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LIST OF EXPIRING LAWS.

TEMPORARY ACTS, or ACTS containing TEMPORARY PROVISIONS, of the Legislature of the Province of Canada, which are now in force, and will expire on or before the 1st May, 1850.

When an " &c." is placed after any date in the Column of Duration, it is understood to signify " And to the end of the Session," which will commence next after the date specified.

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE OF THE ACT.	DURATION.
4 & 5 Vict36	An Act to regulate the Fisheries in the District of Gaspé.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26 to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
4 & 5 Vict77	An Act to extend the time limited by Law, for the construction and completion of the Port Dover Harbour. —In force until	18th Sept. 1848.
4 & 5 Vict88	An Act to regulate the inspection of Beef and Pork.— In force until	1st Jan. 1848, &c.
4 & 5 Vict89	An Act to regulate the inspection of Flour and Meal.— In force until	1st Jan. 1848, &c.
7 Viet10	An Act to repeal an Ordinance of Lower Canada, intituled, "An Ordinance concerning Bankrupts, and the "administration of their estates and effects," and to make provision for the same object throughout the Province of Canada.—Amended and continued by 9th Vict. c. 30 to	1st June, 1847, &c.
7 Vict36	An Act to prevent obstructions in Rivers and Rivulets in Upper Canada,	9th Dec. 1847, &c.
8 Vict 4	An Act to provide for the management of the Customs and of matters relative to the collection of the Provincial Revenue,	5th April, 1848, &c.

TEMPORARY ACTS, &c.—(Continued.)

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE OF THE ACT.	duration.
8 Vict 6	An Act for the better preservation of Peace, and the prevention of Riots and violent outrages at and near Public Works, while in progress of construction,	17th March,1847,&c.
8 Viet16	An Act to make provision for a Geological Survey of this Province,—Sect. 2, grants a sum not exceeding two thousand pounds, for a term not exceeding five years, which term expires on the	17th March, 1850.
8 Vict26	An Act to continue for a limited time the several Acts therein mentioned.—This Act continues Acts of L. C. 9 Geo. 4, c. 20; 9 Geo. 4, c. 27; 9 Geo. 4, c. 28; 9 Geo. 4, c. 51; 1 Will. 4, c. 6; 6 Will. 4, c. 19; 6 Will. 4, c. 35; 6 Will. 4, c. 56; Acts of U. C. 11 Geo. 4, c. 20; 3 Will. 4, c. 45; 6 Will. 4, c. 29; and Act of Canada 4 and 5 Vict. c. 36; until	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
	N. B.—This Act continued U. C. 3 Vict. 43 for the same period, but that Act and so much of this Act as continued that Act has been repealed by 9 Vict. c. 50.	,
8 Vict27	An Act to amend the Act and Ordinance therein mentioned relative to the Registration of Titles to and Incumbrances upon Real Property in Lower Canada,	29th March, 1847,&c.
8 Vict30	An Act to make provision for the levying of Tolls on certain Public Works, and for the proper use of the said Works,	29th March, 1846,&c.
	But this Act is unnecessary, since the regulations under 9 Vict. c. 37 will supersede those made under this Act.	
8 Vict40	An Act to repeal certain Ordinances therein mentioned, and to make better provision for the establishment of Local and Municipal Authorities in Lower Canada,	29th March, 1847,&c.
8 Vict	An Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in Upper Canada, and for other purposes therein mentioned,	29th March, 1847,&c.
8 Vict53	An Act to repeal certain Acts therein mentioned, and better to encourage Agriculture in Lower Canada, by the establishment of Agricultural Societies therein.— (Part of Sect. 15 is repealed by 9 Vict. c. 14),	29th March, 1849,&c.
9 Vict 2	An Act to repeal certain Acts therein mentioned, and to impose a duty on Distillers and on the Spirituous Liquors made by them, and to provide for the collection of such duties,	1st Jan. 1848, &c.

Temporary Acts, &c.—(Continued.)

REIGN AND CHAPTER	TITLE OF THE ACT.	DURATION.
9 Vict15	An Act relating to the Magdalen Islands, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and to enable the inhabitant householders therein to establish a Municipal Council in the said Islands, and to extend the like advantages to certain localities in the County of Saguenay, and to those parts of the Counties of Rimouski and Kamouraska known as the Madawaska Territory.—This Act is not expressly made temporary, but its duration may depend upon that of 8 Vict. c. 40, which is limited to	29th March, 1847,&c.
9 Viet24	An Act to allow the formation of more than one Agricultural Society in a County in Lower Canada, and for the relief of the Society for the County of Montreal.—This Act is not expressly made temporary, but the Agricultural Societies formed under it, are declared by Sect. 1, to be liable to the provisions of 8 Vict. c. 53, which is limited to	29th March, 18 4 9,&c.
9 Vict28	An Act to repeal certain Laws therein mentioned, to provide for a better defence of this Province, and to regulate the Militia thereof.—The duration of this Act is, under Sect. 77,	9th June, 1849, &c.
,	But the said Section provides that if there shall be a War between Her Majesty, and the United States of America at the time at which this Act would otherwise expire, it shall not expire till the end of the Session next ensuing the Proclamation of Peace.	
9 Vict29	An Act to amend the Law relative to the administration of Justice in Lower Canada,	1st August, 1847, &c.
9 Vict30	An Act to continue and amend the Bankrupt Laws now in force in this Province.—This Act amends 7 Vict. c. 10, which it continues to	1st June, 1847, &c.
9 Vict38	An Act to empower Commissioners for inquiring into matters connected with the public business, to take evidence on oath,	1st May, 1848.
9 Vict39	An Act to continue for a limited time certain Acts and Ordinances therein mentioned.—This Act continues L. C. 2 Geo. 4, c. 8.—L. C. 2 Geo. 4, c. 10, as extended by 4 Geo. 4, c. 26.—L. C. 3 Will. 4, c. 14.—L. C. 2 Vict. (3) c. 7—L. C. 2 Vict. (3) c. 19.—L. C. 2 Vict. (3) c. 29, as extended by 4 Vict. c. 23.—L. C. 2 Vict. (3) c. 65 to	1st May, 1847, &c.

TEMPORARY ACTS, &c.—(Continued.)

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE OF THE ACT.	DURATION.
9 Vict53	An Act to repeal two certain Ordinances therein mentioned, relative to Winter Roads in that part of the Province heretofore Lower Canada, in so far as regards the District of Quebec, the District of Gaspé, and that part of the District of Three Rivers which is or was the Municipal District of Portneuf.—This Act suspends the Lower Canada Winter Road Ordinances, 3 and 4 Vict. c. 25 and 4 Vict. c. 33, in the Districts above mentioned, until	1st May, 1847, &c.
9 Vict82	An Act to incorporate the Montreal and Lachine Rail-Road Company.—This Road to be completed within three years, that is on or before the	9th J une, 1849.
9 Vict87	An Act to amend an Act, intituled, "An Act to extend "the Charter of the Commercial Bank of the Midland "District and to increase its capital stock."—Charter "extended to	1st. Jan. 1850.
9 Vict110 (Called 10 Vict. in the printed Acts.)	An Act to incorporate a Company to extend the Great Western Rail-Road from Hamilton to Toronto.—This road is to be commenced within three years, that is before	26th Dec. 1849.

TEMPORARY ACTS and ORDINANCES, or ACTS and ORDINANCES containing Temporary Provisions, of the Legislature of the late Province of Lower Canada, which are now in force and will expire on or before the 1st May, 1850.

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE OF ACT OR ORDINANCE.	DURATION.
2 Geo. IV 8	An Act for better regulating the Common of the Seigniory of Laprairie de la Madeleine.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, s. 1, to	1st May, 1847, &c.
2 Geo. IV 10	An Act to enable the inhabitants of the Seigniory of La Baie St. Antoine, commonly called La Baie du Febvre, to provide for the better regulation of the Common in the said Seigniory.—Amended by 4 G. 4 c. 26, and both continued by 9 Vict. c. 39 s. 2, to	1.4 35 1047 0

TEMPORARY ACTS AND ORDINANCES, &c.—(Continued.)

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE OF ACT OR ORDINANCE.	DURATION.
3 Geo. IV 18	An Act to enable the inhabitants of the Seigniory of Yamaska to provide for the better regulation of the Common of the said Seigniory.—Amended by 4 Geo. IV., c. 27, and both in force until	1st May, 1850.
5 Geo. IV 34	An Act to regulate the Common of the Parish of St. Antoine, of the Rivière du Loup.—But see 3 Wm. IV. c. 24. In force until	1st May, 1850.
6 Geo. IV 10	An Act to authorise the Inhabitants of the Fief Grosbois, in the County of St. Maurice, to make regulations for the Common of the said Fief.—In force until 1st May, 1850; amended by 9 Geo. IV., c. 32, which has the same duration assigned to it; but see 1 Wm. IV., c. 32 providing for the partition of the Common among the proprietors, which, if not effected, maintains this Act, as amended by 9 Geo. IV. c. 32, to	1st May, 1850.
9 Geo. IV 20	An Act to provide for the more effectual extinction of Secret Incumbrances on Lands, than was heretofore in use in this Province.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
9 Geo. IV 27	An Act to prevent Fraudulent Debtors evading their Creditors in certain parts of this Province.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849. &c.
9 Geo. IV 28	An Act to facilitate the proceedings against the Estates and effects of Debtors in certain cases.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
9 Geo. IV 41	An Act to authorise the inhabitants of the Seigniory of Maskinongé, in the County of St. Maurice, to make more advantageous regulations for the government of the Common of the said Seigniory.—In force until	lst May, 1850.
9 Geo. IV 51	An Act for the preservation of the Salmon Fisheries in the Counties of Cornwallis and Northumberland.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
1 Will. IV 6	An Act to encourage the destruction of Wolves.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 27, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
1 Will. IV 31	An Act to authorise the persons interested in the Common of the Parish of Ste. Anne de la Pérade, in the County of Champlain, to make regulations for the government of the said Common,	1st May, 1850.

TEMPORARY ACTS AND ORDINANCES, &c.—(Continued.)

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE OF ACT OR ORDINANCE.	DURATION.
1 Will IV 53	An Act to secure and confer upon certain inhabitants of this Province the Civil and Political Rights of natural born British subjects.—All proceedings relative to naturalization are limited to	lst Jan. 1850.
3 Will. IV 14	An Act further to suspend certain parts of an Act or Ordinance therein mentioned, and to consolidate, and further to continue for a time, the provisions of two other Acts therein mentioned, for more effectually ascertaining the damage on protested Bills of Exchange, and for terminating disputes relating thereto, and for other purposes.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, s. 3, to	lst May, 1847, &c.
6 Will IV 19	An Act to regulate the Fees of persons employed by Justices of the Peace, in the Country Parishes, as Clerks, or Bailiffs in certain cases.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
6 Will. IV 35	An Act to provide for the Medical treatment of sick mariners.—Amended by 8 Vict. c. 12, which of course would expire with it, and continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
6 Will. IV 56 Ordinances of Special Council, L. C.	An Act to repeal a certain Act therein mentioned, and more effectually to remedy divers abuses prejudicial to Agriculture.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
2 Vict. (3) 7	An Ordinance to Amend the Act passed in the thirty-sixth year of the Reign of King George the Third, c. 9, commonly called the Road Act.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, s. 4, to	lst May, 1847, &c.
3 Vict. (3)19	An Ordinance to suspend in part, certain Acts therein mentioned, and to establish and incorporate a Trinity House in the City of Montreal.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, s. 5, to	lst May, 1847, &c.
2 Vict. (3)29	An Ordinance concerning the erection of Parishes and the building of Churches, Parsonage Houses and Church Yards.—Amended by 4 V. c. 23, and continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, s. 6, to	lst May, 1847, &c.
2 Viet. (3)65	An Ordinance to provide for the Inspection of Fish and Oil.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, s. 7, to	lst May, 1847, &c.

Temporary Acrs, or Acrs containing Temporary Provisions, of the Legislature of the late Province of Upper Canada, which are now in force, and will expire on or before the 1st May, 1850.

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE OF THE ACT.	DURATION.
8 Geo. IV 16	An Act granting to Chauncey Beadle the exclusive privilege of establishing and running a line of Public Stages between the village of Ancaster, in the Gore District, and the town of Sandwich, in the Western District.—In force until	17th Feb. 1848.
9 Geo. IV 21	An Act to secure and confer upon certain inhabitants of this Province the Civil and Political Rights of natural born British Subjects.—This Act is permanent in its provisions as to the effects of obtaining naturalization under it; but by the 9th clause no further oaths can be administered nor proceedings had for naturalization after the	lst Jan. 1850.
11 Geo. IV 20	An Act to authorise the Quarter Sessions of the Home District to provide for the relief of insane destitute persons in that District.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.
2 Will. IV 22	An Act to authorise a Loan to the President, Directors, and Company of the Cobourg Harbour.—Period for repayment of Loan extended by 6 Vict. c. 20, to	12th Oct. 1847.
6 Will IV 29	An Act to repeal an Act passed in the 49th year of the Beign of His late Majesty, King George the Third, in tituled "An Act to encourage the destroying of Wolves in this Province," and to make further provisions for exterminating those destructive animals.—Continued by 8 Vict. c. 26, to	31st Dec. 1849, &c.

Acts which will expire at the end of this Session. ACTS of CANADA.

RRIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE.	DURATION.
7 Vict 10	An Act to repeal an Ordinance of Lower Canada, intituled, "An Ordinance concerning Bankrupts and the "administration of their estates and effects," and to make provision for the same object throughout the Province.—Amended and continued by 9 Vict. c. 30, to	1st June, 1847, &c.
8 Vict 6	An Act for the better preservation of the Peace, and the prevention of Riots and violent outrages at and near Public Works while in progress of construction,	17th March, 1847,&c.
8 Vict 27	An Act to amend the Act and Ordinance therein mentioned relative to the Registration of Titles to and incumbrances upon Real Property in Lower Canada,	29th March, 1847,&c.
8 Vict 30	An Act to make provision for the levying of Tolls on certain Public Works, and for the proper use of the said Works,	29th March, 1846,&c
	But this Act is unnecessary; since the regulations under 9 V. c. 37, will supersede those made under this Act.	
8 Vict 40	An Act to repeal certain Ordinances therein mentioned, and to make better provision for the establishment of Local and Municipal Authorities in Lower Canada,	29th March, 1847,&c.
8 Vict 48	An Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in Upper Canada, and for other purposes therein mentioned,	29th March, 1847,&c.
9 Viet 15	An Act relating to the Magdalen Islands, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and to enable the Inhabitant householders therein to establish a Municipal Council in the said Islands, and to extend the like advantages to certain localities in the County of Saguenay, and to those parts of the Counties of Rimouski and Kamouraska known as the Madawaska Territory.—This Act is not expressly make temporary, but its duration may depend upon that of 8 V. c. 40, which is limited to	29th March, 1847,&c.
9 Vict 30	An Act to continue and amend the Bankrupts Laws now in force in this Province.—This Act amends 7 Vict. c. 10, which it continues to	1st June, 1847, &c.
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Acts of Canada.—(Continued.)

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE.	DURATION.
9 Vict 53	An Act to repeal two certain Ordinances therein mentioned, relating to Winter Roads in that part of the Province heretofore Lower Canada, in so far as regards the District of Quebec, the District of Gaspé, and that part of the District of Three Rivers which is or was in the Municipal District of Portneuf.—This Act suspends the Lower Canada Winter Road Ordinances 4 Vict. c. 25, and 4 Vict. c. 33, in the Districts above mentioned until.	1st May, 1847, &c.

ACTS and ORDINANCES of LOWER CANADA.

REIGN AND CHAPTER.	TITLE.	DURATION.
2 Geo. IV 8	An Act for better regulating the Common of the Seigniory of Laprairie de la Magdeleine.—Continued by 9 Viet. c. 39, until	1st May, 1847, &c.
2 Geo. IV 10	An Act to enable the Inhabitants of the Seigniory of La Baie St. Antoine, commonly called La Baie du Febvre, to provide for the better regulation of the said Seigniory.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, until	lst May, 1847, &c.
3 Will. IV 14	An Act further to suspend certain parts of an Act or Ordinance therein mentioned, and to consolidate, and further to continue for a time, the provisions of two other Acts therein mentioned, for more effectually ascertaining the damage on Protested Bills of Exchange, and for terminating disputes relating thereto, and for other purposes.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, to	lst May, 1847, &c.
2 Vict. (3) 7	An Ordinance to amend the Act passed in the thirty-sixth year of the Reign of King George the Third, c. 9, commonly called the Road Act.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, to	lst May, 1847, &c.
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Acts and Ordinances, &c.—(Continued.)

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2 Vict. (3) 29	An Ordinance concerning the erection of Parishes and the Building of Churches, Parsonage Houses, and Church Yards.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, to	1st May, 1847, &c.
2 Vict. (3) 65	An Ordinance to provide for the Inspection of Fish and Oil.—Continued by 9 Vict. c. 39, to	1st May, 1847, &c.

NO ACTS OF UPPER CANADA WILL EXPIRE THIS SESSION.

In this list no Temporary Acts of appropriation for charitable or other similar local purposes are inserted.

The figure (3) after the dates of certain Ordinances of the Special Council passed in the second year of Her Majesty's Reign, denotes the third Session in that year.

G. W. WICKSTEED,

Law Clerk.

LAW CLERE'S OFFICE, Legislative Assembly, 2nd June, 1847.

