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BILL.

No. 49.1

An Act to amend the Act intituled "An Act to provide for the better organization of Agricultural Societies in Lower Canada."

WHEREAS by the eleventh and twelfth sections of the Act passed in Preamble, the sixteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign and intituled "An Act to 16 Vic. c. 18. provide for the better organization of Agricultural Societies in Lower Canada," provision is made for the formation of more than one Agricultural Society 5 in a County, and it is enacted that "every such additional County Society shall be entitled to a share of the Public Grant, in the ratio of its relative population to that of the rest of the County,"-and it would be more just that the share of each such Society should be proportioned to the amount subscribed by its members: Be it therefore enacted, etc., that-

10 For and notwithstanding anything in the twelfth section of the Act cited Shares of Soin the Preamble, every additional County Agricultural Society in any cieties in the County, shall be entitled to a share of the Public Grant, in the ratio of the in the Public amount subscribed and paid by its Members, to the total amount subscribed Grant, how to and paid by the Members of all the Societies constituted under the sections be proportion-15 aforesaid, in the County.