

16.
Governor to appoint
the President.

And be it Enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Governor of the United Province from time to time, so often as there shall be occasion, to appoint One of the said Councillors to be the President of the Legislative Council, and also to remove the person so appointed, and to appoint any other of the said Councillors to be such President. 5

17.
President to have a
casting Vote.

And be it Enacted, That all questions which shall arise in the said Legislative Council shall be decided by the majority of voices of the Councillors present other than the President; and where the same shall be equal, the President shall have a casting Vote.

18.
Assembly to con-
sist of Two Mem-
bers for each
Electoral Division,
and of Members
for Quebec, Mon-
treal, Toronto and
Kingston.

And be it Enacted, That the First Assembly of the said United Province that shall be elected under the powers contained in this Act shall consist of *Ninety-eight* Members, to be chosen as hereinafter mentioned; (that is to say) for every Electoral Division in each District of the said United Province, *Two* Members shall be elected to represent such Division in the said Assembly; and *Two* Members shall be elected for each of the Cities of Quebec, Montreal and Toronto, and for the Town of Kingston respectively. 10 15

And be it also Enacted, That until provision shall be otherwise made by law within the said United Province, every Assembly thereof other than the first, shall consist of the same number of Members to be chosen as hereinbefore mentioned. 20

19.
Powers of the
Governor of Upper
Canada as to sum-
moning the Legis-
lature, and the Laws
of Upper Canada as
to holding annual
Sessions, and the
qualification of Mem-
bers to be extended
to the United Pro-
vince.

And be it Enacted, That until provision shall be otherwise made by law within the said United Province, all and every the powers now by law vested in the Governor of the Province of Upper Canada for fixing the place and time of holding the Sessions of the Legislature of that Province, and for proroguing any such Session, and for dissolving the said Provincial Legislature, shall be vested in the Governor of the said United Province in respect of the Legislature thereof; and all the laws now in force in the said Province of Upper Canada relating to the holding an annual Session of the said Legislature, or relating to the continuance of the Assembly thereof, or relating to the qualification or disqualification of any person to be elected, or to sit or vote as a Member of the said Assembly, shall extend and be applied to the Legislature of the said United Province and to the Assembly thereof. 25 30

20.
Existing Election
Laws within the
Provinces to be ap-
plied to the Elec-
tion of Members of
the Assembly of the
United Province.

And be it Enacted, That until provision shall be otherwise made by law within the said United Province, the House of Assembly of the said United Province shall from time to time be summoned to meet for the despatch of business by the Governor of the said United Province, in the same manner and form as is now observed by law by the Governor of the Province of Upper Canada in summoning the Legislature of that Province; and that until provision shall be otherwise made as aforesaid, the Writs for the Election of Mem- 35 40
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