

Deputies having like power. Subject only to Imperial obligation toward foreign States and Imperial Laws on the subject, this Act will apply to foreign merchant vessels. Shipping Masters are to aid in giving effect to the Imperial Act for the establishment of a Reserve Volunteer Force of seamen. The powers of the Registrar of shipping at Halifax under Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia (third series) extend and belong to shipping masters. This Act only extends to ports placed under its jurisdiction by proclamation under Order in Council.

LOCAL AND PRIVATE ACTS.

Cap. 40.—The HARBOR COMMISSIONERS OF MONTREAL, with the assistance of the Collector of Customs may levy for the purpose of refunding to the C. R. F. the sums paid for deepening the channel of the St. Lawrence between Quebec and Montreal, a sum as nearly equal as may be to 5 p. c. interest on such sums and 1 p. c. sinking fund, one half by tonnage dues on sea-going vessels drawing more than 16 ft. water and one half by an addition to present rates of warfrage dues on goods landed or shipped; the rates to be fixed from time to time by the G. in C.

Cap. 41.—The PORT OF COLLINGWOOD is brought within the purview of the Acts of the 32 and 33 V., c. 40 and 33 V., c. 29 respecting the improvement of Harbours and Channels, at certain ports.

Cap. 42.—Provides for the appointment of a HARBOR MASTER at HALIFAX, with powers similar to those at other seaports of the Dominion, to be prescribed by O. in C. Every pilot or master of a ship is to be furnished with a copy of the regulations. Fees may be levied of \$1 to \$4 on each ship entering port, according to tonnage, which he may retain as salary up to \$600, the balance to be paid over to the R. G.

Cap. 43.—The G. in C. may appoint three Comrs. of PILOTS for the COASTS and HARBORS of CHARLOTTE (N.B.) with power to make regulations respecting such pilots, and prescribe their duties, fees, &c. The regulations made by the Quarter Sessions remain in force till the Comrs. make new.

Cap. 44.—Incorporates the ST. JOHN (N.B.) BOARD OF TRADE with the usual powers. Messrs. C. H. Fairweather as President, and G. Thomas V.P., and Messrs. H. A. Austin, J. W. Cudlip, J. Burpée, R. S. DeVeber, J. M. Scammell, W. W. Turnbull, J. Magee, Hon. T. R. Jones, T. W. Daniel and J. C. Brown to be the first Council. May hold real estate to the value of \$10,000.

Cap. 45.—Incorporates the TORONTO CORN EXCHANGE ASSOCIATION with the usual powers and the power to affiliate branches in the several cities and towns of the Dominion. They may also build or acquire and own a Coin Exchange, and raise a capital of \$100,000. They may hold real estate of that value. Messrs. W. H. Howland, W. D. Matthews, J. E. Kirkpatrick, B. R. Clarkson, W. Gooderham, jr., H. N. Baird, R. Wadsworth, S. W. Farrell, T. Flynn and H. J. Boulton to be the first Committee of Management.

Cap. 46.—Incorporates the ST. CATHARINES (Ont.) BOARD OF TRADE, with the usual powers. May hold real estate of

\$5,000 value. J. Taylor as President, J. Norris as V.P., J. Douglas as Treasurer, and H. Carlisle, A. Jeffrey, P. B. Owens, R. McKinley, S. Neelon, H. H. Collier, H. Wilson, J. C. Graham and J. Riordon are to form the first Council.

Cap. 47.—Incorporates the CHATHAM (Ont.) BOARD OF TRADE with the usual powers, but not that to establish Boards of Examiners of Inspectors of Produce, &c., liable by law to inspection. May hold real estate worth \$5,000. A. W. Smith as President, A. B. McIntosh, R. Pegley, J. Lamont, W. McKeough, H. Malcolmson, J. B. Stringer, J. D. Ronald, T. Bennet, D. R. VanAllen, W. J. Howard, C. Northwood, R. Lowe, R. Stephenson and J. Smith to form the first Council.

Cap. 48.—Incorporates the BOARD OF TRADE OF LEVIS (Que.) with powers like preceding. S. Bennett as President, P. C. Dumontier as V.P., F. Roy as Secretary-Treasurer, and J. Jobin, A. Carrier, J. H. Simmons, C. W. Carrier, M. Cass, T. Beaulieu, B. Huot, J. Belleau, F. X. Lemieux, J. Thompson, T. Boissinot and J. Buchanan are to be the first Council.

Cap. 49.—Incorporates the SOREL BOARD OF TRADE with the same powers as the preceding. R. H. Kittson as President, C. Labelle as V. P., A. A. Tallon Secy., G. J. Barthe, G. H. Bramley, J. B. L. Précourt, L. A. Senecal, J. B. Brousseau, E. O'Heir, L. Leduc and A. Hibbard to form the first Council.

Cap. 50.—Incorporates the EXCHANGE BANK OF CANADA. Capital \$1,000,000, in shares of \$100. Chief place of business, Montreal. Provisional Directors—M. H. Gault, T. Caverhill, A. W. Ogilvie, T. Tiffin, E. K. Greene, W. Rodden and Sir A. T. Galt. Charter to expire 1st July, 1881. The Act relating to Banks and Banking to apply. Certificate to be obtained from Treasury Board before 14th June, 1873, or charter lapses. May commence business on \$500,000 subscribed and \$100,000 paid in.

Cap. 51.—Incorporates the "BANQUE VILLE-MARIE" with powers as in preceding. Capital, &c., same. Chief place of business at Montreal. N. Villeneuve, D. E. Papineau, P. A. Fauteux, A. Dubord, J. L. Cassidy, L. N. Duverger, L. Fauteux, C. F. Papineau, L. Archambeault, G. Caron, A. H. Paquet, F. X. A. Biron and P. St. Jean to be Provisional Directors.

Cap. 52.—Incorporates the ST. LAWRENCE BANK. Capital and powers as above. Chief place of business, Toronto. J. C. Fitch, F. Shanly, J. Haskin, T. Dick, R. Hay, W. F. Allen and S. Burdon Provisional Directors.

Cap. 53.—Incorporates the BANK OF HAMILTON. Same powers and capital as above. Chief office in Hamilton. J. Winer, E. Jackson, E. Gurney, J. Turner, J. M. Williams, M.P.P., D. B. Chisholm, C. Moore, J. Hespeler, Hon. S. Mills, C. Hagill, J. Stuart, A. T. Wood, E. Martin, A. Copp, E. Hignam, A. Harvey, J. Harvey, D. McInnes and J. Watson Provisional Directors.

Cap. 54.—Incorporates the HALIFAX BANKING Co. Capital \$500,000. Chief Office at Halifax, N.S. Same powers and res-