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## BILL.

To confer upon Charles Horatio Waterous the Civil and Political Rights of a Natural-Born British Subject.

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To confer upon Charles Horatio Waterous, of the Town of Brantford, Machinist, the Civil and Political Rights of a Natural-Born British Subject.

**W**HEREAS Charles Horatio Waterous, of the Town of Brantford, Machinist, has, by his Petition in that behalf, prayed that he may be naturalized as a subject of Her Most Gracious Majesty; and whereas it seems expedient that his prayer should be granted: Be it therefore enacted,

Preamble.

That the said Charles Horatio Waterous shall be deemed, adjudged and taken to be, and to have been in every respect whatsoever, a natural-born British subject of Her Majesty, and of Her Royal Predecessors, to all intents, constructions and purposes whatsoever, as if he had been born within this Province: Provided always, that in order to entitle himself to the benefit of this Act, the said Charles Horatio Waterous shall take and subscribe, before the Clerk of the Peace of the County of Wentworth, the oath of allegiance to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors; and that such oath, so taken and subscribed, shall be kept by the said Clerk of the Peace among the records of his office.

C. H. Waterous naturalized.

Proviso.

II. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be taken and declared to be a Public Act, and as such shall be judicially taken notice of by all Judges, Justices of the Peace, and all others whom it shall concern, without being specially pleaded.

Public Act.