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**BILL.**

An Act to amend the Acts therein mentioned for the protection of certain kinds of Wild Fowl in Lower Canada.

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Mr. Ross.

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## BILL.

An Act to amend the Acts for the protection of Game and Wild Fowl, therein mentioned, as regards Lower Canada.

**W**HEREAS it has been found impracticable in Preamble.  
Lower Canada to obtain convictions against parties contravening the provisions of the Acts herein-after mentioned, inasmuch as by the first mentioned of  
5 the said Acts, to which the others refer, one moiety of the penalties thereby imposed is made payable to the Treasurer of the District, and in Lower Canada there is no such officer : Be it therefore enacted, &c. :

That for and notwithstanding anything to the contrary in  
10 the Act passed in the seventh year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "*An Act to prohibit the Hunting and Killing of Deer and other Game within this Province, at certain seasons of the year,*" or in the Act passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled,  
15 "*An Act to prevent certain Wild Fowl and Snipes from being destroyed at improper seasons of the year, and to prevent the trapping of Grouse and Quail, in this Province,*" or in the Act passed in the ninth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "*An Act for the better*  
20 "*preservation of certain Wild Fowl in the County of L'Islet,*" that moiety of any penalty imposed by the said Acts, or any of them, which, by the Act herein first cited, (and referred to in the two other Acts,) is directed to be  
25 paid to the Treasurer of the District wherein the offence was committed, shall, in Lower Canada, be paid to the Treasurer of the Municipality in which the offence was committed, for the purposes of such Municipality, or if there be no such officer, then such moiety shall belong to Her Majesty, for the public uses of this Province, and  
30 shall be paid over, and accounted for accordingly.

Acts 7 Vict. c. 12, 8 Vict. c. 6, and 9 Vict. c. 76 amended.