

Proof of  
date, &c., of  
coins.

10. The stamp of the year on any foreign coin made current by this Act, or any Proclamation issued under it, shall establish *prima facie* the fact of its having been coined in that year, and the stamp of the country shall establish *prima facie* the fact of its being of the coinage of such country.

Repeal of  
inconsistent  
enactments.

11. The first, second, sixth, and seventh sections, of chapter eighty-three, of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, third series, and so much of any other part of the said chapter as may be inconsistent with this Act,—the fifteenth chapter of the Consolidated Statutes of the late Province of Canada,—the Act of the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick passed in the fifteenth year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter eighty-five, the Act of the said Legislature passed in the sixteenth year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter thirty-three, the Act of the said Legislature passed in the twenty-third year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter forty-eight, except section two,—and the Act of the Parliament of Canada passed in the thirty-first year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter forty-five, except section two,—shall be repealed on and after the said first day of July, 1871, as shall also all other Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with this Act.

## CAP. V.

### An Act relating to Banks and Banking.

[Assented to 14th April, 1871.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the provisions relating to the Incorporation of Banks, and the laws relating to Banking, should be embraced, as far as practicable, in one general Act; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

Charters  
continued  
for certain  
purposes  
until 1 July,  
1881.

1. The Charters or Acts of Incorporation of the several Banks enumerated in the Schedule to this Act (including any amendments thereof now in force) are continued as to their Incorporation, the amount of Capital Stock, the amount of each share of such Stock, and the chief place of business of each respectively, until the first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one, subject to the right of any such Bank to increase its Capital Stock in the manner hereinafter provided; and as to other particulars the said charters are continued without being subject to any of the provisions of this Act except those contained in Sections Four, Thirty-nine to Fifty-four, both inclusive, and Sixty to Sixty-eight, both inclusive, until the first day of July in the present year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy one; and from and after the day last men-

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