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An Act to secure the more convenient Assembling of the Provincial Parliament.

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**BILL.**

No. 36.]

An Act to secure the more convenient Assembling of  
Parliament.

**W**HEREAS it is expedient that an Annual Meeting of Parliament, Preamble.  
at a fixed period of the year, should be secured by Legislative  
enactment: Be it therefore enacted, &c., that—

5 I. It shall be lawful for the Governor of this Province by Proclama- Governor may  
tion under the Great Seal thereof, to convoke the Provincial Parliament call Parlia-  
for the despatch of business on the first Thursday of the month of ment together  
February in each and every year: Provided always, that nothing in February.  
herein contained shall have the effect of limiting the undoubted right of Proviso:  
10 the Governor to call Parliament together for the despatch of business at And an extra  
any extra Session during the year. Session at any  
time.

11. The Public Accounts and Estimates of monies required for the Public Ac-  
Public Service, and such Annual Reports from the Heads of Public counts, &c., to  
15 Departments as may by law or usage be laid before Parliament, shall be be presented  
so presented on or before the fortieth day in each Session. in first 40  
days.