

XLIV. A majority of the Judges of the Superior Court residing in Quebec or in Montreal respectively, may in term exercise the power given by the fifth section of the Act of 1853, chapter 194, to the Judges in any District touching *enquête* days, or the days on which evidence may be adduced in the said Court in such District, and any rule of practice to be made in the exercise of such power may be validly promulgated by any one of such Judges sitting in term: And in any other District any Judge of the said Court may in term time make and promulgate a rule of practice for the like purpose, and with the like power to repeal or alter it; but in the present Districts the rules of practice in force under the said Act, when this section shall take effect, shall remain in force until repealed or altered; and the power aforesaid shall always be subject to the provisions of the said fifth section and of the sixth and seventh sections of the said Act; and, except in the Districts of Quebec and Montreal, the Judges shall not be bound to appoint any particular number of days in each month as *enquête* days, as required by the said fifth section of the Act last mentioned.

How *enquête* days shall be appointed in Districts of Quebec and Montreal.

And in other Districts.

Present rules to remain till altered.

Further provision.

CIRCUIT COURT.

XLV. The Circuit Court may be held in and for any County other than that in which the Superior Court is held for the District in which such County lies (except the Counties herein-after mentioned), so soon as the Municipality of such County shall have provided proper accommodation for the Court and the Officers thereof, and made permanent provision for the maintenance of such accommodation, and when the Governor, being satisfied thereof, shall, by Proclamation, have directed the Circuit Court to be held in and for such County; Provided always, that the Circuit Court shall not be held under this section in any of the Counties of Hochelaga, Jacques Cartier, Laval, St. Maurice, Quebec, or Wolfe.

Circuit Court may be directed to be held in and for Counties in addition to the Court for the District in which they lie.

Proviso.

XLVI. The Governor may, by Proclamation, direct the Circuit Court to be held at two or more places in and for any of the Counties of Richmond, Stanstead, Rimouski, Ottawa, Pontiac, Gaspé, Bonaventure, Beauce, Chicoutimi, Saguenay or Charlevoix, on being satisfied that proper accommodation has been provided for the Court and its Officers at each of such places, and permanent provision made for the maintenance of such accommodation.

It may be so held in more than one place in each of certain Counties.

XLVII. The place or places at which the Circuit Court shall be appointed by Proclamation to be held in any County other than one of those in which the Superior Court shall sit, shall be such as having been selected for the purpose by the Municipal Council of such County and approved by the Governor in Council, shall be fixed by Proclamation of the Governor.

How such places shall be chosen.

XLVIII.