

leges and Congregations situate within New Brunswick, and other matters affecting the same, in view of said Union;—

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. As soon as the Union takes place, all property real or personal within New Brunswick, now belonging to or held in trust for or to the use of any Congregation in connexion or communion with the Presbyterian Church of New Brunswick, now united with the aforesaid Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces, shall thenceforth be held, used and administered for the benefit of the same Congregation in connexion or communion with the united body, under the name of "The Presbyterian Church in Canada."

2. Provided always, that if any Congregation in connexion or communion with any of the said Churches, shall at a meeting of said Congregation regularly called according to the constitution of the said Congregation or the practice of the Church with which it is connected and held, within six months after the said union takes place, decide by a majority of the votes of those who by the constitution of the said Congregation or the practice of the Church with which it is connected, are entitled to vote at such a meeting, not to enter into the said Union, but to dissent therefrom, then and in such case, this congregational property of the said Congregation shall remain unaffected by this Act or any of the provisions thereof; but in the event of any Congregation so dissenting as aforesaid, at any future time resolving to enter into and to adhere to the said united Church, then from the time of such resolution being come to, this Act and the provisions thereof shall apply to the property of such Congregation.

3. Congregations may from time to time alter or vary any of the provisions contained in the Trust Deeds under which their property is held, or in their constitutions which relate to the mode in which their affairs and property shall be managed or regulated, and to the persons who shall be entitled to take part in such management or to vote at meetings of the Congregation on questions affecting the affairs and property of the Congregation or the management thereof, but the sanction of the Presbytery within whose bounds such Congregation is placed, shall be obtained before any such alteration or variation shall take effect.

4. The several clauses and provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of New Brunswick, twenty second Victoria, Chapter 6, intituled *An Act for incorporating the Synod of the Church known as the Presbyterian Church of New Brunswick, and the several Congregations connected therewith*, shall apply, except in those cases where such clauses and provisions are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, to the various Congregations of said Church in New Brunswick, in connexion or communion with the Presbyterian Church in Canada; provided always, that before any of the powers of leasing, if for a period exceeding seven years, selling, exchanging or mortgaging be exercised by any Congregation, or by the Trustees thereof, the sanction of the Presbytery within whose bounds such Congregation is placed, shall be obtained.

5. All other property, real or personal, belonging to or held in trust for the use of any of the said Churches or religious bodies, or for any college, or educational or other institution, or for any trust in connexion with any of the said Churches or religious bodies, either generally or for any special purpose or object, shall from the time the said con-

templated Union takes place, and thenceforth, belong to and be held in trust for and to the use in like manner of "The Presbyterian Church in Canada," or for or to the use in like manner of the said college, educational or other institution, or trust in connexion therewith.

6. But all such property, real or personal, as is affected by this Act, shall in all respects, save as aforesaid, be held and administered as nearly as may be in the same manner, and subject to the same conditions, as provided by the Deeds of Trust, Acts of Incorporation, or other instruments of authority under which the same is now held or administered.

7. As soon as the said Union takes place, the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and any of the trusts in connection with the said Church, and any of the congregations or religious or charitable schemes of the said Church, may by the name thereof, or by Trustees from time to time, take by gift, devise, or bequest, any lands or tenements, or interests therein: But the said Church or Congregation, or the said religious or charitable schemes of the said Church, shall at no one time take by gift, devise, or bequest, lands or tenements, or any interest therein, the annual value of which shall exceed in the whole three thousand dollars; nor shall the said Church, or any of the Congregations, or religious or charitable schemes of the said Church, at any time take by gift, devise, or bequest, lands or tenements, the annual value of which, and of all the other real estate of the said Church in the Province of New Brunswick, or of the particular scheme in favour of which the gift, devise or bequest is made, shall together exceed ten thousand dollars.

8. The Union of the said four Churches shall be held to take place as soon as the Articles of such Union shall have been signed by the Moderators of the said respective Churches.

#### CAP. C.

An Act to provide for the establishment of a Police Force and Lock-up House at Caraquet, in the County of Gloucester.

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| 1 Police Magistrate, by whom appointed; bounds of District.                | shall attend office; duty of Magistrate.                                   |
| 2 Magistrate to be sworn to faithful performance of duty.                  | 11 Fines, penalties, &c. how applied.                                      |
| 3 Police Force, how appointed; duty of Police.                             | 12 Police Magistrate annually to make report to Sessions.                  |
| 4 Regulations, by whom made; Sessions to approve.                          | 13 Sitting Magistrates, how appointed.                                     |
| 5 Harboursing members of Police; penalty.                                  | 14 & 15 Powers and authority of Police Magistrate and Sitting Magistrates. |
| 6 Neglect of duty, &c. by Police; penalty.                                 | 16 Expenses of Police Force, how paid.                                     |
| 7 Threatening, &c. Police; penalty.  | 17 Cases where Police Magistrate shall have civil jurisdiction.            |
| 8 Breaking lamps, windows, &c.; penalty.                                   | 18 Sessions to purchase site and build lock-up house.                      |
| 9 In performance of duties, Police not to take compensation, &c.; penalty. | 19 Sheriff authorized to commit to lock-up house.                          |
| 10 Times when Police Magistrate  | 20 Sessions to appoint keeper of lock-up; compensation to keeper.          |

Passed 10th April, 1875.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, to appoint in and for that part of the Parish of Caraquet described as follows, viz:—Commencing on the southern bank or shore of Caraquet harbour in the northeast angle of land occupied by Fabian LeBoutillier, and upon which he resides at present, thence running south until it strikes the south boundary line of Caraquet Great Grant, so called, thence westerly along said line until it strikes the southeast angle of land occupied by John Baptist Legere, Senior, thence