no legal provision being made to provide a relief for the same, were taken into consideration, a plan was then proposed to form a Society in imitation of the many useful ones instituted in the Mother Country, and to establish a fund for the mutual support

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